# Bromstone Weekly Newsletter Week Ending: 19<sup>th</sup> May, 2023

This has been a wonderful week of trips for the children at Bromstone. Year 5 visited Hever Castle on Tuesday to deepen their knowledge and experience some context around their topic of The Tudors. The children had the most wonderful time and the children have been telling us about the history of the castle and the beautiful paintings inside.











Year R went to Wingham Wildlife Park yesterday. They all had a wonderful time learning about all of the different animals. The children were an absolute credit to themselves and to Bromstone. Well done everyone in Year R!

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### Royal Shakespeare Company

Our budding actors and actresses from year 5 have visited their performance site at Gunpowder Works in Faversham today. These talented Bromstone students are working with The Royal Shakespeare Company and are getting ready for their big performance in June!



# Thanet Riding Disabled Centre

Thanet Disabled Riding Centre - The People's Project

As I'm sure lots of families know we have a longstanding relationship with the Thanet Disabled Riding Centre. Children from Bromstone visit the centre on a regular basis and have done so for many years. This Centre is a charity that provides horse riding and therapy sessions to our local disabled community. Last Thursday it was announced that the Thanet Disabled Riding Centre has been shortlisted for The People's Project's funding which is £63,000 of funding to help with the project's essential running costs. If successful the funding would go towards the centre's running costs, costing around £150 a day to run the centre. The money would also hopefully allow them to



expand services by allowing the purchase of another pony to join the team!

In able to gain this funding the Centre need votes from the general public and lots of them! Voting is now open until the 12pm on the 26<sup>th</sup> of May. Please, please can we support this wonderful local charity.

Children can vote too but require parental permission.

Please see the attached letter for more details.

# Upcoming Events

There will be a meeting next week for year 5 parents regarding the 11 plus process. This meeting will be straight after school in the hall and will last approximately 20 minutes.

Next week is the final week of term 5.

Year R Sports Day 23<sup>rd</sup> June (am – times to be confirmed)

Years 1, 2 and 3 Sports Day 29<sup>th</sup> June (am for inclusive events, pm for competitive events. Parents will be informed if their child is competing in the afternoon events).

Years 4, 5 and 6 Sports Day 30<sup>th</sup> June (am for inclusive events, pm for competitive events. Parents will be informed if their child is competing in the afternoon events).

# **Reminders**

### <u>Please either phone or email the office for</u> messages that you need to pass on to us. We will not automatically receive text messages.

Please click <u>here</u> to access our uniform policy. If there are any issues at all with uniform or PE kit please feel free to contact our Family Liaison Officer, Nichola Sturges.



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### For Information

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.

#### Breakfast Club

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.

#### <u>Clubs</u>

Please check the website for this term's after school clubs <u>School Clubs</u>

For more information and news please visit our <u>website</u>.

If you need to talk to a member of staff please phone the office or email hello@bromstone.kent.sch.uk