

# NEWSLETTER

Friday 8th December 2023 No.13



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Hello everybody,

It's been another eventful week!

## Parents Evenings

Thank you so much to everybody who managed to attend the parents' evenings this week – it was great to see so many of you in school. Thanks also for all of your input, thoughts and suggestions – I know that the teachers find these really useful when they are planning provision for their classes.

## New, new school Administrator!

As you already know, we were expecting our new School Administrator to start with us on Tuesday, to work alongside Mrs Hargreaves for the rest of term. I received an email on Monday to inform me that this wasn't going to be the case as her circumstances had changed! I'm really pleased to inform you that, following the recent interviews, we have now appointed a new, new Administrator! **Maddy New** will be joining the school team from Monday to work alongside Mrs Hargreaves. I know that she will be a brilliant addition to the staff team and that you will all give her a warm Brompton welcome.

## Counselling / Children's Mental Health

Supporting the mental health of our children and families is of utmost importance to us. As part of this, I am really excited to say that we have obtained funding from the Woodsmith Fund to secure a school mental health Counsellor for next term! **Nina Dowdeswell** and her team, all trained Counsellors, will be able to come into school each week to support pupils and families through bespoke sessions, as well as providing after-school bespoke workshops. It's a huge bonus for the school and further widens the support that we can offer. I'll send more information on Dojos, as well as details of how you can put your child forwards for it.

## Safeguarding

Should you have any **Safeguarding** concerns, please report these to Mr Robinson (Designated Safeguarding Lead) or Mrs Davis (Deputy Safeguarding Lead) in his absence. You can do this by telephoning the school number on 01723 859359 or by emailing [headteacher@bromptonsawdon.n-yorks.sch.uk](mailto:headteacher@bromptonsawdon.n-yorks.sch.uk) / [kdavis@bromptonsawdon.n-yorks.sch.uk](mailto:kdavis@bromptonsawdon.n-yorks.sch.uk), or via **dojos**. Where there are significant immediate concerns about the safety of a child, please contact the police on 999. If you believe the situation is urgent but does not require the police, please call 01609 780780 to make a telephone contact. The Emergency Duty Team can be reached out of hours on this same number. **PLEASE NOTE: Due to the changes taking place in North Yorkshire, from the 1st April 2023 the new number for anyone to make a referral is 03001312131.**

**As always, if you have any questions, thoughts, ideas or concerns, please don't hesitate to contact me. They will be very much valued.**

**Have a great weekend,**

**Mr R**





If you would like to help with fundraising or would simply like to have a chat we meet every **TUESDAY** morning in the school office straight after drop off for half an hour.

**We are now utilising the notice board in the playground so please look there for details of forthcoming events and requests.**

## CHRISTMAS T-Towels

Thank you to all of you who have bought a tea towel already, there are still a few remaining so if you are wanting one please don't delay otherwise you will be disappointed.

They are priced at £6 each or £10 for 2, they will be for sale at the Christmas fair on 19 December after the school performance.

**FRIENDS FUNDRAISING SCHOOL T-TOWELS**

You will be able to purchase these on the school gate in the mornings from the Buddies Teams, or at the Christmas Fair

1 T-Towel = £6.00  
 2 T-Towels = £10.00  
 3 T-Towels = £16.00  
 4 T-Towels = £20.00  
 5 T-Towels = £26.00  
 6 T-Towels = £30.00

Proceeds to FRIENDS fundraising.

**CHRISTMAS FAIR**  
**Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> December 2023**  
**Starts in school at 3.30pm**  
**(following Class 1 & 2 Performance in Village Hall)**

FRIENDS TEDDY BEAR Tombola – if you would like to donate any teddy bears, then please pass onto Caroline Watson (Bertie's mummy) or Sarah Pateman (Isla's mummy)

Refreshments to be provided by FRIENDS

If you would like to book a table to run your own stall, then please contact Mrs Hargreaves.

If your child/ren would like to run a stall (under your supervision) then please ask the children to book a table with Mrs Hargreaves

Tables are complimentary, and all we ask is a donation from your sales to go towards school.

## CHRISTMAS FAIR

Don't forget about the Christmas Fair, that will take place immediately after the Class 1 and 2 performance on 19 December

One of the stalls that we are running is a **Teddy Tombola**, therefore we would love it if you could donate any teddies that are looking for a new home. Please make sure that any teddies are in great condition and clean.

If you would like to bring these into school before 19 December, we will take good care of them until they are ready for their new home.

### Rainbow Hamper –

Thank you to all of you who donated prizes for the Rainbow Hamper Raffle. At the Christmas Fair you will be able to buy a square for a £1, we will then draw the winning numbers out of the hat.

### Refreshments –

Any budding bakers who would like to bake cakes to be sold at the Fair, are asked to bring them into school on Tuesday 19 December ready for the stall. We thank you in advance of any help offered, we really do appreciate it.

**As in previous years we would welcome the children taking part and running their own stalls, if you child would like to do this, please pop onto ParentPay to order a 'table'!**



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**myHappyMind**  
**DROP – IN**  
**FAMILY WORKSHOPS**  
**EVERY TUESDAY**  
**3.30pm – 4.30pm**  
**With**  
**Mrs Hargreaves**

This after-school drop in club is for children and their families if they would like to join us (children can come alone or have a family member(s) also)  
 Each week we will focus on a different topic around helping us be the best that we can be. There will be guest speakers and creative workshops for all.  
 You can book onto any of the session by contacting the School Office on 01723859359 or via Class Dojo

7 <sup>th</sup> Nov	<b>Phunky Foods – Pizza</b>	<b>Hannah</b> from <b>Phunky Foods</b> will come and help us create amazing pizza's from scratch – the healthy way! Get ready to roll your sleeves up and prepare a healthy tea to take home,
14 <sup>th</sup> Nov	<b>Animal First Aid</b>	<b>Caroline Jones</b> our amazing veterinary nurse mum will be back in school to shows us ways to help look after our pets and look out for any signs that they may need some help,
21 <sup>st</sup> Nov	<b>Family Bootcamp</b>	<b>Amanda</b> from <b>AH Trilogy</b> will be back to have some fun with us all in a super Family Bootcamp session, So come on mums, dads, grannies and grandads – time for you to join in!!
28 <sup>th</sup> Nov	<b>myHappyMind checkin</b>	So lets take a moment to check-in and see how we are doing on this journey of self discovery, Would we like to do more of this and put together another schedule for 2024? If so, what would you like it to include? <b>Mrs Hargreaves</b> will be there to hear all your thoughts and suggestions,
5 <sup>th</sup> Dec	<b>Meditation before the Christmas excitement takes-over</b>	<b>Becky Palmer</b> from <b>Little Yoga Stars</b> will be back to join us at the start of this very exciting and busy time to help us just take a minute to focus on the present moment and stop feeling overwhelmed or anxious,
12 <sup>th</sup> Dec	<b>Phunky Foods – Christmas Delights</b>	<b>Hannah</b> will be back from <b>Phunky Foods</b> to help us create some wonderful healthy Christmas Treats to take home and enjoy for a tea-time treat,
15 <sup>th</sup> Dec	<b>Party Time</b>	Let's celebrate together how great we are feeling and the new skills that we have learnt this term with a Christmas Wellbeing party!!!!!!



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**Week 12 – 05.12.2023**

Becky Palmer from Little Yoga Stars will be back to join us at the start of this very exciting and busy time to help us just take a minute to focus on the present moment and stop feeling overwhelmed or anxious.









## Week Activities w/c 11<sup>th</sup> Dec 2023

	Lunch	Clubs	Events
<b>ALL WEEK</b>			
<b>Monday</b>	<p><b>Pasta Bolognese Bake</b>  <b>Broccoli &amp; Sweetcorn</b>  <b>Homemade Garlic Bread</b>  <b>OR</b>  <b>Jacket Potato with a choice of filling and salad.</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">*****</p> <p><b>Fresh Fruit &amp; Ice-Cream</b></p>	<p>12.30pm Young Voices C3            12.30pm Magic Club C1&amp;2            3.30pm SET DESIGN CLUB C1&amp;2</p>	<p>*Maddy New – new School Administrator starts.</p> <p>*Governors Meeting.</p>
<b>Tuesday</b>	<p><b>Chicken Burger</b>  <b>Potato wedges</b>  <b>Peas &amp; Coleslaw</b>  <b>OR</b>  <b>Wholemeal Sandwich with a choice of filling and salad.</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">*****</p> <p><b>Cheese, Crackers &amp; Apple</b></p>	<p>12.30pm School Council</p> <p>3.30pm myHappyMind Workshops – <i>please book on via ParentPay</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center; color: green;"><u><b>myHappyMind Day</b></u></p> <p>*myHappyMind workshop - Hannah will be back from <b>Phunky Foods</b> to help us create some wonderful healthy Christmas Treats to take home and enjoy for a tea time treat</p> <p>*<b>FRIENDS</b> in school 9am – 10am in school office</p> <p>*<b>Class 1 Trip To East Ayton Castle</b></p> <p>*Class 1&amp;2 Performance practice in the village hall</p>
<b>Wednesday</b>	<p><b>Roast Pork with Apple Sauce</b>  <b>Gravy</b>  <b>Boiled Potatoes</b>  <b>Carrots &amp; Green Beans</b>  <b>OR</b>  <b>Jacket Potato with a choice of filling and salad.</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">*****</p> <p><b>Yogurt &amp; Fresh Fruit</b></p>		<p>*Class 1 singing at Brompton Village Ventures Lunch.</p>
<b>Thursday</b>	<p><b>Mexican Beef Pitta</b>  <b>Wholemeal Rice</b>  <b>Mixed Vegetables</b>  <b>OR</b>  <b>Wholemeal Sandwich with a choice of filling and salad.</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">*****</p> <p><b>Homemade Apple Muffin</b></p>	<p>12.30pm Sports Club C3</p> <p>3.30pm Sports Club C2</p>	<p>*Class 1&amp;2 DRESS REHERSAL Performance to Class 3 in the village hall</p>
<b>Friday</b>	<p><b>Fish &amp; Chips</b>  <b>Sweetcorn &amp; Peas</b>  <b>Homemade Bread</b>  <b>OR</b>  <b>Jacket Potato with a choice of filling and salad.</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">*****</p> <p><b>Ham Sandwich &amp; Salad</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">*****</p> <p><b>Lemon Shortcake</b></p>	<p>3.30pm Sports Club C3</p>	<p>*Class 1&amp;2 Performance practice in the village hall</p>




# Week Activities w/c 18<sup>th</sup> Dec 2023

	Lunch	Clubs	Events
<b>ALL WEEK</b>			
<b>Monday</b>	<p><b>Macaroni Cheese Broccoli &amp; Carrots Homemade Garlic Bread OR Jacket Potato with a choice of filling and salad.</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">*****</p> <p><b>Berry Crumble Mousse Pot</b></p>	<b>NO CLUBS THIS WEEK</b>	
<b>Tuesday</b>	<p><b>Homemade Lasagne Mixed Salad Homemade Garlic Bread OR Wholemeal Sandwich with a choice of filling and salad.</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">*****</p> <p><b>Fresh Fruit Salad</b></p>	<b>NO CLUBS THIS WEEK</b>	<p><b>*Class 1&amp;2 Christmas performance to parents at 2pm in the village hall</b> (tickets have been previously allocated)</p> <p style="color: green; font-weight: bold; font-size: 1.2em;">*FRIENDS Christmas Fair</p> 
<b>Wednesday</b>	<p style="text-align: center;">Pre-ordered</p> <div style="text-align: center;">  <p style="font-weight: bold; margin-top: 10px;">ELF PACKED LUNNCH</p> </div>	<b>NO CLUBS THIS WEEK</b>	<p><b>*Whole School Trip to the Pantomime</b></p> <div style="text-align: center;">  </div>
<b>Thursday</b>	<p style="text-align: center;">Pre-ordered</p> <p style="text-align: center; font-weight: bold;">SCHOOL CHRISTMAS LUNCH with all the trimmings</p> <div style="text-align: center;">  </div>	<b>NO CLUBS THIS WEEK</b>	<p><b>*Class 1&amp;2 Christmas performance to parents at 5pm in the village hall</b> (tickets have been previously allocated)</p> <div style="text-align: right;">  </div>
<b>Friday</b>	<p style="text-align: center;">Pre-ordered</p> <p style="text-align: center; font-weight: bold;">CHRISTMAS PARTY BUFFET LUNCH</p>	<b>NO CLUBS THIS WEEK</b>	<p><b>*Christmas Party Day – come in home clothes Christmas style!!!</b></p> <p><b>*Mrs Hargreaves last day</b></p> <p><b>*LAST DAY OF TERM – see you all back in school on Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> January 2024 – have a fabulous Christmas</b></p>

## Term Dates (Academic Year 2023-24)

2023 - 2024 YEAR	Break up	Return to School
AUTUMN TERM 2023		Wednesday 6th September
OCT HALF TERM 2023	Friday 27th October	Monday 6th November
CHRISTMAS 2023	Friday 22nd December	Tuesday 9th January
FEB HALF TERM 2024	Friday 9th February	Monday 19th February
EASTER 2024	Friday 22nd March	Tuesday 9th April
MAY BANK HOLIDAY 2024	Friday 3rd May	Tuesday 7th May
MAY HALF TERM 2024	Friday 24th May	Monday 3rd June
SUMMER 2024	Friday 19th July	Wednesday 4th September 2024
Teacher Training Days 2023/2024: 4th & 5th September, 8th January, 8th April 2023 and 22nd July. Please avoid booking holidays and other non-essential term-time absence during these term dates		



### ANNUAL BUDGETING HELP 2023/2024

In order to be aware of what costs are on the horizon, it has been requested by parents that we publish an annual snapshot of what we are planning. Things could change, dates could move and costs could star, so all requests will be added - however this is an estimation to help with family budgeting. We have taken the decision, that for National Fundraising Events, whilst we will support in order that the children feel connected, we will not be asking for voluntary contributions. Regarding school trips, where possible the fundraising the FRIENDS do so well, pay for the transport costs. Other costs will be requested as voluntary contributions from families and/or paid for by school. If enough money is not raised, please be aware that trips may need to be cancelled.  
We hope this helps.  
If at any time you are struggling, then please do come and talk to any of us in school, to try and find a solution, so that your child can continue to benefit from the wider opportunities we are offering.

Autumn Term 1 Sept – Oct '23	Autumn Term 2 Oct – Dec '23	Spring Term 1 Jan – Feb '24	Spring Term 2 Feb – Mar '24	Summer Term 1 Apr – May '24	Summer Term 2 Jun – Jul '24
Class 1 Trip MacMillan Coffee morning fundraiser Harvest Festival (food donations) Whole School Individual Photos (18 <sup>th</sup> Oct) Y5&6 Peat Rigg residential (23 <sup>rd</sup> -25 <sup>th</sup> Oct)	Class 2 Trip Class 3 Trip Whole School RE Trip FRIENDS – Xmas Fair Whole School Panto Poppy Appeal (£ donations) Children in Need – no donation Save the Children Christmas Jumper Day – no donation C1&2 Christmas performance	Class 1 & 2 Swimming Class 1 Trip Class 3 Young Voices (8 <sup>th</sup> Feb)	Class 2 Trip Class 3 Trip	Yr. 3 & 4 East Barnby Residential (22 <sup>nd</sup> -24 <sup>th</sup> May) Whole School Photos (20 <sup>th</sup> May) Class 3 Swimming Class 2 Trip Class 3 Trip	Y1&6 Trip fundraiser FRIENDS – Summer Fair Class 1 Trip Whole School Trip

### \*NEW THIS WEEK

**19<sup>th</sup> Dec - C1&2 parent performance at village hall 2pm – NEW DATE**

**19<sup>th</sup> Dec – FRIENDS Christmas Fair in school**

20<sup>th</sup> Dec – Trip to the Pantomime – Jack & the Beanstalk

21<sup>st</sup> Dec - C1&2 parent performance at village hall 5pm

21<sup>st</sup> Dec – School Christmas Dinner

22<sup>nd</sup> Dec – end of term Christmas Party

**25<sup>th</sup> Jan – Children's University Passport Checks**

8<sup>th</sup> Feb '24 Class 3 to Young Voices in Sheffield.

7<sup>th</sup> Mar – World Book Day

22<sup>nd</sup> Mar – Black Education Day with African drumming

w/c 10<sup>th</sup> May – Mental Health Awareness Week

23<sup>rd</sup> Apr – Science Bus (Class 2 & 3)

20<sup>th</sup> May '24 – Class photographs – change of date from 21st


23<sup>rd</sup> May '24 – Skateboarding Day.- this may alter so watch this space.

22<sup>nd</sup> – 24<sup>th</sup> May 2024 – Yr3 & 4 to East Barnby

12<sup>th</sup> Jun – Tom Palmer (author) in school for workshops with all

19<sup>th</sup>/20<sup>th</sup> June 2024 – Lady Lumley's Transition Day

3<sup>rd</sup> July – Lady Lumley's Transition Day



### PARENT LUNCH INVITATION – any week day

On a lunchtime, we would like to invite you to come into school and have your lunch with the children.

You are welcome to bring up to two adults and any younger siblings.

There will be a limit of two families per day.

This is a great opportunity for you to see what is happening in school that week, experience our super school lunches, and spend some time with the children and adults in school.

Please call the school office to book your place and confirm who will be coming.  
There will be a small charge of £3.45 per adult, siblings will be free.

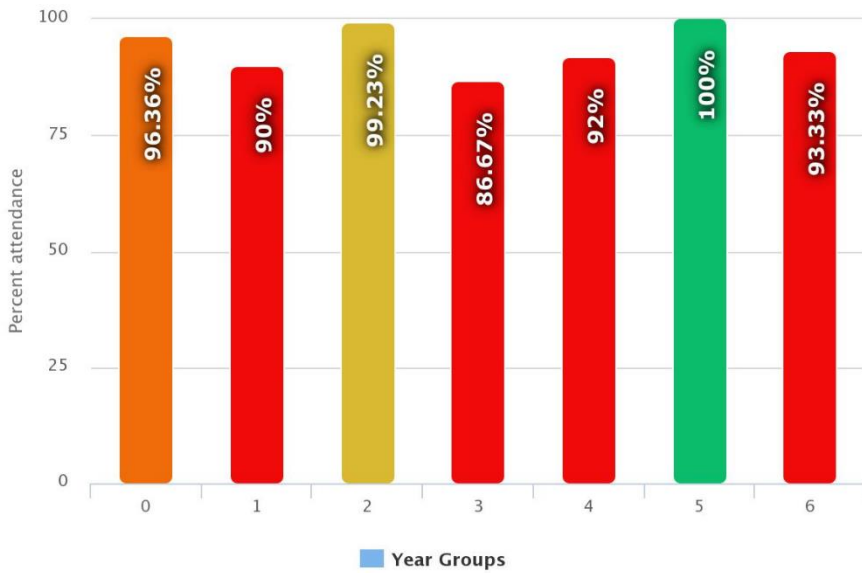
**Can't wait to host you!**

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This week's attendance





The government expectation for all schools is **96%+** attendance.

• So far this year our overall school attendance is **96.5%**

As you can see, our attendance so far this year is in line what is expected. Thank you for supporting us by ensuring that your child attends as much as possible.

Every day missed really does impact hugely on the children's learning.

