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Newsletter

Spring Term 2022 1st April Letter 12



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Headteacher's notes...

We have finally made it to the end of the term and it has been good to welcome back more children and staff as the week has gone on. Despite the snow Reception enjoyed their walk and visit to St Mary Magdalene Church yesterday. Thank you to all those who volunteered to help as well. Next term we are looking forward to having more volunteers back in school on a regular basis to support the children.



I would like to thank all of the staff across both Brambles and the school for everything they have done this term. It has been challenging at times but also very successful with lots achieved. Let us hope that we can enjoy a normal summer term as there is so much to look forward to, hopefully with visits and sports days as well.

Next term the children return on Wednesday 20th April. Thank you for all your support once again – we do appreciate it. I wish you and your families a safe and happy Easter!

Science Week

This year's National Science Week is based on Growth and more information can be found at <https://www.britishtscienceweek.org/plan-your-activities/activity-packs/>

We are excited to be organising a Science Week School competition in the Week beginning 25th April 2022. We are hoping that during this week we can bring our school together to discuss a global problem and use our scientific brains and investigations to solve it. To help us do this, we are asking for clean and dry yoghurt pots and plastic drinks bottles (not milk bottles) to be brought into school no later than Friday 22nd April. Please could you send these items in with your child after our Easter holiday. Many thanks for your support.

Vacancy

We are currently recruiting Midday Supervisors to work for 5 lunchtimes a week, starting next term. Details can be found under 'Vacancies' on the school website.

PTA News

Bag2School

The Easter holidays are a perfect time to have a spring clear out and get some bags ready for the next Bag2School collection on Wednesday 27th April.

Platinum Jubilee Orders

Thank you for the orders that have already been placed for the Platinum Jubilee products. You have until Saturday 30th April to make your order and the products will be delivered to school before the Queen's Jubilee.



Cake Friday

Friday 29th April will be the first Cake Friday for a couple of years and for a number of you it will be your first one!

For this time, we will be asking for cake donations (please no nuts) from Brambles, Year 1, Year 3 and Year 5. Parents of children in these year groups please send your child to school on the morning of Friday 29th April with either homemade or shop-bought cupcakes, tray bakes or slices to their classrooms.

Please remember to label any containers that you would like back with your child's name and class and you can collect them from the school office the following Monday morning.

Everyone is welcome at the cake sale which will take place in the KS1 hall from 3pm, please access the hall through the office reception where there will be signs guiding the way. Cakes will be sold at 50p each or three for £1. All proceeds are going towards the £6,000+ needed for KS1 playground improvements.

In order for this event to run smoothly, we will need volunteers to be behind the tables selling the cakes. Please can you log into the sign up below to help us out. We are able to organise for your children to be brought over to the hall so that you do not need to wait for them on the playground if that helps.

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30E0B4CADA82AA2FB6-cake>

The PTA team thank you all for your support this term and we hope you have a fantastic Easter break!

Summer Term 2022

<i>Professional Day</i>	<i>Tuesday 19th April</i>	<i>staff training</i>
<i>Summer term begins</i>	<i>Wednesday 20th April</i>	<i>children return</i>
<i>May Bank Holiday</i>	<i>Monday 2nd May</i>	
<i>Summer half term</i>	<i>30th May – 3rd June</i>	
<i>Professional Day</i>	<i>Monday 6th June</i>	<i>staff training</i>
<i>Summer term ends</i>	<i>Thursday 21st July</i>	

We currently have a total of 7 confirmed cases.

Updated guidance from 1st April:

- Adults with the symptoms of a respiratory infection, and who have a high temperature or feel unwell, should try to stay at home and avoid contact with other people until they feel well enough to resume normal activities and they no longer have a high temperature.
- Children and young people who are unwell and have a high temperature should stay at home and avoid contact with other people. They can go back to school, college or childcare when they no longer have a high temperature, and they are well enough to attend.
- Adults with a positive COVID-19 test result should try to stay at home and avoid contact with other people for 5 days, which is when they are most infectious. For children and young people aged 18 and under, the advice will be 3 days.

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Messy Church
Easter

Welcome to Messy Church
Good Friday 15th April
10.30 am - 12 noon
in
Grafham Village Hall

 

Messy Church worship is for everyone especially family groups.
There are various crafts, worship songs, Bible story and a talk, followed by a simple buffet meal.
We look forward to meeting you.