



BROOKE HILL ACADEMY NEWS

A SNAPSHOT OF OUR WEEK.

Another busy week has passed, I can't believe we are going to be going into week 4 on Monday. The children have had a full week. They seem settled into their new classrooms and the walls are being populated with some wonderful examples of their work which is lovely to see.

Today was a very exciting day for our older children at Brooke Hill. Our Pupil Leaders have been chosen and awarded their new roles. This year, our School Council Representatives have been awarded grey jumpers with the school logo to make them easily identifiable to both staff and children. All leaders will meet with their assigned teachers at least every half term. Agendas and minutes will be completed to give them clear support and direction. We are really excited to see how this develops over the year and work with the ideas that our children have to move our school forward this year.

We have another busy week planned next week including a Phonics workshop for parents next Wednesday morning. We hope to welcome as many parents as possible after the school drop off. The plan is to have an information sharing session with Mrs Hall and Mrs Gipson followed by the opportunity to go to classrooms and see the lessons in action.

This afternoon, our Cross Country team are representing school at a local event, we wish them well and look forward to hearing how they have done! Have a lovely weekend.

Anna O'Shaughnessy



Next Week

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

TUES - Red Wood & Rowan classes Booknic - 3pm, KS2 Football club

WEDS - Phonics meeting for Reception parents - 9am, Acer Class Swimming, KS1 Gymnastic & Rec/KS1 FDS football clubs

THURS - Young People & Anxiety Workshop - 9am, Hazel & Chestnut classes Booknic - 3pm Soft Toy Making, KS1 Gymnastics, KS2 RYDA Street Dance clubs

HOUSE POINT TOTALS FOR THIS WEEK

Stocks

Castles

Horseshoes

Acorns

130

169

125

150



PRIDE OF BROOKE HILL AWARD

Apple Class - Albert

Willow Class - Charlotte

Maple Class - Matilda

Acer Class - Nessie

Chestnut Class - Callum

Rowan Class - Jacob

Red Wood Class - Brodie

Elder Class - Kelsey

Hazel Class - Ollie

Oak Class - Sam



Many thanks to everyone who came to this week's Booknic.

Parents' Evenings

We are holding our Parents' Evenings on the following dates:-

Tuesday 10th October - all classes **except** Apple - 15:45-18:15.

Wednesday 11th October - all classes - 15:45-18:15.


Thursday 12th October - Apple class only - 15:45-17:35.


Bookings must be made through ParentMail and you will be notified when the booking window opens.


If you cannot find a suitable slot please contact your child's class teacher to make an alternative arrangement.

Red Wood & Rowan

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



You are invited to a 
Brooke Hill Booknic

Redwood and Rowan  **Date:** Tuesday 26th 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.

EMILY, NYA, HARRISON AND FINNLAY.

Chestnut & Hazel



You are invited to a 
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Chestnut and Hazel  **Date:** Thursday 28th 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.



Well done to Rose, Emilia, Sophia & Lucy who were part of the Oakham Ocelots team at the Stamford Autumn Netball Tournament, on Sunday. They were undefeated and won the U9s competition.

Years 1-6

Please return the completed trip consent forms, that have been sent home this week, to your child's class teacher as soon as possible.

Willow, Maple and Acer class

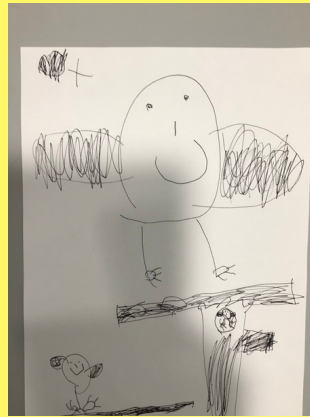
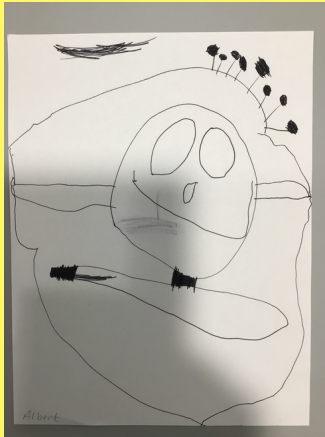
It has been another fantastic week in KS1, full of positive attitudes to learning and amazing ideas being shared in all lessons. We have continued to focus on setting descriptions in Literacy which the children have really enjoyed and continued our learning about place value in Maths. We had a great Science lesson this week where we learnt about animals and their offspring. In History, we continue to learn about Rosa Parks and in Geography we are still exploring the oceans and continents. I'm sure you have all heard those songs on repeat at home!

Willow Buds have had an amazing week learning about their topic of 'My Family' and thinking about who is special to them. They have also been looking at comparing groups in Maths.

Well done to Willow, Maple and Acer class for another amazing week, keep shining bright!

Apple Class

We have had another busy and fun week in Apple Class. We have been learning all about our families and talking about who is special to us. The children have loved telling us about their pets! We have also focused on the story 'Owl Babies' and the children have drawn some amazing pictures of the owls from the story! In maths we have been comparing amounts and finding out which group has more and which has less. Another fabulous week, well done everyone!



Reading Challenge



Congratulations to all of our pupils who completed the Summer Reading Challenge at Oakham Library. Brooke Hill came 2nd in Rutland! A fantastic achievement and a good reflection of how much our pupils love reading for pleasure!



Year 3 / 4

This week Year 3 / 4 took part in a 'Big Maths' Problem solving morning. The children engaged with a variety of reasoning and problem solving challenges, designed to make them think outside the box. They had great fun and completed a huge amount of challenges that even they thought might not be possible.

