

Snapshots of the Week

Week: 29 Apr to 03 May 2024

This week...



Onyx

The learners in Onyx have been working hard on their phonics; we have been squeezing in extra time to practice our sounds. Wherever we are, we have our bag of words and even at playtime the learners are coming to take a word and tell us what it says! We can really see the improvement, well done!

In maths we have been practicing our 2, 5 and 10 times tables. We have learnt about arrays and equal groups and introduced multiplication. This week we have looked at sharing in equal groups and introduced division. Super stuff Onyx!

We had a wonderful trip to Delph woods for our Nature Curriculum and focused on the wind; although there wasn't much wind that day, we watched bubbles fly all over the field, found the wind direction by waving material in the air and the highlight was all having a turn at flying the kite, which they all managed successfully!

Obsidian

In Obsidian we have been doing observational drawing, we have identified and drawn different flowers that we saw on our trip to Compton acres.

In Maths we have been learning time, we know the hour and minute hand and "O'clock, hands up top!".

We have also been focusing on our handwriting, looking at size, spacing and formation to make it clear for the reader.

Great learning Obsidian!

Year 1

What a brilliant week of learning in Year 1! The children have been learning about dividing and doubling in Maths, Poetry in English and about plants and trees in science. Ask your children about the different parts of the plant and why they have those parts as we are sure they would love to share their new learning with you. We have also been working really hard on our phonics and the children are flourishing! We will be sending home a new pack of learning resources this Friday.

Year 4 Hooke Court

The Year 4 children, who went to Hooke Court, had a fantastic time on their two-night residential! The three days were packed with activities that broadened their knowledge about the Romans. The children thoroughly enjoyed taking part in the activities to see what life was really like for a Roman.

The children who stayed at school had a fantastic experience with AUB creating sculptures of heath animals and enjoyed making their own Roman shields and mosaics too!



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Reminders for next year...

Clubs

Morning Clubs and After School Clubs will run as normal.

PE Day

Reception – Wednesday and Thursday
 Year 1 – Monday and Thursday
 Year 2 – Monday and Thursday
 Year 3 – Tuesday and Friday
 Year 4 – Tuesday and Friday

Calendar

May 2024						
M	Tu	W	Th	F	S	S
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	31		

Bank Holiday

Reception NHS Height and Weight
 Year 4 BMS Transition Workshop
 Fraser Portraits Class Photos
 PTA Meeting 6pm School Hall
 May Half Term

June 2024						
M	Tu	W	Th	F	S	S
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3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30

First Day Back
 Transfer Day

Whole School Attendance

Reception – 91.2%
 Year 1 – 93.3%
 Year 2 – 93.4%
 Year 3 – 94.3%
 Year 4 – 93.6%

Clarendon 2252	House Points	Ridgeway 2284
Tudor 2038		Wentworth 2217

This week continued...

RNLI Assembly

Our learners were really excited to welcome Sam from the RNLI into Broadstone First to talk about water safety. Lots of learner participation made the assembly an incredibly memorable one. With our learners gaining knowledge that hopefully they will recall in the summer when they are down at the beach.



EYFS - Developmental Tennis Events

The last two weeks have seen thirty of our EYFS learners taking part in our Developmental Tennis events delivered by Harry from Broadstone Tennis Club. All our learners proudly pulled on their BFS Sports Kits and immersed themselves in fun games and activities aimed at improving their hand eye coordination. We very much look forward to our upcoming events over the next few weeks which will culminate in all our EYFS learners having attended a sports event this year. Incredibly proud of all our youngest learner's behaviour and "Can do attitude".

Clubbercise after school Club

Disco lights, glow sticks, music, dancing and massive smiles! Just a few words that sum up our exciting new Clubbercise after school club run by Mrs Hall our Year 4 LSA. Clubbercise is proving a massive hit this term, with its high energy fun dance routines. So proud of the enthusiasm that our Key Stage 2 learners are bringing to this club. Keep dancing!!!!

Cross Country

Ten Year 4 learners attended the inaugural Cross Country event at Castle Court last Friday. Our runners quite simply did Broadstone First School incredibly proud with all learners finishing in the top 36 runners out of a field of 96. This resulted in an amazing overall performance and score by Broadstone First School which saw them clinching first place by over 25 points. A massive well done to all involved and a huge thank you to all the families that came to cheer us on! Your support is as always very much appreciated.

