

NEWSLETTER

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Hi everybody,

You will have noticed that the transformation of the rear of the school is gathering pace with the installation of the base for our new **garden room**. This will give Class 1 some much needed additional teaching space. Once this is in situ, our new **astroturf games area** will be installed, giving the children additional space to play as well as creating another learning space, something which they have asked for. **New seating** will also shortly be arriving, again responding to requests from the children and giving those who would like a more relaxed playtime the opportunity to do this.

School itself will continue to change in appearance over the course of the next term or so as **Wild School** takes off. A lot has happened over the course of the last term and we would like to share our exciting plans and curriculum with you at a parents' meeting at 3:30pm on Tuesday 4th June. We've also developed a comprehensive list of skills and knowledge, all linked to the environment, that we intend the children to develop through this exciting venture. I know that you will be impressed. Alongside this, you will see an ever-increasing awareness and focus on reflecting Wild School in everything we do, from installing automatic lights to better recycling and more sustainable resources.

Next Friday, an **author** will be visiting school to share their experience of writing children's books. Again, this is all part of giving the children the widest possible experiences and hopefully inspiring some to write their own books! Above all it will certainly enthuse the children in their own writing, giving them even more ideas which they might use.

On Tuesday, at 3:30pm, we will host a meeting for anybody whose child is attending **East Barnby** this May. At the meeting we will be able to discuss activities, kit lists and any other questions which you might have! Miss Thwaites and myself will again be accompanying the children on this trip. Please don't worry if you can't make this time/day – let me know and I can talk you through it at another time.

The term has certainly started with a **sporting theme**, with children from our school already involved in Football, Cricket and Tennis events. It's great to see so many children giving activities a go. Their attitude when undertaking these is amazing and I am really proud of them.

Safeguarding

Online safety: You may have seen our latest monthly Online Safety Newsletter that I shared on Dojos earlier in the week. As the parent of a teenage daughter it really was food for thought. If you have any concerns about your child please don't hesitate to contact us at school and we will help in any way that we can. We start every year with Online Safety lessons in computing and there are Online Safety topics planned in the computing curriculum yearly in each class. Assemblies are also used to reinforce key safety messages.

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 / 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. The no. 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 us. They will be very much valued.

Have a great weekend! Mr R



Friends of Brompton & Sawdon Primary School (Fundraising team)

We would love to hear from you, if you have any ideas on fundraising or you would like to join us, please get in touch, either in the playground or our email address is



friends@bromptonsawdon.n-yorks.sch.uk.



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

2024 Challenge – Final Call!

The final 2024 Challenge entries need to be in by Tuesday 16th April (next week). We've had some amazing entries, and will let you all know our winners soon!

Easter Disco Success

Thank you to everyone who came to the Easter Disco at the end of last term. It was a huge success, and the children all seemed to have an amazing time.



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Week Activities w/c 15th April 2024

	Lunch	Clubs	Events
ALL WEEK			
Monday	Creamy Mac n Cheese Peas & Sweetcorn Homebaked Garlic Bread OR Jacket Potato with a choice of filling and salad. ***** Vanilla Sponge	12:30 Recorder Club 3:30 Bootcamp	
Tuesday	Beef Burger Potato Wedges Coleslaw & Cucumber Sticks OR Jacket Potato with a choice of filling and salad. ***** Summer Berry Flapjack	12:30 School Council 3:30 Boccia Club	
Wednesday	Roast Gammon Baby Potatoes Gravy Medley of Vegetables OR Jacket Potato with a choice of filling and salad. ***** Apple Crumble & Custard	12:30 Enterprise Club 3:30 Dance Club	3:30 – Parents’ meeting for East Barnby Trip NO FOOTBALL AT PINDAR
Thursday	Chicken Korma Carrots & Green Beans Naan Bread OR Wholemeal Sandwich with a choice of filling and salad. ***** Chocolate Muffin	12:30 Gardening Club 12:30 Sports Club (Class 3) 3:30 Sports Club (Class 2)	Swimming for Class 3
Friday	Battered Fish Chips Ketchup Sweetcorn & Peas Homemade Bread OR Jacket Potato with a choice of filling and salad. OR Ham Sandwich & Salad ***** Custard Cookie with Orange Wedge	3:30 Sports Club (Class 3)	11am - Nettle and Dock Author visit

All upcoming events are now in the Dojo calendar. Please ensure you regularly look at this for both your child’s class and the whole school. Thank You!



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

*NEW THIS WEEK

17th Apr – Parent’s meeting for East Barnby Trip (Yr3/4)

19th Apr – Visit from Author of Nettle and Dock

23rd Apr – Science Bus (Class 2 & 3)

3rd May – Class photographs

w/c 10th May – Mental Health Awareness Week

w/c 13th May – SATS week

16th May – End of SATS celebration lunch

17th May – Skateboarding Day

22nd – 24th May – Yr3 & 4 to East Barnby

4th Jun – Wild School Parents’ meeting

7th Jun – Whole school trip to Bramcote Running track

11th Jun – SPORTS DAY and summer fair

12th Jun – Tom Palmer (author) in school for workshops

19th Jun – Royal Celebration Lunch

19th/20th June – Lady Lumley’s Transition Day

3rd July – Lady Lumley’s Transition Day

16th July - Summer Celebration Lunch

17/18th July – Year 6 Residential to Boggle Hole

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, items could move and costs could alter, but these requests will be added – however this is an expression 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 that FRIENDS do so well, pays 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 (16 th Oct) YS&K Peat Rigg residential (23 rd -25 th Oct)	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 th Feb)	Class 2 Trip Class 3 Trip	Yr. 3 & 4 East Barnby Residential (22 nd -24 th May) Whole School Photos (20 th May) Class 3 Swimming Class 2 Trip Class 3 Trip	Y6 Trip fundraiser FRIENDS – Summer Fair Class 1 Trip Whole School Trip



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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SUMMER 2025	Friday 18th July	tbc

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This week's attendance

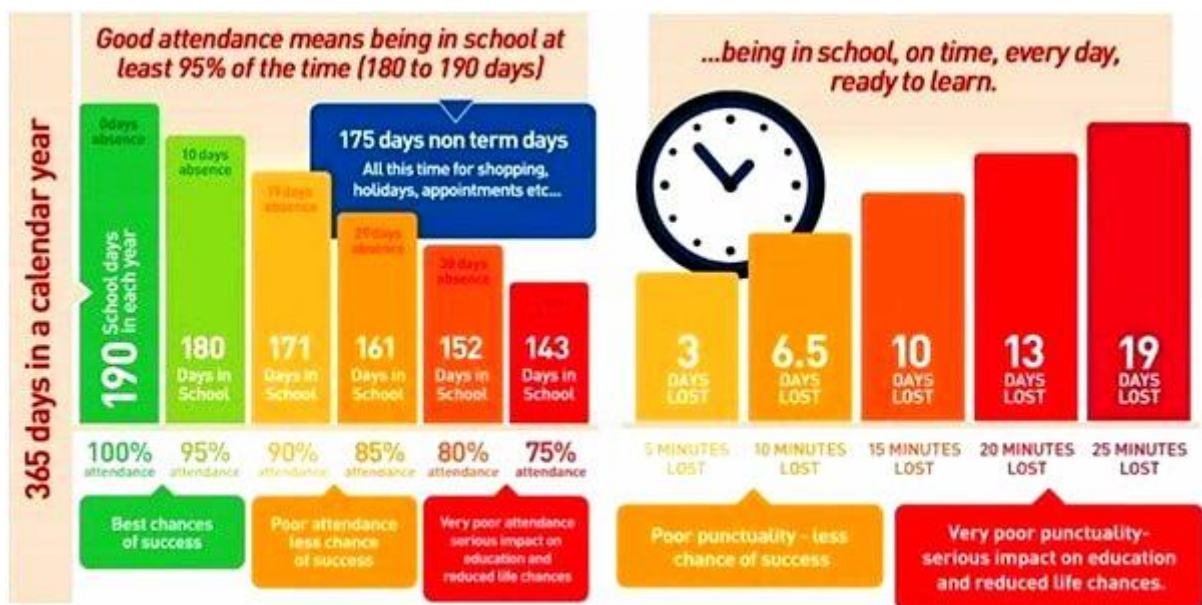


The government expectation for all schools is **96%+** attendance.

So far this year our overall school attendance is **95.2%**

As you can see, our attendance so far this year is currently below what is expected. Please support us by ensuring that your child attends as much as possible.

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



DID YOU KNOW? A two week holiday in term time means that the highest attendance you can achieve is **94.7%**

DID YOU KNOW? If you are 15 minutes late each day you will have missed a full 2 weeks of school in one year?





Brompton Cricket Club are once again holding the All Stars Cricket Coaching sessions. This is a fantastic opportunity to have fun and gain some key skills along the way. If you have taken part before, an email should have been sent to you, but if you are new to it, please follow this link to give more information and booking options.

<https://ecb.clubspark.uk/AllStars/Course/a78352ff-2bf5-42d4-92a9-8824921758e2>

If you require any further information please speak to Sarah Pateman on the playground or on 07743673706

