

NEWSLETTER

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Hi everybody,

I've got to start by saying a huge thank you to the children for approaching **Sports Day** on Tuesday with such enthusiasm and a smile on their faces. Thanks also to everybody who was able to attend. I know that the children and staff appreciated it hugely. It was great to see everybody together.

I must also say a huge thank you to the **Friends of the School** for organising our **Summer Fair**, and of course to everybody who was able to contribute to this. Events like this take a huge amount of setting up and organisation, something which everybody in school is extremely grateful for. Ultimately the funds raised support the experiences that the school is able to offer for the children. As a school, we really do try to take every opportunity to broaden the children's horizons and give them the widest range of experiences possible to bring learning to life. Our Friends of the school are central to this.

Very much tied in with giving the children the widest range of experiences, thank you for the positive thoughts and comments regarding our fundraising for a **minibus**. I'll share any updates when I can- in the meantime we'll continue to approach local and national businesses to try to raise the funds required. Ultimately, as well as broadening the children's experiences, through **Wild School** we want them to leave us with the knowledge, skills and confidence to make a real difference in the future. **If you are aware of any businesses who might share this ethos and would possibly be in a position to help, please 'spread the word'!** I have a letter here at school which I could share.

On Wednesday the children enjoyed a visit from **Tom Palmer**, a successful author of children's books. It was great to hear them talk so enthusiastically about characters and stories. I know that this will have inspired them in some way in their own writing. Possibly more important, it helps to instil that life-long love of reading.

The children also enjoyed a **Water Safety Assembly** this week, delivered by Everyone Active. With so many rivers, lakes, and of course the sea nearby, it's so important for us to give the children these all-important reminders regarding keeping safe.

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 / 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



Class of '24 Leavers' Party

Don't Forget to let us know if you will be coming to the leavers' party on Friday 19th July – you can let us know how many people will be attending on ParentPay – we need numbers by Wednesday 19th June if possible please!



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.



We were delighted to have been able to support the whole school by contributing £134 to the trip to Bramcote Running Track!

The Summer Fair – Tuesday 11th June

Thank you to everyone who helped support the Summer Fair, whether it was baking cakes, donating prizes, helping with stalls or simply just being there. it was a fantastic afternoon and together we raised over £650 which is amazing.

The money will be spent on helping to support the children in their extra-curricular activities.

It was wonderful to see all the children taking part in sports day and trying their best, there were definitely lots of budding athletes who hopefully we could see in the Olympics in years to come!!!

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Week Activities w/c 17th June 2024

	Lunch	Clubs	Events
ALL WEEK			
Monday	Pizza Potato Wedges Peas & Sweetcorn OR Jacket Potato with a choice of filling and salad. ***** Waffle, Fruit & Ice-Cream	12:30 Recorder Club 3:30 Bootcamp	
Tuesday	Chicken Pitta Pocket Broccoli & Carrots OR Wholemeal Sandwich with a choice of filling and salad. ***** Fruit Muffins	12:30 School Council 3:30 Boccia Club	Transition Morning for New Reception Starters am – C2 and C3 Cricket with George Bentley – please come in to school in PE kit Euro 7 a side Football Tournament at Flamingoland Stadium
Wednesday	Sausage Rolls Cheese Straws Veg Sticks OR Wholemeal Sandwich with a choice of filling ***** Flapjack	12:30 Enterprise Club 3:30 Dance Club	WILD SCHOOL DAY! Drop off 0900 at Wydale Hall Collection 3:30 from Wydale Hall Please come to school in Forest Clothes and bring a packed lunch unless you have pre-ordered
Thursday	Sausage & Tomato Pasta Green Beans & Cauliflower Homebaked Garlic Flatbread OR Wholemeal Sandwich with a choice of filling and salad. ***** Chocolate Orange Sponge & Chocolate Sauce	12:30 Gardening Club 3:30 Sports Club (Class 2)	Transition Morning for New Reception Starters Pm - Swimming for Class 3
Friday	Fish Fingers Chips Ketchup Baked Beans & Peas Homemade Bread OR Jacket Potato with a choice of filling and salad. OR Ham Sandwich & Salad ***** Summer Drizzle Cake	3:30 Sports Club (Class 3)	Class 3 Trip to Wykeham Water Park - drop off and pick up from the Water Park and bring a packed lunch unless you have pre-ordered



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 3th June
SUMMER 2024	Friday 19th July	Wednesday 4th September 2024
<p>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</p>		

*NEW THIS WEEK

- 17th Jun - C2 and C3 Cricket with George Bentley
- 19th Jun – First WILD DAY @ Wydale Hall
- 19th/20th June– Lady Lumley’s Transition Days
- 21st Jun – Class 3 trip to Wykeham Water Park
- w/c 24th June – Enterprise Week
- 1/2nd July – Bikeability for Year 6
- 2nd July – Class 1&2 Trip to Scampston Hall
- 3rd July – C3 Sponsored Bike Ride
- 4th July – Lady Lumley’s Transition Day
- 5th July – Move Up Day
- 9th July - Olympic Dance workshop (am)
- 12th July – Class 3 End of Year Production
- 16th July - Summer Celebration Lunch
- 17-18th July – Year 6 Residential to Boggle Hole
- 19th July – last day of term

NEXT SCHOOL YEAR

- 4th Sept 2024 – Back to school
- 16th Oct 2024 – School Photos (Individual)
- 9th – 11 Dec 2024 – Peat Rigg Residential for Years 3-6
- 17th Dec 2024 – Whole School Trip -Cinderella at Scarborough Spa
- 8th May 2025 – Class Photos



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!



Term Dates (Academic Year 2024-25)

2024 - 2025 YEAR	Break up	Return to School
AUTUMN TERM 2024		Tuesday 4th September
OCT HALF TERM 2024	Friday 25th October	Monday 4th November
CHRISTMAS 2024	Friday 20th December	Wednesday 7th January
FEB HALF TERM 2025	Friday 14th February	Monday 24th February
EASTER 2025	Friday 4th April	Tuesday 22nd April
MAY BANK HOLIDAY 2025	Friday 2nd May	Tuesday 6th May
MAY HALF TERM 2025	Friday 23rd May	Monday 2nd June
SUMMER 2025	Friday 18th July	tbc

**Teacher Training Days 2024/2025 : 2nd&3rd September, 6th January and 21st&22nd July.
Please avoid booking holidays and other non-essential term-time absence during these term dates**

ANNUAL BUDGETING HELP 2024/2025

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 alter, ad hoc 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 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 '24	Autumn Term 2 Oct – Dec '24	Spring Term 1 Jan – Feb '25	Spring Term 2 Feb – Mar '25	Summer Term 1 Apr – May '25	Summer Term 2 Jun – Jul '25
Class 1 Trip MacMillan Coffee morning fundraiser Harvest Festival (food donations) Whole School Individual Photos (16 th Oct)	Class 2 Trip Class 3 Trip FRIENDS – Xmas Fair Whole School Panto Poppy Appeal (£ donations) Children in Need – no donation Y3-6 Peat Rigg residential (9-11 th December) Save the Children Christmas Jumper Day – no donation C1&2 Christmas performance	Class 1 & 2 Swimming Class 1 Trip	Class 2 Trip Class 3 Trip	Whole School Photos (8 th May) Class 3 Swimming Class 2 Trip Class 3 Trip	Yr6 Trip fundraiser FRIENDS – Summer Fair Class 1 Trip Whole School Trip

Term Dates (Academic Year 2025-26)

2025-2025 YEAR	Break Up	Return to School
AUTUMN TERM 2025		Wednesday 3rd September
OCT HALF TERM 2025	Friday 24th October	Monday 3rd November
CHRISTMAS 2025	Friday 19th December	Tuesday 6th January
FEB HALF TERM 2026	Friday 13th February	Monday 23rd February
EASTER 2026	Friday 27th March	Tuesday 14th April
MAY BANK HOLIDAY 2026	Friday 1st May	Tuesday 5th May
MAY HALF TERM 2026	Friday 22nd May	Monday 1st June
SUMMER 2026	Friday 17th July	

**Teacher Training Days 2025/2026 : 1st & 2nd September; 5th January; 13th April and 20th July.
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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 **95.25%**

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.

Parents' View and Wraparound Care Survey

There is still time to send us your views!

You should have received an email with a link to a Google Forms Survey. Please can we ask you to complete this as it will support us in reviewing our wraparound care and extra-curricular offer for 24/25, and get parents' views on school over the past year.

Please can you complete 1 form per pupil that attends school to support us in accurately analysing the data and predict future club numbers.

The deadline for completing the survey is **next Friday, 21st June**.

The form can be found here: <https://forms.gle/VjLm32XKSkUsLu319>

Thank you for your help with this.



Please do check your ParentPay accounts regularly. Wraparound care should be paid for at the time of booking (unless you are using childcare vouchers), and after school club places should be paid for on allocation of a place. We still have a number of outstanding balances that need to be cleared. Please get in touch if you have any concerns regarding the clearing of any outstanding balances.

Please can we request that you book all Buddies sessions in advance directly through ParentPay

In order to book please follow the instructions below:

Bookings must be made per event type and per child-

- Early Breakfast Buddies (7.45am – 8.40am) £4.00
- Standard Breakfast Buddies (8.00am – 8.40am) £3.00
- Standard Afternoon Buddies (3.30pm – 4.30pm) £3.00
- Late Afternoon Buddies (3.30pm – 5.30pm) £5.00

Cut off times for booking will be 30 minutes before the session starts. Any last minute, emergency bookings can still be made by contacting the school office directly (01723 859359)

Instructions:

1. Go to www.parentpay.com and log in
2. Select the child you wish to make the booking for
3. Select Bookings
4. Select Make or View bookings
5. Select the time of day that you wish to make a booking for:
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6. Select the week to view
7. Select make or view bookings
8. Make the required bookings
9. A summary will then be displayed at the bottom of the page with any previous unpaid bookings shown in red.
WARNING: Any bookings must be confirmed and paid for within 2 hours of selecting them. Failure to do so will result in the bookings being automatically cancelled.
10. Review the booking summary, and then select Confirm Booking
11. Any credit in your Parent Pay account can be used to pay for clubs. Any remaining costs can then be paid in your usual way.

Your child's account must be in credit to make a booking. The session charge will only be deducted once the session has taken place. If a session is booked and there are no funds, you will be sent a ParentPay warning to add funds. If funds are not submitted, the session will automatically get cancelled.

If your child is ill or you wish to change a session on the day it is due to take place, these changes will be made by school and you will not be charged. Please let the office know (01723 859 359).

YEAR 6 PARENTS - please do look at your ParentPay accounts regularly to check balances, as these will all need to be cleared before the end of the Summer term. Thanks for your help with this.



A Wild Ride Towards Wild School!

As you know, our school is raising funds for the purchase of a minibus that will open up a world of outdoor learning opportunities for our students.

Our innovative Wild School program is cultivating the next generation of environmental stewards by immersing our children in nature. However, our remote location makes it challenging to venture far beyond our village to apply these vital conservation lessons in diverse habitats.

A minibus will be a game-changer! We'll be able to safely transport students to forests, rivers, beaches and more - utilising these living classrooms to study flora, fauna, wilderness survival skills and conservation issues up close. The minibus will also allow seamless access to playing fields for PE and sports, prioritising physical activity and health.

But the benefits extend beyond just our students. We plan to share this valuable resource with other local community groups like the Scouts and cricket club. The minibus will unite our village's environmental efforts.

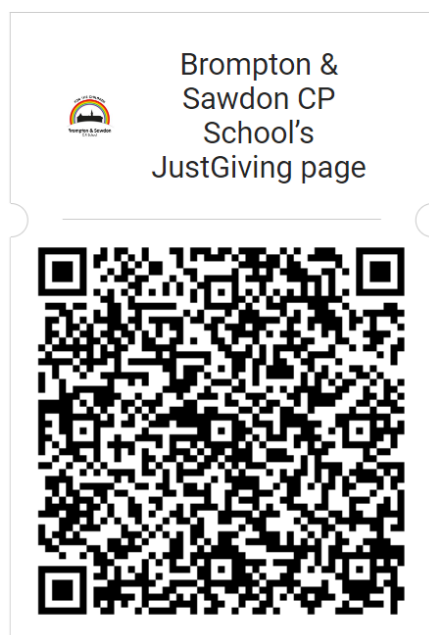
Our fundraising goal is an ambitious £25,000. Every contribution will quite literally mobilise our kids into the wild! Preparing today's youth to protect our planet's future is a priceless investment.

We hope you'll join us in making this minibus a reality! If you know any local businesses who share our ethos, please do let them know about our fundraising efforts, or share the JustGiving link below!

https://www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/bromptonsawdon-cpschoolminibus?utm_term=xkED4vaYy

Or you can also scan the QR code below.

Full steam ahead! towards empowering the next generation of environmental champions!



Get ready for FEAST: Free holiday activities and meals this Summer for eligible families

FEAST offers holiday activities and healthy meals to children and young people this summer holiday. All families are welcome to join in, with free places for eligible children and young people.

This summer, demand for FEAST places may be high. Please look out for your voucher, which you should receive via email or text from HolidayActivities on **Monday 17th June – please check your junk folder if you are expecting a voucher**. Bookings will go live on the same day - Monday 17th June.

We encourage families to log in and discover all the fantastic activities available, and to request their bookings as soon as possible.

If you believe your child is eligible and you have not yet received your voucher by Tuesday 18th June, or you have lost it, please contact the school office.

To learn more about FEAST, and for information on activities, eligibility and how to manage your bookings, [visit the FEAST website](#) where you will find a step-by-step guide on how to redeem your vouchers and book a place using HolidayActivities.



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SUMMER HOLIDAY ACTIVITIES

A selection of activities available in your area

<p>TA DA'NCE</p> <p>Get involved with different dance styles and fun team games!</p>	<p>KRASH LABS GAMING CLUB</p> <p>A fun and physical day of video gaming</p>	<p>WHISH HOLIDAY CLUB</p> <p>Experienced staff run a wide range of inclusive activities</p>
<p>DESAPLINE</p> <p>Enjoy exercise through martial arts, games and team challenges</p>	<p>CLOSER COMMUNITIES</p> <p>Everything from surfing to Lego, fossil hunting to building sandcastles</p>	<p>EAST BARNBY OUTDOOR LEARNING CENTRE</p> <p>Try different outdoor activities and develop new skills</p>

Book your **FREE** space now!

FEAST is available for all children and young people across North Yorkshire with free places and a free meal for eligible children and young people.

feastny.org

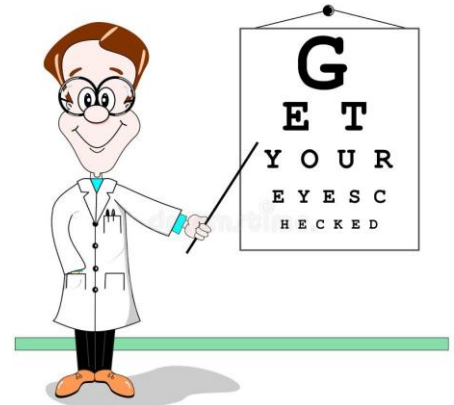
Eye Tests for Children

Help to look your child's eyes with free eye exams & more

As a parent or carer, you'll want to give any child the best start in life, which is why looking after their eyes is super important. Their vision helps them find out about you and the world around them – that's because 80% of a child's learning is through their sight. Eye tests are no longer done at school, so it is important for children to have regular eye tests.

An eye test will be able to tell you:

- How well your child can see
- How healthy their eyes are
- If there are any problems with your child's vision



Children often don't complain about their sight, but they may show signs of not being able to see clearly, such as:

- Sitting close to the TV
- Holding objects very close to their face
- Blinking a lot
- Rubbing their eyes

Did you know all children can get free NHS-funded eye tests until they turn 16? If your child needs glasses, you can also get an NHS voucher towards the cost. Contact your local optician for more details and to make an appointment.



OUT WITH STRANGER DANGER IN WITH CLEVER NEVER GOES



TEACH THE CLEVER OPTION AT HOME

CLEVER NEVER GOES is the new, child-friendly lesson that teaches children how to stay safe from abduction when they are outside (e.g. walking to or from school), or online.

It's been created to help parents/guardians talk to their children about staying safe in a simple way.

Instead of creating a fear of people it teaches them to recognise the danger in a situation, regardless of who's involved.

THE RULE:

If anyone asks you to go - even someone that you know - if it hasn't been agreed, remember: CLEVER NEVER GOES



The **CLEVER NEVER GOES** rule means children shouldn't go anywhere with anyone - even if they know them - if it hasn't been agreed in advance by a parent or guardian.

And please remember, children learn through repetition so make sure you remind them regularly of **CLEVER NEVER GOES** when they're going outside or online.

For more information, ideas and resources to have that clever conversation go to: clevernevergoes.org

WHY CHANGE?

Since it was introduced in the 1970's, the 'stranger danger' message has been fundamentally flawed.

Most strangers will help rather than harm a child, and many people that do pose a risk to children are not strangers.

Furthermore, it demands that all strangers should be treated with suspicion, which breeds fear in our communities. This has led to children spending less time outdoors, fuelling a rise in obesity and mental health problems.

Add to this, children are spending more time online, increasing their risk of being groomed. Now is the time for a new approach that creates safer, happier and healthier children.

Backed by more than 1,000 schools across the UK, **CLEVER NEVER GOES** is more practical than stranger danger and gives children the skills and confidence to safely explore their outdoor and online worlds without fear. And gives parents the reassurance to let them.

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This leaflet has been brought to you by the charity Action Against Abduction (registered no. 1081904) with the support of the Police and Crime Commissioner for Hampshire.



Clever Never Goes

The 'Clever Never Goes' programme has been developed to replace the out-dated 'stranger danger' approach. Research shows that teaching children simply to avoid strangers fails to keep them safe. Strangers are often more likely to help a child than to harm them. Conversely, it can often be people known to children that pose the greatest threat. 'Clever Never Goes' moves the focus away from strangers and instead teaches children to recognise when someone (whether they are known to the child or not) is trying to persuade them to go with them. The programme is designed to be fun and positive, whilst at the same time delivering a serious message and giving children practical safety skills and confidence to engage with the outside world.

You can help your child to understand the Clever Never Goes message. You can download (free of charge) a Clever Never Goes home pack at the website www.clevernevergoes.org/parents. The home pack contains some great ideas for how to approach this topic with your children as well as games and activities. On the website, you can also see a series of cartoon sketches which are a good way of reinforcing the Clever Never Goes message and checking that your child has understood the key Clever Never Goes message.

How to report your safety concerns

If you believe that a child is in immediate danger from significant harm, dial 999 to report it to the Police. If you are concerned about a child and they are not in immediate danger, you can call 01609 780780 to talk anonymously to a North Yorkshire duty Social Worker or call the NSPCC Helpline: 0808 800 5000 or email: help@NSPCC.org.uk.

A Universal Referral Form (along with further information about what to do if you are worried about a child) can be found on the North Yorkshire Safeguarding Children Partnership website: <https://www.safeguardingchildren.co.uk/about-us/worried-about-a-child/>

