

NOTICES & REMINDERS

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Volunteer safeguarding

If you would like to volunteer with us, we are holding a safeguarding meeting on $2^{\rm nd}$ October at 8.45am. Please email the office if you would like to attend.

Parent Consultations

Main school consultations are now on Scopay available for you to book your preferred time slot. Please ensure you book one. Please note that Pre-School slots will be available soon.

Harvest Festival

We will be having our Harvest Festival celebration on Wednesday 9th October in the school hall. The assembly for the main school will be for 20 minutes and all parents/carers are welcome to join us. Please can your child bring a donation of any of the following items on the Friday morning - items of long life food (e.g. tinned meat, fish, pasta, vegetables), plus toiletries and household cleaning products and baby products (nappies, milk, food etc.) Nursery & Pre-School will be doing their own harvest celebration within class time and also encourage children to come in with donations.



For those of you who are new to the school or are unsure about the role of the PTFA, I would encourage you to come along to our AGM on 2nd October at 7.30 pm in the school hall.

During this meeting we will give an overview of our fundraising achievements in the past 12 months, elect new officers for the coming year and discuss any ideas we have for future fundraising.

We would love to see lots of you there. (By attending the AGM you are not committing to join the PTFA, but of course we would be thrilled if you did!)

Charlie, Laura, Emily & and the PTFA team 💙



School Lunches

Please remember to order your child's lunches for this half of term ©

Nursery

We had a wonderful week looking at the leaves and fur cones in our tuff tray with magnifying glasses and balancing on the assault course in the hall.

Next week we will go up into the school garden to look for signs of Autumn. Please can your child have wellington boots or suitable footwear. Have a great weekend.

Pre School

We have had another super week in Pre School. We have been thinking about what makes us individual or the same as others. We have also been exploring our feelings using the lovely book 'Super Duper you'.

Next week we will use the 'Funnybones' story to help us identify different parts of our body. We will even learn a dance that I'm sure your child will love to show you at home! Have a great weekend everyone.

Reception

We've had another lovely week despite having to dodge showers in our outside area. We are all enjoying learning our sounds and we are now using what we know to begin to blend. Do look out for both the sounds sheets and the word time 'masdt' blending sheet which are coming home today in Home Learning packets. Please practice blending sounds into words with your child: it's such an important skill. Apologies, but there will be no Outdoor Learning again next week (Monday 30th September) so no wellies needed. Mrs Miles is looking forward to restarting on Monday 7th October.

Year 1

This week in Year one we have started to use number lines to count forwards and backwards from a given number.

We have written our own version of 'The Story Tree' and enjoyed talking about rights and responsibilities in PSHE.

Year 2

Year two has had a busy week of learning. In maths, we have been applying the mathematical vocabulary greater than, fewer than and equal to when comparing numbers as well as using number lines to make estimations. In English we are continuing to read through the story of The Lonely Beast, with a focus on using conjunctions to extend our sentences in our writing responses.

I have come to learn that we are a class of wonderful artists, with the outcomes of exploring different sketching techniques resulting in an abundance of impressive moth sketches! I can't wait to see how these skills develop in the coming year.

Finally, a reminder that we will be beginning to craft our own model castles next Wednesday (02/08/24) in DT, so do keep bringing in recycled materials for us to use in our constructions.

items could include cardboard, plastic bottles and product containers, newspaper etc.

Have a great weekend!

Dates for Diary

Please note that dates in bold may have been added or changed since our last notices.

October

- 2nd Volunteer safeguarding meeting at 8.45am
- 2nd PTFA AGM Meeting at 7.30pm in the hall. (Entry through the Birtley Road gate only)
- 3rd National Poetry Day
- 3rd Year 2 Fire Safety Visit of an Education Officer from Surrey Fire & Rescue Service
- 3rd Prospective parents school tour at 1.30pm
- 7th World Space Week
- 11th Prospective parents school tour at 9.30am
- 9th Harvest Assembly at 8.45am in the hall Main School parents welcome to join

13th Holy Trinity Church, Bramley, Harvest Festival

- 16th Flu vaccinations (main school)
- 22nd Parent consultations 9am 11am in the hall
- 23rd Parent consultations at 3.30 6.20pm in the hall
- 25th Children break up for half term holiday

November

- 4th INSET DAY
- 5th Children return to school
- 6th Prospective parents school tour at 9.30am
- 11th Anti Bullying Week
- 14th Individual school photos
- 15th Children In Need
- 20th Prospective parents school tour at 9.30am
- 27th Pause morning

December

- 20th Children break up for Christmas holidays
- 11th Nursery & Pre-School Christmas production at 9.15am in the hall
- 11th Main school Christmas play at 1.45pm in the hall
- 12th Main school Christmas play at 9.15am in the hall
- 18th Christmas jumper day & Class Christmas parties
- 18th Phyllis Tuckwell reindeer / elf run at 9am

January

- 6th Inset Day
- 7th Children return to school
- 27th Holocaust Memorial Day
- 30th National Story Telling Week Starts

February

- 3rd National storytelling week
- 3rd Children's mental health week
- 12th Year 1 trip to Spectrum sports event
- 17th Half term week
- 24th INSET day

March

- 5th Year 2 trip to Spectrum sports event
- 6th World book day children to come in dressed up
- 10th British science week
- 19th 21st Traveling book fair
- 21st Red Nose Day for Comic Relief
- 28th National Skipping Day
- 4th End of term children finish at 1.15pm

For a full listing of dates for your diary please refer to the School website calendar: https://www.bramley.surrey.sch.uk/calendar/?calid=1,2,3&pid=11&viewid=26

School Term and Holiday Dates

2024 - 2025

Autumn Term 2024 Spring Term 2025 Summer Term 2025

02/09/24 to 20/12/24 06/01/25 -04/04/25 22/04/25 – 18/ 07/25

Half Term: 28/10/24 - 01/11/24 Half Term: 17/02/25 - 21/02/25 Half Term: 26/05/25 - 30/05/25

INSET DAY: 02/09/24, INSET DAY: 06/01/25, 24/02/25 INSET DAY:

03/09/24, 04/11/24

2025 – 2026

Autumn Term 2025 Spring Term 2026 Summer Term 2026

Half term: 27/10/23 – 31/10/23 Half term: 16/02/24 – 20/02/24 Half term: 25/05/24 – 29/05/24

INSET Day: TBC INSET Day: TBC INSET Day: TBC

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Lessons available at Cranleigh Golf Club, Duke of Kent School Ewhurst, St Catherine's School **Bramley**

Swim Safe Would like to offer 1 FREE lesson to all *new swimmers to Swim Safe only



Free Trial Session and £40 discount at Perform Popular children's drama and dance school Perform is offering a Free Trial Session and a special introductory discount of £40 for members of Bramley Church of England **School** if they sign up by Saturday 25th January. Parents should quote BRAM2025 when they book their free session by going to perform.org.uk/try or calling 020 7255 9120. You can find out more about the classes at perform.org.uk/try. Alternatively, pdf flyers can

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Gosden Links Coffee Morning

Thursday 3 October

9am to Noon
Rigton Cottage,
Links Road,
Bramley - look out for the balloons!

Join us for coffee and cake and help us send Gosden House School to the pantomime this Christmas!





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