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# Newsletter

## September 7th 2018



Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome back to this new school year. I hope you all had a very restful break over the summer and enjoyed time with your families. A special welcome to all our new starters and their families who have spent time this week preparing for full-time school next week. We are really looking forward to working with you during this important stage in your child's education.

It is great to be back in school and to hear about all the exciting things that your children have been doing during the holidays. The children have come back raring to go and ready to learn - we are very proud of them.

The Summer Reading Challenge, Mischief Makers ends **THIS** Saturday (8<sup>th</sup> September) so children need to return their books to the library so that they can have their hard-earned medal. We will be celebrating their achievements in our Celebration Assemblies this term.

Have a very good weekend.

Yours sincerely,

Susan Gill

### Attendance Update

Every week we will publish our attendance data for the previous week in this space.

Our whole school target is to improve attendance. Sadly, we are falling short of our target of 96% attendance. One of the reasons for this is the large number of holidays taken during term time. Please be aware that leave of absence for family holidays will not be agreed and please consider very carefully the impact on your child's education before taking them out of school during term time.

This year we will be celebrating good attendance in a number of ways:

- The first celebration assemblies of each half term (starting after October half term) will include certificates presented to those children with 100% attendance during the previous half term. Parents will receive letters celebrating good attendance and classes with a weekly attendance rate of 100% will receive stickers and their achievement will be posted on Class Dojo.

Please do support us in our drive to improve attendance.

### Don't Forget

Copies of all newsletters and other important information are available on our school website  
[www.broomfield.n-yorks.sch.uk](http://www.broomfield.n-yorks.sch.uk)  
Follow us on Twitter @BroomfieldCP

### Autumn Term Dates for your Diary

#### September

3 <sup>rd</sup>	Staff Training Day
4 <sup>th</sup>	School opens 8.50am
10 <sup>th</sup>	Bikeability for Y6 group 1
17 <sup>th</sup>	Bikeability for Y6 group 1 day 2 Judo taster sessions
18 <sup>th</sup>	Judo taster sessions
26 <sup>th</sup>	Assembly with Hayley from the Methodist Church

#### October

8-12 <sup>th</sup>	Y6 Visit Bewerley Park
17 <sup>th</sup>	Bikeability for Y6 group 2
18 <sup>th</sup>	Bikeability for Y6 group 3 School Photos
24 <sup>th</sup>	Assembly with Hayley Bikeability for Y6 group 2 day 2
25 <sup>th</sup>	Bikeability for Y6 group 3 day 2

#### November

28 <sup>th</sup>	Flu vaccinations for R - Y5
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#### December

5 <sup>th</sup>	Choir visit to Macular Society
12 <sup>th</sup>	Assembly with Hayley
13 <sup>th</sup>	Christmas Fair & Book Fair
21 <sup>st</sup>	School Closes for Christmas Holidays

### Dinner Money

Children who have moved into Year 3, no longer qualify for the Universal Infant Free School Meals. You will have been sent a text message earlier this week with the login details & password for School Money so that you can pay for meals, swimming, trips and uniform on line.

### Week Commencing 10th September 2018

<b>Monday</b>	Assembly with Donneta & Hayley Bikeability for Group 1 Swimming lessons for KS2 children unable to swim 25m 3.30-4.30pm Mr Scaife's KS1 Multi sports club
<b>Tuesday</b>	pm County Music lessons for Guitar
<b>Wednesday</b>	Lunch time Explorers Club 3.30 pm Sewing Club KS2
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>KS2 Celebration Assembly</b> 3.30pm Cricket & Rounders Club KS2 3.30pm Fun and Games Club
<b>Friday</b>	pm County Music lessons for Violin & Keyboard 3.30pm KS2 Football with Mr Darcy

### COUNTY MUSIC LESSONS

These lessons start again next week. Guitar lessons will be on Tuesday afternoons and Violin & Keyboard on Friday afternoons. Please remember to bring in your instruments.  
The new guitar teacher is now Mr Rhodes.