

Thursday 13th June 2024
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Things to remember:

- Swimming contributions & swimming kits
- Class trip consent forms
- Sunscreen and hats (if the sun ever comes out?!)

Dear Parents and Carers,

It certainly has been an action packed 2 weeks with so much being crammed in already! Every child has had the opportunity to swim and I have been lucky enough to watch each class swim. They have certainly all enjoyed splashing about in a tropical 32 degree temperature! I have also enjoyed teaching swimming and look forward to seeing how our children progress with their skills over the coming weeks. We have also begun rehearsing for our end of year performance. The children are really enjoying learning the songs and we cannot wait to show you the final production. All children are involved in this performance and tickets will be available for all year groups. A separate letter will follow explaining how to book your tickets.

We have a lot of activities to look forward to during the remainder of this half term.



A visit From The Dog's Trust - Thursday 20th June

After a successful visit last year, The Dogs Trust are visiting us again next week. The aim of the visit is to educate the children on how to be safe around dogs as well as highlight the importance of their charity. If you would like to know more about what Vicky will be covering in these sessions, please visit:

<https://www.learnwithdogstrust.org.uk/>

<https://www.dogstrust.org.uk/dog-advice/life-with-your-dog/at-home/dogs-and-children-living-safely-together>

Military Vehicle Visit - Friday 21st June

This year marks the 80th anniversary of the momentous battles of the Second World War, there is a military vehicle event in the village in celebration. Steve George, who is the coordinator, has agreed that on the morning of Friday 21st of



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June a group of military vehicles will be visiting the school. BBC Spotlight will be embedded with the team for the event and have asked if they can film during their visit to school. If you have any objection to your child being included in the filming, please may we ask that you email the school office by Wednesday 20th June, so that we can ensure that your child isn't included? office@broadmayne.dorset.sch.uk



National Thank A Teacher Day

As you may be aware, Wednesday 19 June is 'National Thank a Teacher Day'.

If you wish to recognise the efforts and work of a particular teacher or a member of support staff at Broadmayne then please click the link below to send them an ecard. The process is quick and it would mean the world to our staff. I am always amazed by how hard staff work at Broadmayne and hope you will join me in taking time to celebrate this.

Link: [Thank a Teacher Form](#)

The deadline for completion is 17 June 2024.

Sports Week starts on Monday 24th June.

We have an action packed week planned, children are reminded that they can wear PE kit all week as we will be active every day. We have the following activities planned:



	Monday 24th June	Tuesday 25th June	Wednesday 26th June	Thursday 27th June	Friday 28th June
AM	Sports For Champions Athlete visit	Dan the Skipping Man	Young Samurai Taster Sessions	Bootcamp for all	Reception and year 1 Soft Archery Climbing Wall Year 2-4
PM			Sports Day 1.15-2.45pm		Football Tournament with Mr G 12.30 - 2.45

As you can see we have an action packed week with not much maneove for change. We are keen to ensure that swimming sessions remain at the same time, but if this is not possible we will update you of the changes.

Sports Day - Wednesday 1.15pm - 2.45pm

Our traditional Sports Day will begin at 1.15pm. Parents are invited to come at 1pm to set out their positions on the field. All children will have the opportunity to take part in either an obstacle course, skipping/balancing a quoit, the egg and spoon race and sprinting. Years 3 and 4 will also complete a relay race.



At the end of each race, each child will be given a token which will add towards their colour teams total. Your child's teacher will let them know which colour team they are in and your child may wish to wear a shirt or item of clothing in their colour, but please do not go out and spend lots of money!

Communication and Well-being



In our recent parent survey, a recurring theme that was identified was communication. Many parents expressed that they found the year group weekly update email useful however, also highlighted that a Sunday email was not good for teacher well-being. In order to be consistent with communication, a weekly reminder will be sent out to all parents on a Friday afternoon. Year group emails will not be accessed over the weekend and staff will check emails on a Monday morning at 8.30am.

Attendance Matters

Our whole school attendance last week was:

Attendance Matters



Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4
91.48%	85.93%	95.67%	88.57%	91.1%

Whole school year to date 94.82 %

Sunscreen



Please remember to apply sunscreen and send your children to school with a (named!) hat every day. Please teach your children how to reapply their own sunscreen during the day if needed (for example after a morning swimming lesson) and we will remind them and make time for them to do this.

Arts and Crafts session - Dorchester Locality Team.

The Dorchester Locality Team are running some free family arts and crafts sessions in Dorchester Library over the summer. All the details can be found on our website here: [Courses - Skills & Learning Adult Community Education \(skillsandlearningace.com\)](http://skillsandlearningace.com)

Messy Pups Holiday Club

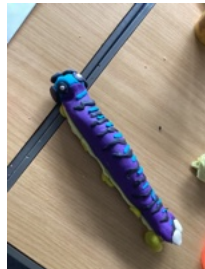
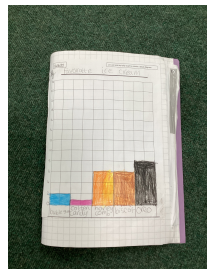
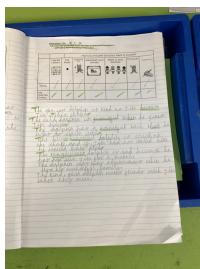


Who's up for some messy, art based fun this summer?

Messy Pups will again be hosted by our former colleague Jeri Grogan for 3 weeks of the summer holidays from the 30th July - 15th August on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays 9am-4pm.

If you are interested in booking, please click the link below to reserve your child's place. [Messy Pups Booking Form](#)

Our Golden Moments



And finally....

Thank you to all of the weekend helpers who have dismantled the sandpit and have begun work on the new bike shelter area.

Thank you to Julian and all of the FABs who have worked all year round to maintain the pool so that it was up and running on the first day back.

Thank you to Mrs Denning who continues to brighten up our school by planting new flowers in our pots and planters.

Thank you to Mr and Mrs Foyle and Mrs Dunford who gave up their Sunday to help me deep clean the Year 1 and Reception classrooms.

Have a wonderful weekend,

Best wishes,
Mrs Jordan-Gill

Calendar Dates Summer 2

Date	Time	Event
JUNE		
Friday 14th		Year 2 trip to The Sealife Centre in Weymouth
Wednesday 19th	1.30 - 3.00	New Reception Class Teddy Bear Stay and Play
Thursday 20th	9.00 am	Dogs Trust Visit
Monday 24th		Sports Week
Wednesday 26th	1.15pm	Sports Day
Thursday 27th	11.00	Music Orchestra Instrumental Roadshow visit
JULY		
Wednesday 3rd		RESERVED FOR SPORTS DAY IF RAINED OFF
Thursday 4th		Transfer Day
Friday 5th July		Year 1 trip to The New Barn Centre at Bradford Peverell

Monday 8th		Year 4 end of Year show dress rehearsal
Tuesday 9th	2.00pm	Year 4 end of Year Show
Wednesday 10th	5.00pm	Year 4 end of Year Show
Thursday 11th	2.00pm	Year 4 end of Year Show
Wednesday 17th	1.30 - 3.00	New Reception class visiting for Stay and Play Year 1,2,3 meet new class teachers
Friday 19th	2.00pm	End of term for children
Monday 22nd		INSET DAY
Tuesday 23rd		INSET DAY