

Broadmayne First School Newsletter

Be Kind, Be Safe, Be Respectful

The value we are looking at this half term is: **Service**. We show Kindness when showing **Service**.
Our HeartSmart focus is: No Way Through isn't True!
Our British Value is: **Mutual respect** - we think about others in our community and worldwide

Friday 3rd July 2026

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Things to remember:

- Tuesday 7th - Transfer day

Dear Parents/Carers,

After only just mentioning in our last newsletter that the weather had taken a turn, we were swiftly proven wrong by the arrival of a full-blown heatwave. Thank you so much for your understanding around the school closure — your support made all the difference. The children were absolute troopers throughout the soaring temperatures, and our staff did a fabulous job keeping everyone cool, calm and comfortable. A huge thank you also goes to our wonderful FAB parent volunteers for opening the pool for extra fun sessions and for providing ice pops; both were very gratefully received and helped keep spirits high. With only a few weeks of term left, there is still so much to look forward to, and we can't wait to enjoy the rest of the summer term together.

Mad Melodies competition



Our Mad Melodies choir recently took part in the Somerset & Dorset Schools Choir Competition and were commended by the panel — a fantastic achievement in a year with a record-breaking number of entries. The judges were delighted by the varied and enjoyable performances and shared some thoughtful feedback to help them continue to grow. We are incredibly proud of how confidently and joyfully the children performed. Congratulations to all of our Mad Melodies singers, and please make sure to view the certificate in the office foyer. The organisers have already confirmed that next year's competition will take place again in the summer term — something we will very

much look forward to.

Drumming Lessons at Broadmayne

From September Hamish (formally from Rocksteady but now known as Jurassic Beats) will be offering 1:1 Drumming Lessons at Broadmayne. Lessons will be offered on a Wednesday morning. Please see the attached poster for details.



Transfer Day - Tuesday 7th July



We are really looking forward to our upcoming Transfer Day, always a highlight as children spend time with their new class teams and begin to picture the year ahead. I am also pleased to share that, following our recent recruitment drive, we are now able to confirm our Teaching Assistant deployment for September. We are delighted to welcome Mrs Taylor and Mrs Aplin-Roe to the Broadmayne team. They will be a wonderful addition to our school community. With their appointments in place, we can ensure strong, consistent support across all classes

as we move into the new academic year. The staff teams for next year are as follows:

Reception – Mrs Sweeney, Mrs Barker, Mrs Aplin-Roe

Year 1 – Mrs Brake, Ms Barnett (Monday, Tuesday) Mrs Tindell (Wednesday, Thursday, Friday) and Mr Wilkinson

Year 2 – Miss Alson, Miss Barnes and Mrs Taylor

Year 3 – Miss Felgate, Mrs Lysenko, Mr Bell

Year 4 – Mrs Dunford, Mrs Castelli, Mrs Chant, Mrs Cornell.

Children will begin their day in their new classrooms, so please ensure they go to the correct entrance in the morning. Year 1 will enter through the side door by the Secret Garden, while all other classes will use the main Year entrance. At the end of the school day, children will be dismissed by their new class teacher, so please collect them from the same entrance you used in the morning.

Attendance Matters

Our whole school attendance last week was : 91.31 %

Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4
91.04	91.30	88.33	93.36	92.79

Reports to parents



Reports will be sent electronically via Arbor from W/C Monday 13th July. Parents and carers will receive a notification once the reports are available to view. If you have any difficulties accessing Arbor, please contact the school office for assistance. We hope you enjoy reading about your child's achievements and progress this year.

Breakfast and Cool Kids Booking

Wrap Around Care Club dates for the Autumn Term will be released on Thursday 16th July at 6:00pm. To avoid disappointment, please ensure that any childcare vouchers or tax-free childcare payments have been drawn down and credited to your account in plenty of time before bookings open. This will help ensure you are able to secure the sessions you require as soon as they become available.

Year 4 Peter Pan Performance

Our Year 4 children are busy rehearsing and putting the finishing touches to their production of Peter Pan. They have been working incredibly hard to learn their lines, songs and stage directions, and we are looking forward to sharing their performance with families. The performances will take place on 15th and 16th July at 2:00pm. As the audience is limited to Year 4 families this year, there will be no ticket allocation system in place. We hope you will join us in celebrating the children's hard work and talent.



Appeal for Wicker Baskets and Trays



As part of our ongoing work to develop our inclusive classroom environments, we are looking for donations of wicker baskets and trays. These natural resources help us create calm, organised and inviting learning spaces where children can easily access and engage with resources independently. If you have any unwanted wicker baskets, trays or similar items in good condition that you would be happy to donate, we would be very grateful for your

support. Donations can be brought to the school office. Thank you for helping us create nurturing and inclusive learning environments for all of our children.

Nursery Spaces Available from September

We are busy preparing our 2-Year-Old Room and 3+ Year-Old Room ready to welcome children in September, and we are delighted to have places available. If you know of any families looking for a nurturing and stimulating early years setting, please help us spread the word. In our 2-Year-Old Room, morning or afternoon sessions are £21.00, with a full-day rate of £42.00. In our 3+ Year-Old Room, morning or afternoon sessions are £19.50, with a full-day rate of £39.00. We would be pleased to welcome prospective families to come and see all that our setting has to offer. Please contact our preschool office on 01305 853303.

And finally.....

Thank you to Julian for continuing to look after our pool, without him we would not be able to use it as frequently as we do.

Thank you to Mrs Wooldridge who continues to work above and beyond in the office ensuring that we are always organised.

Thank you to every volunteer who continues to help, particularly towards the end of this very hot and busy term.

Enjoy the weekend, it looks like it is going to be a scorcher!

Best wishes,

Mrs Jordan-Gill

25-26 Dates for the diary

Date	Time	Event
JULY		
Tuesday 7th July		Transfer Day - children to spend time in their new classrooms
Monday 13th July		Reports out to parents

Wednesday 15th July	2:00	Year 4 Production
Thursday 16th July	2:00	Year 4 Production
Friday 17th July	2.40	Flashback Friday
Tuesday 21st July	0930	Year 4 Leavers Assembly
Tuesday 21st July	3.15	School finishes for Summer Holidays
Wednesday 22nd July		INSET DAY