



Braunstone Community Primary School

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School Newsletter



27th May 2022

Message from Mr T

Hello everyone,



We have made it! It has been a short but jam packed half term. The key highlights have been the year 6 residential to Beaumanor Hall – I visited the children whilst they were there and they were having the time of their lives. Memories they will keep for ever! It is important to say that the staff did an amazing job making the residential the best one this school has ever offered. Next year's is already booked!

Another highlight was our visit from Rock Kidz – they helped us sing and dance our way to feeling good about ourselves and our uniqueness! We will always provide the best experiences for our children... you can see ALL of the amazing things we do here at BCPS on our website <https://www.braunstone.leicester.sch.uk/trips-and-experiences/>

I hope you have a wonderful and restful half term!

Remember we are always here for you too.

Diary Dates

Yr6 Music Trip Demontfort Hall—Tues 22nd June

FS2 Bradgate Park Trip—Weds 23rd June

Summer Fair—Sat 25th June

Last day of term before Summer holiday—Thurs 7th

Attendance

We are keeping a very close eye on attendance and can't stress enough how **important it is that children are in school everyday and on time.**

If your child is off school please make sure you ring the school office to let them know ASAP.

Attendance Winners this half term are:

Foundation: FSH (Willow Class) 91.9%

Key Stage 1: 2LD/LF 94.9%

Lower Key Stage 2: 4CJ 94.8%

Upper Key Stage 2: 6RAR 97.5%

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BCPS Summer Fayre
Come and join us at our Summer Fayre
At BCPS on Saturday 25th June
10am—1pm



It will be a fun-filled family day raising money for the school. There will be stalls, games, tomabolas, soak the teacher, refreshments and much much more ...

We can't wait to see you there!



Last week our school hall was transformed into a real life rock concert by the amazing 'Rock Kidz'! All our year groups had chance to take part in sessions in the hall learning the new Rock Kidz song 'YASBA' (You are awesome so be awesome) and dance and have fun to lots of other songs too. We even had staff up at the front and joining in rock battles where the children voted for their winners! We ended the day with a whole school celebration in the hall! It was an amazing experience and we can't wait to welcome 'Rock Kidz' back next year.



Year 6 Residential



Many of our Year 6 pupils had an fantastic time last week on their residential at Beaumanor Hall. They had an action packed few days with many, many activities including; the high ropes, canoeing, archery, night lines, games, team building activities, a murder mystery, disco and much, much more. The children and staff came back full of stories and amazing memories they had made on the trip!



Year 5 explore Ancient Egypt

Year 5 had an amazing day with a visit from the Ancient Egyptians history specialists. They took part in a mummification process, making amulets and learning how to play Mancala which is the oldest game in the world. The children loved it and learnt lots of information to use in their writing! We were so proud of how they represented our school and demonstrated our values.



SPORTS NEWS

This week some of our Year 6 pupils went to visit Saffron Lane to take part in an athletics competition. They all took part in a range of events and represented the school brilliantly.

A big shout out to ... our **girls relay team** who finished in **3rd place** in the final.

Nazir who finished in **4th place in the boys' 75m** final.

Nina who finished in **2nd place in the girls' 75m** final.

We are very proud of all of you!

Year 3 travel back to Ancient Greece

Our Year 3 children travelled back in time last week to explore the life of the Ancient Greeks. They had a brilliant day with a visit from a history expert where they experienced and learnt about the origin of the Olympic games, ancient artefacts, how people used ink to write, the Ancient Greek army—their formations, weapons and armor and much more. The children have used all this new knowledge to create power point presentations to show their learning.



Year 1 visit the local church

On Tuesday 17th May Year 1 went to visit St Peters Church in Braunstone. They learnt about Christianity and what Christians believe. They were able to explore the church with the Church Wardens through a scavenger hunt. The children were also able to learn about and handle the objects Christians use to worship and order the story of Jesus. They will continue their learning about Christianity back in school in their RE lessons.



If you have children aged 0-5 and are looking for activities or groups to join, visit the website link below for more details:

<https://thesparkarts.co.uk/events>



Toddler Play Days

Creative Summer Fun for 0-5 years

Make friends and make music at these fun, free sessions. Join The Spark as we sing, play, move, dance and smile together!

FREE
just drop in

African Caribbean Centre
Maidstone Rd, Leicester LE2 0UA
To book call 0116 221 1793 or just drop in.

Monday Mornings
16 & 23 May, 6 & 13 June 10am to 12pm

Beaumont Leys Library
Beaumont Way, Beaumont Leys, Leicester LE4 1DS

Monday Afternoons
16 & 23 May, 6 & 13 June 1pm to 3pm

NO NEED TO BOOK - Just drop in!



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Hurry - get in touch with the school office as soon as possible to secure a place for your child in our caring and happy school.

We are taking applications for Foundation 1 for August 2022, apply directly to the school office in person or by phone 0116 2858130, if your child was born between 1st September 2018 and 31st August 2019.

We also have limited places now in Foundation 2, Year 2, 3 and 5 – applications should be made directly to Leicester City Council, Admissions on-line. leicester.gov.uk/admissions

What we offer:

- ✓ An Ofsted (2019) rated **GOOD** provision. (full report can be found on our website)
- ✓ An established Pastoral Team ready to support you and your child.
- ✓ Dedicated, friendly and amazing school staff.
- ✓ A stimulating and engaging learning environment.
- ✓ A free welcome to school pack including: A bookbag, 2 jumpers and selection of reading books.



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