



BROOKE HILL ACADEMY NEWS

A SNAPSHOT OF OUR WEEK.

This week seems to have flown by, I can't believe we are about to be starting week 3 already!

This week saw us welcoming Maple and Acer families to our first Booknic of the year. It was lovely to see so many families who were able to attend and share a story with our children - many thanks for all who came along. Year 5 and 6 had an exciting start to their humanities topic - The Greeks - with a themed day at the start of the week, Costumes were brilliant and helped the children get into role for the day - many thanks to all who supported in costume making!

This week we have revisited our behaviour policy in school and focused on our 3 simple, yet important rules in school: Ready Respectful and Safe. The children have been brilliant in demonstrating these through their sensible conduct in and around school.

We have been inundated with letters of application for positions leadership this year which is really exciting to see. Teachers will be sifting through all the letters next week and as a staff team we will be allocating roles and responsibilities. Leaders will then meet with a member of teaching staff monthly to set agendas and take minutes. We look forward to announcing our new pupil leaders next week.

The sun looks set to shine this weekend, have a lovely weekend and I look forward to seeing all of our families on Monday.

Anna O'Shaughnessy



Next Week

MON - ,French Knitting, Outdoor & Adventurous, Creative/Messy Play, Story Telling & Curry after school clubs FDS KS2 Football

TUES - KS2 Football club

WEDS -Acer Class Swimming, KS1 Gymnastic & Rec/KS1 FDS football clubs

THURS - Open the Book assembly, Y6 swimming, Willow Class Booknic - 3pm, Soft Toy Making, KS1 Gymnastics, KS2 RYDA Stret Dance clubs

FRI - KS2 Cross Country event at Sykes Lane

HOUSE POINT TOTALS FOR THIS WEEK

Stocks

Castles

Horseshoes

Acorns

112

140

106

131



PRIDE OF BROOKE HILL AWARD

Apple Class - Phoebe

Willow Class - Florence

Maple Class - Huckleberry

Acer Class - Lamar

Chestnut Class - Thomas B

Rowan Class - Harrison

Red Wood Class - Victor

Elder Class - Rowena

Hazel Class - Ocean

Oak Class - Nell



It's great to see children cycling to school. Please can we encourage all children to wear helmets when on a bike. There are no end of pot holes / uneven surfaces on the roads and pavements. In the event of an accident, wearing a helmet would make a significant difference.

Please can we remind parents that unless agreed (in exceptional circumstances), families should not be parking in the school car park or parking on the zigzags outside of school.

It is dangerous for families to navigate the moving vehicles at such a busy time of day.

Many thanks

If your child is in year 6, please note that the closing date for secondary school applications is 31st October 2023.



Willow Class

You are invited to a 
Brooke Hill Booknic

Willow
Class



Date: Thursday 21st September

Place: Hall

Time: 3pm - 3:30pm

Come and read books with your child(ren) in a relaxed environment. Share our love of reading, stories and all things literacy whilst sprawled out on a blanket. Refreshments will be provided.



HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO EVERYONE WHO HAS HAD A BIRTHDAY THIS WEEK.


HARVEY, GEORGINA, SEREN AND HARRISON



Year 1 & 2

This week has been another super week in KS1. Acer class kicked off their swimming, and all classes have enjoyed dance in PE! We have been showing off our writing skills in literacy, where the children wrote a setting description. We were blown away with the quality of their writing this early in the term, well done everyone. In maths we continued to learn about place value. The children have really engaged with our Rosa Parks learning in history, as I'm sure they have told you all about at home! In Geography we continue to look at the five oceans and continents of the world.

We cannot forget to mention the great success of the booknic we had in school yesterday, it was lovely to see the children enjoying books with their grown ups, thank you!



Pre-school have had another lovely week. This week we've been thinking about our favourite colours, animals, toys, people and food. The children had fun on Wednesday making their own toast and having a go at spreading their own butter and jam. We've also been into the main school to watch a performance from a year 5 and 6 class and been up to the Astro! We're so impressed with how well the children have settled and are looking forward to more adventures next week!



Year 5/6

Year 5/6 had the most amazing Greek themed day on Monday! All of the children came in dressed as an ancient Greek and began the day by learning all about Ancient Greece and Ancient Greek myths. The children listened to the story of how Zeus was born and how he defeated his father, Cronos! The children then worked in teams to complete Archimedes puzzle, they learnt how to play PETTEIA, an ancient Greek strategy game and completed a quiz.

In the afternoon Year 5/6 took part in a mini Greek Olympics and learnt all about the Greek soldiers the hoplites. A fantastic day was had by all!



Reminder

Please note that the only snacks that children should bring into school are fresh or dried fruit or vegetables. Children in Pre-school, Reception and Key Stage 1 are able to have a piece of fruit each day from school.

The only drink brought into school should be water unless other arrangements have been agreed for medical reasons.

