

# BRUNDALL PRIMARY SCHOOL



JULY 2023

## Head Of School Welcome

What a busy but successful term we have had! There has been so much going on and in addition all year groups having had the opportunity to go on a school visit. Thank you to families for attending the Singalong & Fete and the Phase Sporting events – both of which, I hope you agree, were great successes. I would like to say a big thank you to the adults involved.

The Year 6 assembly was just gorgeous, the children demonstrated their fantastic communication skills, their beautiful singing and just how cute they were in Reception. I know that this can be a time of mixed emotions, but we know they will thrive and succeed as they begin the next stage of their lives.

It is also very sad that we are saying goodbye to Mrs Mayes and Mrs Bromiley as well as our year 6 children. Both have contributed so much to the school. They will be missed, and we wish them well as they move to their exciting new roles. We are also saying goodbye to Sharon and Vanessa who have both worked at the school for 8 and 12 years. We are very thankful to them for their commitment to the school over this time and wish them good luck in their new adventures.

I hope that you all have a wonderful summer break, and we look forward to seeing you all in September.

## Ukulele and Music lessons



All children in Year 3 /4 will have the opportunity to learn to play the ukulele. There is no need for you to buy one as your child will be given one during the lesson although unfortunately they will not be able to take it home. We are also offering piano and keyboard lessons, which we had a high level of interest initially, however the take up is not quite what we were hoping for now that we have secured these sessions. We will be sending out more information in September about any spaces.

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## SCHOOL FETE

Thank you to everyone who came along to attend our FOBs summer fair straight after school on Friday 30th June. The event was a fantastic success with an absolutely phenomenal profit of £5627.87.

A huge thank you to FOBs.

## Uniform

Please ensure that your child's clothing is labelled with their name. We always try our best to return all your child's belonging, but this is difficult if belongings aren't labelled. We also have a rail with un-named lost property outside the school office and another with second hand uniform for you to take. If you have any old uniform, please donate it to the school office (take out names or you will just get it back!) and this can be added to the rail as well.

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## DATES FOR THE DIARY



Looking forward to September, we are holding Family Information meetings for each phase. During these you will meet the teams, find out about life at Brundall for your child and how you can support your child. These meetings will be about 30 mins long and we really look forward to seeing you.

Wednesday 7th September at 5pm in the hall – Year 1/2 Information Evening

Thursday 8th September at 5pm in hall – Year 3 /4 Information Evening

Monday 11th September at 5pm in the hall – Year 5 /6 Information Evening.

We are also going to be updating the learning section of our website ready for September. This will include ways you can support your child at home.

We will be running both maths and reading workshops during this first half term – more details to follow. We want to create a meaningful partnership between home and school. We know that pupils learn best when they practise. It helps them gain competence and helps them to keep making progress so therefore we would like to guide you into how you can best support your children.

Next academic year we will be returning to evening progress meetings. These will be held on the 18th and 19th October with more details to follow.