



Monday 22nd August 2016

Dear Parents/Carers,

I hope you all had a wonderful summer despite the very changeable weather. We are delighted to have welcomed so many children and families back for the start of a new school year.

It was so lovely to see everyone looking so smart. A big thank you to all of our parents/carers for working so hard to make all of our children look smart and be ready to learn and succeed.

Our P1 children have settled in well and are already feeling happy and secure in class with their new friends and teachers. I would like to take this opportunity to welcome any new families to the school and wish them a positive and successful time at Brunstane.

I would also like to welcome Mr Chalmers our new P7 teacher to the Brunstane Primary School community. I'm sure he will really enjoy working with our fantastic P7 class.

Excursions Form (EE2s)

Please remember to complete and return the excursion forms we issued at the start of the term to school as soon as possible. These forms cover all local excursions and save parents/carers a lot of paperwork. Please note there is a part on the form which covers children to be photographed/videoed in school and on excursions. Please only tick this box if you do not wish your child to be photographed or videoed.

Lining Up Procedures

We have started new procedures for lining up this year due to the increase in the number of children we have at Brunstane.

P1, P1/2 and P2/3 children are lining up in the infant playground and are dismissed from there other than the P3s in P2/3 who leave from the tower building in the front playground. P3-P7 line up and are dismissed from the tower building also.

Milk Money

Please remember milk money is due Wednesday 31st August.



Nut Products

A reminder for the start of the year that our school is a nut free zone. Please don't send any nut products to school as a snack or in packed lunches.

Coffee Morning

We are having a coffee morning for all parents/carers and families on Friday this week from 9am in the school hall. Our Parent Council are hosting this event to welcome new parents and to give existing parents the chance to catch up after the summer. You are very welcome!

Talking of coffee mornings we will be hosting our annual Macmillan coffee morning on Friday 30th September.

Parent Council Dates

We have a fantastic and very supportive Parent Council who work alongside school staff to help with lots of areas of the life and work of the school. We are always looking for new members.

Please find meeting dates below:

Tuesday 27th September at 6.30pm

Tuesday 8th November at 6.30pm

Tuesday 31st January at 6.30pm

Tuesday 28th March at 6.30pm

Tuesday 20th June at 6.30pm

All meetings take place in the school's meeting room. You would be very welcome!

Session Dates 2016/17

The dates for this school year are enclosed with this letter.

Wishing you all a great year ahead. Please remember if you would like to discuss any aspect of our work at Brunstane you are welcome to make an appointment with me through the school office. Remember all our latest news is on twitter. No need to join twitter you can just google us @BrunstanePS.

Yours sincerely

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