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## Weekly Newsletter: week ending Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> March 2023

What a busy week we have had at Bromstone! The children looked amazing in their World Book Day costumes, such a wonderful effort from everyone. The children have been enjoying various World Book Day activities throughout the day. Attached to this newsletter is a poster with ideas of how to share books with your children. The children have also received a free book today from The Classroom Children's Bookshop and Tuition, bookshop in Westgate and also have their World Book Day voucher to collect a further free book. Details of where they can get another book for free is on the voucher.



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Thank you to The Classroom Children's Bookshop and Tuition for providing each child with a free book and the book voucher.



We mentioned last week that our overarching question this term, for the whole school is “What makes our environment so special?” The children have been decorating their own environments throughout the week and as you can see have done a fabulous job!





Thank you for your generous donations for the cake sale, year 4 did a great job running the stalls! Mrs Wood asked us to say a big thank you to everyone that brought in cakes and to everyone who bought a cake!



The children have loved the bagels on the gates in the morning, this is part of The National School Breakfast Programme. We are hoping to run this every day whilst this initiative is available.



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Thank you for your co-operation on the year 3,4 and 5 entrance gate in the mornings. Please can I remind all families again that if you want to leave a message for your child's class teacher, you can speak to Ms Sturges who will be on the gate every day.

### Upcoming events

#### Cross Country

Thanet Schools Cross Country takes place tomorrow at Quex Park. Good luck to all of the children who are running tomorrow! Have fun!

#### Red Nose Day

Red Nose Day will be Friday 17<sup>th</sup> March. We will be wearing *something red* for a small donation.

#### World Down Syndrome Day

World Down Syndrome Day is 21<sup>st</sup> March. Details of how we will be celebrating this will follow.

#### Science Event

##### **Science Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> March**

**Location:** Hall. (Enter through the Office from the side gate)

**Time:** Between 3.15pm– 4.15pm. You can stay as little or as long as you like within the hour.

**Price:** £1 per family. All proceeds will go back into buying Science resources for the children.

#### Please note:

Due to the shortage of tomatoes and cucumbers there will be some slight changes in the children's school packed lunches. As soon as these food items become available we will return to the usual packed lunches.

Please do not send Prime drinks bottles in to school.

Please can you ensure that children are not bringing SMART or interactive watches to school.

**This is a reminder that Breakfast Club starts at 8am, please arrive for an 8am entry as that is when the gates are opened for all of the children for 5 minutes.** If for any reason you are running late, please can you buzz and wait to be let through the gate. Please do not accompany your child in to breakfast club. If you think your child may need assistance coming in please let us know when you buzz through.

### Clubs

Please note for this term Year 3/4 Sports Academy will be on Mondays after school and year 5/6 Dodgeball is on Wednesdays after school.

[School Clubs | Bromstone Primary School \(bromstoneschool.com\)](http://bromstoneschool.com)

### Reminders for families

Please click on the link to access our uniform policy. [Uniform | Bromstone Primary School \(bromstoneschool.com\)](http://bromstoneschool.com) If there are any issues at all with uniform or PE kit please feel free to contact our Family Liaison Office, Nichola Sturges.



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## **Term 4 PE**

**All children need shorts and t-shirt for their indoor PE lesson as well as their tracksuit for their outdoor PE lesson.**

Children in Key Stage 2 need football boots this term for their PE lessons. These do not need to be expensive football boots, lots of children have used and borrowed football boots; they must have plastic studs *and not* metal studs and must be football boots and not astros.

## **For information**

Please be aware that if you would like your child to have paracetamol and/or ibuprofen during the school day, we would advise that you are available to come in to school to administer this. If your child is prescribed antibiotics from the Doctor, we can administer one of the doses if it to be taken 4 times a day. Medicines need to be in a named box and there is an online form that needs to be filled in. Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

The gates are only open from 8.40-8.50 am. We will be promptly shutting the gates at 8.50am. Please ensure that your children are on time.

If you need to talk to a member of staff please phone the office or email [hello@bromstone.kent.sch.uk](mailto:hello@bromstone.kent.sch.uk)

Yours sincerely,

Toni Moon and Emma Ribbans – Heads of School

