



Brookland Junior School Newsletter

'Be kind, be respectful, be the best that you can be'

02.02.2024

The Brookland Headteacher's Awards

Well done to all the children who were awarded a Headteacher's Awards this week - we are proud of you all!

	Being Kind Award	Being Respectful/ Rights Respecting Award	Being the best that you can be Award	The Risk Taker Award
Year 3	Robin	Harshni	Henry	Lejla
Year 4	Rashard	David	George	Cavan
Year 5	Daisy	Mollie	Harrison	Annie
Year 6	Lenny	Celeste	Aaron	Aras
OPAL Award	Aaron in Sycamore - for always being helpful, especially in social club			

Young Voices Concert at the O2

On Tuesday evening, our Year 5 and 6 Young Voices choir performed at the O2 Arena. The 33 children who took part were part of a 8000 strong children's choir, with many schools participating. Our children were fantastic and were a huge credit to the school. It was a long day but they all put in a lot of effort into rehearsals and then smashed it during the live performance. Thank you so much to their families who came to watch the performance, it was a truly memorable night! A huge thank you to Mrs Greathead, Mrs Gilder and Miss Carruthers who have spent many months rehearsing with the children and then supporting them at their final performance. We look forward to doing it all again next year!

Girls' Football Match

Well done to our girls football team who played Churchfield at home yesterday. The girls played brilliantly and beat Churchfield 16-0! Goals came from Lexie (4 goals), Thea (3 goals), Phoebe (3 goals), Eloise (3 goals), Carys (1 goal), Maisie (1 goal), Tiarna-Lee (1 goal), with several goals assisted by Betsy. Lorelei captained the team and earnt herself another clean sheet in goal. Well done to all the girls!

OPAL Update

We are continuing to grow our lunchtime outside provision, to give children more opportunities to do various exciting activities. You may have seen the new shed that has been built on the small playground this week. Our next step is to purchase some new bikes and scooters for the children to play on. Miss Carruthers has been speaking to all the children about what they would like to have on the playground and we are trying to incorporate as many of their ideas as we can.

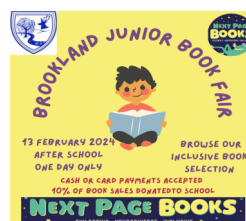
Miss Carruthers has also introduced the OPAL lunchtime award and the first one goes to: Aaron in Sycamore class for always being helpful, especially in social club.

Reminder - Book Fair

Please come and support the 'Next Page Books' Book Fair that will be held after school on Tuesday 13th February in the school hall. 10% of book sales will be donated to the school so your support will be greatly appreciated.

Reminders:

1. Weekly home learning attached
2. The children are loving the activities at lunchtimes but please can we ask that children bring in wellies during this muddy weather to allow them to go on to the grass area.



Key dates:

Fri 9th Feb - Pine class assembly @ 9:30am

Fri 9th Feb - Elm class assembly @ 2:30pm

Tues 13th Feb - Book Fair

Fri 16th Feb - Chestnut class assembly @ 9:30am

Mon 19th - Fri 23rd Feb - HALF TERM

Fri 8th March - Willow class assembly @ 9:30am

Fri 15th March - Redwood class assembly @ 9:30am

Fri 15th March - Red Nose Day

Fri 22nd March - Birch class assembly @ 9:30am

Thurs 28th March - last day of term. School finishes at 1:25pm

Mon 15th April - Children back to school

PE DAYS

Year 3 - Monday & Tuesday

Year 4 - Tuesday & Thursday

Year 5 - Wednesday & Thursday

Year 6 - Monday & Wednesday

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