



Dear Parents/Carers

Welcome back!

This week has started again with GCSE and A Level examinations in full flow. Some students studied over the half term at the school whilst the rest took the week to study very hard indeed at home. I am incredibly grateful to all the staff who gave up their time to come in and also to those who have been staying late to run sessions this week. I would also like to say a huge thank you to you as parents for all you are doing to support your children and the school through this very stressful time. We are nearly there, just keep going!

On Thursday our Year 10 students had their mock interviews with employers from across the area. 33 volunteers from a range of backgrounds including police, business, education and armed services, gave up their valuable time to interview our students. We received some incredible feedback about the students and I was so proud to see how seriously they took the interview itself. Many were very nervous but were really mature in the way they handled the pressure. A massive thank you to Mrs Forde who was integral to all of the organisation and ensuring it was such a great success!

The whole theme of this week has been 'Dream Big, Dream Crazy'. I have spoken to all students in assembly across the week about the importance of striving for their best and having high aspirations – the Year 10 interviews were a great example of this! The Year 8 athletics team also showed this in their events yesterday and many will now, we hope, be through to county level – more detail on this in the PE section below. Tomorrow we have 4 students competing in the county athletics competition and we wish them lots of luck, they are: Joe Morton in Year 9, William Hillier-Jones in Year 8, Lewis Clyde in Year 9, Jamie Prior in Year 9, Amy Johnstone in Year 8.

#### **Student of the week:**

Cameron Vye, Kamil Oruba, Lucy Borg – for picking up a wallet that had been dropped outside of KFC and handing it in to reception.

Fab & Drab feedback this week is as follows:

#### **Fab:**

It was fabulous to watch the Year 8 and 9 students at District Athletics on Wednesday. They were all so supportive and encouraging of not only each other, but also to students at other schools. Brilliant!

It is excellent that the new vending machines are working to reduce lines in the canteen.

It was an absolute pleasure to be part of the Year 10 interviews this week. As a local employer I could see so much potential from Brakenhale students. They were engaged, polite and incredibly well dressed.

Thank you so much for dealing with an incident which my daughter felt upset about. You were so quick to respond as a school and showed her so much care, thank you to so many staff - it really is true that you are #teambrokenhale

#### **Drab:**

Having the opportunity to view both my children's progress reports and both being pretty much the same I find it strange how one child receives a praise letter from the head and the other doesn't.

*Thank you for drawing my attention to this. The students who receive the letters are those in a top percentage bracket across the year group so it may be that one of your children is in a year group where this time around the cohort did exceptionally well. I am very happy to look into this if you would like to forward me the names of your children.*

The vast majority of our child's achievement points still have no description of what he actually did to merit them. On the contrary, whenever he has received a Behaviour point (thankfully there's not too many!) the teacher has ALWAYS provided a description! This has been flagged many times but doesn't seem to get any better.

*We are working on a solution to this and I know it may sound strange but it's not easy to do with the current system – hopefully by September we will have it sorted. In the meantime please do feel free to email the teacher who gave the point and they will certainly give you the details.*

2 trips planned on the same day meaning my child has had to choose between having a trip with his friends or going on a trip for his GCSE.

*I am aware of this and can only apologise – we have tried to move the reward trip but unfortunately the coach companies are exceptionally busy and are unable to accommodate any new dates.*

Why are school trips so expensive? Could a trip be planned at a local theatre? Some children miss out as their family cannot afford this?

*We do always look at what is available locally but unfortunately it is not always possible and for some GCSE classes the London theatre trips are much better but we will continue to monitor this. Please do contact the school if there is an issue with affordability.*

Why are there 2 school homework systems and when it is supposed to be put on Show my homework it isn't?

*The double system was at the request of many students and parents as they liked recording it as students and parents liked to view online. I will remind staff to put all homework on show my homework.*

Do the school vending machines vend anything healthy or just chocolate and crisps?

*We do not sell chocolate in school although some of the oat based biscuits do contain chocolate chips and we do also vend corn snacks. The machines vend a variety of sandwiches.*

#### **Staff members of the week**

Miss Byers For constantly working hard at her job and always helping students by putting a smile on their faces when things are difficult. Amazing teacher!!

Motivational quote of the week: 'Every day may not be good, but there is something good in every day.'

*Enjoy the weekend*

*Jane Coley, Headteacher*

## **What's on next week**

Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> June

Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> June

Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> June

**Year 9 Spotlight on Careers**

**STOP meeting, 9-11am**

**PTA Bingo Evening, 6-9pm**

## **Year 10 Mock Interviews**

Thank you to all the volunteer interviewers from local companies @ThamesVP @In\_2\_Sport @BaxterStorey @santanderuk @thameswater @awscloud @waitrose @dhlexpressuk @greenshawhigh together with Bracknell Rotary Club members who conducted mock interviews with our Year 10 students on Wednesday.

*Mrs Forde, Administrator*





## Year 11 - Spare Uniform – Please Donate

As our Year 11 students move on from school and their GCSEs we would like to remind you that any donations of school uniform that is no longer needed, including PE kit, ties and house badges, would be gratefully received and can be left at main reception.

## Mobile Phones

Can we please remind you that students must not use a mobile phone or any other mobile device anywhere on the school site (this includes when they are still on site at the end of the school day) or on any off-site school activity. [The one exception is where a teacher tells the students they have permission to use a mobile device in the classroom as part of the planned learning activity in the lesson then mobile devices will be allowed provided the student follows the teacher instructions.]

Mobile devices must not be visible at any time and must be switched off (ensuring all alerts and alarms are inactive), out of sight and kept safely in the student's school bag at all times, even after the end of day bell, or they will be logged. Students need to be off-site before using their device.

Thank you for your support.



**NO MOBILE PHONES**

## Lost Property

Thank you to all the parents and students who have used our lost property email address.

*Have you lost something? Don't forget...*



Email : [lostproperty@brakenhale.co.uk](mailto:lostproperty@brakenhale.co.uk)

**Please make sure your items are named so we can them promptly.**

Email us on the address below and we will endeavour to locate the item and return it to you as soon as possible. We have a member of staff who has a specific role in overseeing lost property and she will do her best to help.

Students are always welcome to look through lost property at the start of the day from 8.30am then at any break time or at the end of day. Lost property is based in the Heads of Year Office.

Please remind all students missing any uniform, equipment or other items to come and check **all lost property items**. We have a few remaining items and these will be discarded at the end of term.

May I take this opportunity to thank you all for naming students items, as so much more can be returned to our students now.

*Mrs T McCrorie, Curriculum Support Assistant*

## Water Bottles

With the warmer weather could we please remind you that students need to have a NAMED re-usable water bottle to keep hydrated.

Brakenhale logo water bottles are available to purchase from the Head of Year Office, print room and main reception for the cost of £2.00.

**We are unable to provide single use plastic cups for water during the hot weather for students.**

Any lost or unclaimed bottles will be taken to the Head of Year Office, along with all other lost property.

Many Thanks

*Mrs T McCrorie, Curriculum Support Assistant*



## Fundraising – Three Peaks Challenge

Huge well done to Jamie P in Year 9 who completed the Yorkshire Three Peaks Challenge to raise funds for our new build project – there is still time to sponsor if you can support Jamie - please click on our MyDonate page: <https://mydonate.bt.com/fundraisers/jamieprior>



## Camera Club

The week before half-term was a busy one and everyone was tired and a tiny bit stressed, so we chose to photograph our place or item of comfort. Funnily enough, food and people's beds featured quite heavily! We had these lovely images from Honey B (Year 9) and Oliver M (Year 7).

This week, we went all artistic! Everyone brought in a photograph and we drew and doodled on the pictures - it was a very chilled and lovely meeting. These are the results from our art session: Charlotte H (Year 13), Taylor P, Bethia P and Oliver (Year 7).



Next week's challenge is to photograph something blue. Camera Club in on Monday lunchtime in B17 and everyone is welcome.

*Miss T Wilhelmy, Teacher in Charge of Art & Photography*

## A Level Art and Photography Moderation

This week saw us have our annual moderation visit from AQA for our AS and A Level Art and Photography work. The visit is to ensure that we are marking correctly to the specification and is used to determine the actual grades that our Post 16 students get in the summer. It was also a great opportunity to show off the amazing work that our students have produced this year. The work below was created by Daisy K, Jamie B, Charlotte H, Hannah W, Erin M (all in Year 13), Jasmine W and Liv H (Year 12).

All of this work, plus the GCSE Art and Photography, will be on display in our exhibition on Monday 1<sup>st</sup> July, so pop the date in your diary!



Miss T Wilhelmy, Teacher in Charge of Art & Photography

ACTION CALENDAR: JOYFUL JUNE 2019

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
<div style="display: flex; align-items: center; justify-content: center;"> <div> <p><b>"Every day may not be good, but there is something good in every day"</b> ~ Alice Morse Earle</p> </div> </div>					<div style="background-color: #f44336; color: white; padding: 5px; font-size: 10px;">1 Decide to look for what's good every day this month</div>	<div style="background-color: #f44336; color: white; padding: 5px; font-size: 10px;">2 Do three things to bring joy to other people today</div>
<div style="background-color: #42a5f5; color: white; padding: 5px; font-size: 10px;">3 Re-frame a worry and try to find a positive way to respond</div>	<div style="background-color: #4caf50; color: white; padding: 5px; font-size: 10px;">4 Thank someone for the joy they have brought into your life</div>	<div style="background-color: #f44336; color: white; padding: 5px; font-size: 10px;">5 Do something today which you know will make you feel good</div>	<div style="background-color: #f44336; color: white; padding: 5px; font-size: 10px;">6 Ask someone what brings them joy and listen to their answer</div>	<div style="background-color: #42a5f5; color: white; padding: 5px; font-size: 10px;">7 Make a plan with friends to do something fun together</div>	<div style="background-color: #4caf50; color: white; padding: 5px; font-size: 10px;">8 Find the joy in music today: sing, play, dance or listen</div>	<div style="background-color: #f44336; color: white; padding: 5px; font-size: 10px;">9 Get out into green space and feel the joy that nature offers</div>
<div style="background-color: #f44336; color: white; padding: 5px; font-size: 10px;">10 Write a gratitude letter to thank someone for what they did</div>	<div style="background-color: #42a5f5; color: white; padding: 5px; font-size: 10px;">11 Try to say something positive every time you walk into a room</div>	<div style="background-color: #4caf50; color: white; padding: 5px; font-size: 10px;">12 Spread joy: Give flowers or help to brighten someone's day</div>	<div style="background-color: #f44336; color: white; padding: 5px; font-size: 10px;">13 See the upside in a difficult situation you learnt from</div>	<div style="background-color: #f44336; color: white; padding: 5px; font-size: 10px;">14 Cook your favourite food and enjoy it (with others if possible)</div>	<div style="background-color: #42a5f5; color: white; padding: 5px; font-size: 10px;">15 Go outside and find the joy in doing something active</div>	<div style="background-color: #4caf50; color: white; padding: 5px; font-size: 10px;">16 Rediscover a fun childhood activity that you can enjoy today</div>
<div style="background-color: #f44336; color: white; padding: 5px; font-size: 10px;">17 Think of 3 things you're grateful for and write them down</div>	<div style="background-color: #f44336; color: white; padding: 5px; font-size: 10px;">18 Make time to do something playful today, just for the fun of it</div>	<div style="background-color: #42a5f5; color: white; padding: 5px; font-size: 10px;">19 Look for something to be thankful for where you least expect it</div>	<div style="background-color: #4caf50; color: white; padding: 5px; font-size: 10px;">20 Make a list of favourite memories you feel grateful for</div>	<div style="background-color: #f44336; color: white; padding: 5px; font-size: 10px;">21 Send a positive note to a friend who needs encouragement</div>	<div style="background-color: #f44336; color: white; padding: 5px; font-size: 10px;">22 Watch something funny and enjoy how it feels to laugh</div>	<div style="background-color: #42a5f5; color: white; padding: 5px; font-size: 10px;">23 Share a happy memory with someone who means a lot to you</div>
<div style="background-color: #4caf50; color: white; padding: 5px; font-size: 10px;">24 Create a playlist of favourite songs and enjoy them</div>	<div style="background-color: #f44336; color: white; padding: 5px; font-size: 10px;">25 Eat food that makes you feel good and really savour it</div>	<div style="background-color: #f44336; color: white; padding: 5px; font-size: 10px;">26 Take a light-hearted approach: Choose to see the funny side</div>	<div style="background-color: #42a5f5; color: white; padding: 5px; font-size: 10px;">27 Be kind to you: Treat yourself the way you would treat a friend</div>	<div style="background-color: #4caf50; color: white; padding: 5px; font-size: 10px;">28 Notice how positive emotions are contagious between people</div>	<div style="background-color: #f44336; color: white; padding: 5px; font-size: 10px;">29 Make a list of the joys in your life (and keep adding to them)</div>	<div style="background-color: #f44336; color: white; padding: 5px; font-size: 10px;">30 Remember: joy is portable - so you can always take it with you!</div>

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Find out more about the Ten Keys to Happier Living, including books, guides, posters and more here: [www.actionforhappiness.org/ten-keys](http://www.actionforhappiness.org/ten-keys)

## Bingo!

Brakenhale’s PTA is hosting its popular Bingo Evening at the school next week on Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> June and we do hope that you will support us and the school and come and enjoy what is always an exciting evening.

- Doors will open at 6.00pm and the first game will start at 6.30pm.
- The evening will finish by 9.00pm.
- There will be a raffle on the night, a cash bar and tickets include a jacket potato dinner (please let us know of any special dietary requirements on the reply slip).
- Tickets cost £7.50 per adult (16 and over), £5 per child (under 16) and £22 for a family of 2 adults and 2 children; entry will be by ticket only.

The letter and reply slip have been sent home to all parents via schoolcomms. If you would like to purchase tickets, please download and complete the reply slip attached, and return it and your payment to Main Reception as soon as possible. There is still a chance to get your tickets – please let us know by the end of Monday 10<sup>th</sup> June. We will also have hard copies of the letter and slip in reception for you to collect to make it easier.

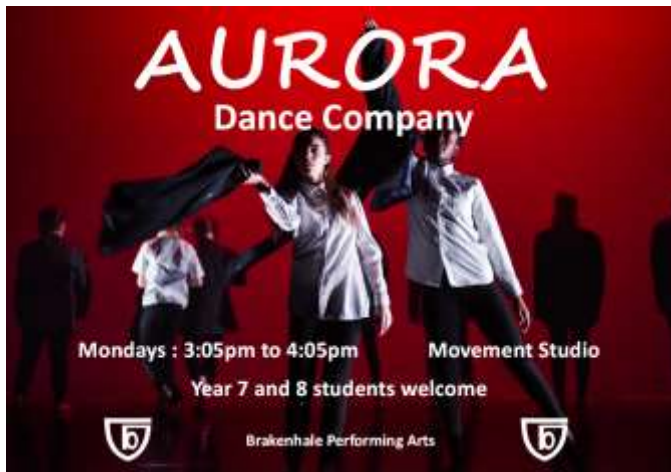
We would prefer payment by cheque, made payable to The Brakenhale School, but, if payment by cash is necessary, parents should personally bring this to main reception. The venue has a limited capacity so please book tickets early to avoid disappointment.

If you have any further questions or queries, please do not hesitate to contact us on the main school telephone number, or via email [admindept@brakenhale.co.uk](mailto:admindept@brakenhale.co.uk).

We look forward to seeing you at the Bingo Evening with friends and family.

<b>FOR FRIENDS</b>		<b>&amp; FAMILY</b>	
<b>Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> June 2019</b>			
<b>Doors open at 6pm</b>	<b>First game at 6.30pm</b>	<b>Cash Bar Raffle Dinner</b>	
<b>Tickets £7.50 adults</b>	<b>£5.00 children (under 16)</b> <b>£22.00 family (2 + 2)</b>	<b>Jacket Potato Dinner with selection of fillings (included in ticket price)</b>	

**Performing Arts**



**AURORA**  
Dance Company

Mondays : 3:05pm to 4:05pm      Movement Studio  
Year 7 and 8 students welcome


 Brakenhale Performing Arts 




**Free fall** Dance Company

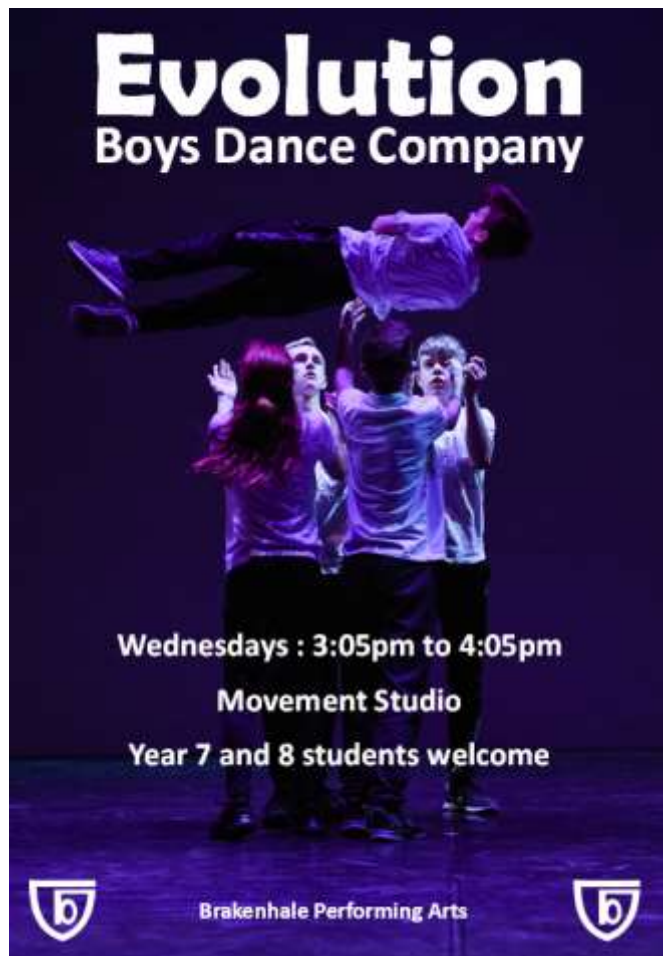
Tuesdays : 3:05pm to 4:05pm      Movement Studio  
Year 9 to 13 Dance students welcome

 Brakenhale Performing Arts 





 **Crying Lightning**  
End of Term Dance Show

Monday 8<sup>th</sup> July : 6pm : Main Hall  
Adults: £2      Students/Children: £1  
*Please pay on the door*



**Evolution**  
Boys Dance Company

Wednesdays : 3:05pm to 4:05pm  
Movement Studio  
Year 7 and 8 students welcome

 Brakenhale Performing Arts 



## Extra Curricular Dance Timetable

Starting from Monday 3rd June

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<b>Break time</b>	Year 9 -13 rehearsals	Open for rehearsals all years	Open for rehearsals all years	Open for rehearsals all years	Year 9 -13 rehearsals
<b>Lunch time</b>	Year 9 -13 rehearsals	Open for rehearsals all years	Open for rehearsals all years	Open for rehearsals all years	Year 9 -13 rehearsals
<b>After School 3:05 MS</b>	<b>AURORA</b> Dance Company (MS) Jess & Chloe Open to Year 7 & 8 Girls	Free fall Dance Company (MS) Mrs Duffy Year 9 - 13 Dance	<b>EVOLUTION</b> Dance Company (MS) Chloe & Mrs Duffy Year 7 & 8 Boys	<b>DARK MATTER</b> Dance Company (MS) Chloe & Mrs Duffy Year 9 Boys	

Mr C Duffy, Head of Performing Arts

## PE Update

### YOUR SPORTS DAY NEEDS YOU!!!!!!!!!!

It is nearly that time of year again.... yes the annual Brakenhale Sports Day!

This year sees Sports Day fall on Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> July.

Students will be working together and competing in their house teams (Swinley, Farley, Temple and Jennetts) to try and win the coveted sports day cup. Will last year's winners retain the title or will it go elsewhere!?

There will be information sent out to tutors and in assembly soon. Please encourage your son/daughter to sign up to an event and see their house captain or house leader if they need assistance with this.

Points will be awarded for how well students do in the events but also for the most students who compete in each of the houses. This will encourage both the competition and participation elements of healthy intra-school sport.

Students are allowed to attend school in their PE kit and to celebrate in full house competition style they can wear a coloured top/t-shirt, the same as their house colour (red, blue, yellow or green).

Please keep an eye out on the PE twitter account, @brakenhalepe to see photos and find out results on the day.

If the weather is due to be inclement a decision to postpone or cancel the day will be made well in advance and this will be communicated home via schoolcomms.

Here's to a fantastic day of school sport!

### T shirt winners!

The first set of Brakenhale Sport t-shirts has been given out to our most committed students taking part in after school sport. #teambrokenhale goes way beyond a social media tag, we encourage all students to get involved with our sports clubs, whether it be for fun, participation, fitness or competition. These students have shown commitment to a range of clubs across half term 5 and receive their t-shirts which they can wear with pride both when representing the school and taking part in PE lessons.

T shirts were awarded to the following: Hristina M (9A), George J (7H), Jay J (9R), Chloe S (7N), Jackson M (9R) and Josh R (8H).

Fingers crossed we will have even more to give out at the end of the school year! We look forward to seeing the students wearing them round school.

### PE Round-Up

We have had a busy first week back after half term, with lots of activities going on. The weather has been a strange one this week, with the temperatures being high but with lots of cloud and rain!

I apologise for some confusion last week over dates, I am not sure where my brain was when I was writing parent news and the fixture emails. Thank you to the parents who were eagle eyed and spotted my mistakes.

### Rounders

On Tuesday, the heavens opened right before our Rounders match against Garth. We made the decision to continue with the match, but we played on the astro instead.

Despite the rain, there was some lovely play by Brakenhale. Gracy had a superb catch in the first innings, while Josh had some lovely hits throughout the game. There was tactical play by Scarlet, with her back-hand hit. In the first innings the score was 5 ½ to 4 ½ to Brakenhale. We had a productive team talk about how we could stop them from scoring more points, and then we were off. Some good bowling by Ella and fielding by the rest of the team, meant we were able to get 4 of Garth's team out. Garth were much tighter on their fielding in the second innings and the score was a draw 6-6, which means Brakenhale won by a rounder. They played well as a team and I wish them all the best for their next match on Tuesday. Player of the Match was awarded to Josh.

The Year 7 girls played exceptionally well against Garth on a rainy Tuesday evening. Captained by Charlotte the girls secured a very close win in the first innings by only half a rounder. Garth fought back in the second innings but couldn't get past the amazing fielding skills of Lizzie! The girls played very well and went on to beat Garth 15 to 11 ½, Lizzie was crowned fielder of the match and Maddie batter of the match.

### Athletics

At the time of writing the Year 7 athletics hasn't happened so the write up for that will be in next week's bulletin. Remember if you did get selected you need to be available to represent Bracknell on Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> July!

Good Luck to the students representing Bracknell in the District Athletics Event on Saturday at Palmer Park. The PE department wishes you all the best! More details on how they got on will be in next week's parent news.

### Fixtures for Next Week

<i>Date</i>	<i>Year</i>	<i>Sport</i>	<i>Versus</i>	<i>Location</i>	<i>Start/Finish</i>	<i>Staff</i>
11/6/19	7 and 8	Rounders	Edgbarrow	Away	3.15/5.15pm	LWI/LRU
11/6/19	9 and 10	Leaders		Bracknell Athletics Track	12.30/4pm	CMY
12/6/19	9 and 10	Rounders	EP	Away	3.15/5.15pm	LWI/LRU
13/6/19	9	Athletics	Local School	Away @ Edgbarrow	3.15/6.00pm	MPO/JBO




**Dates for your diary!**

National School Sport Week – 24<sup>th</sup> to 28<sup>th</sup> June



*The PE Department, Miss L Willimott, Lead Coordinator of Girls PE and Teacher in Charge of Health and Social Care  
Mr Potter, Head of PE*

**Extra-Curricular Clubs**

 <b>PE EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES</b> Half Term 6 - 2018-2019					
	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
<b>BEFORE SCHOOL</b> (0710 – 0800) Full kit needed to participate	<b>Fitness (Mixed)</b> Y10-13 only Gym LRU	<b>Fitness (Mixed)</b> Y10-13 only Gym RBE	<b>Fitness (Mixed)</b> Y10-13 only Gym LWI	<b>Fitness (Mixed)</b> Y10-13 Only Gym CMY	<b>Fitness (Mixed)</b> Y10-13 Only Gym JBO
<b>LUNCH</b> (1330-1355)	***Sports Hall Closed***	***Sports Hall Closed***  <b>Y12 A level PE Revision</b> C21 MPO	***Sports Hall Closed***	***Sports Hall Closed***	***Sports Hall Closed***  <b>Y10 GCSE PE Revision</b> C21 MPO
<b>AFTER SCHOOL</b> (1505-1630) Full kit needed to participate	<b>Fitness (Mixed)</b> Y10-13 only Gym RBE	<b>Rounders</b> All years Field LW/LRU  <b>Softball</b> All Years Field/Astro CMY	<b>Athletics</b> All Years Field JBO/MPO/CMY  <b>Tennis</b> All years Courts LRU	<b>Cricket</b> All years Field/Nets RBE/MPO  <b>Golf</b> All Years Field JBO	<b>Fitness (Mixed)</b> Y10-13 only Gym RBE

Sessions may be postponed on a weekly basis due to staff meetings which take place in line with the school calendar – please check the school weekly bulletin to confirm on a weekly basis. All of these sessions are **open**, with all students in the listed year groups welcome. Some AM sessions are only for certain students (KS4/5) and only certain mornings – please draw this to their attention.

**Maths Puzzle & Countdown**

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chime – chime – chime – chime – chime – chime

When the clock strikes six there are 5 gaps between the chimes lasting a total of 5 seconds.


Each gap will therefore last 1 second.

When the clock strikes 12 there will be 11 gaps between the chimes.

Each gap lasts 1 second.

Therefore it will take the clock 11 seconds.

Q77



Mark's grandfather has lived a quarter of his life as a boy, a sixth of his life as a young man, half of his life as a middle-aged man and been retired for the past 6 years.


How old is Mark's grandfather ?

**Brakenhale does**

#9

Each week, a new puzzle for literacy and numeracy will come out. Mrs Lewis and Mrs Harbour have teamed up to bring you... Countdown!

Students who get the right answers to us, will be rewarded with achievement points and we will keep a special log to see, over time, who our Brakenhale geniuses are ☺ Please put answers in the box on reception. Deadline is every Wednesday.




Literacy	ANSWERS	Numeracy
Make the longest word from the anagram below. a e b a n m e l		5 3 8 8 10 2
ensemble		225
Can you guess the anagram below from the cryptic clue? Music to my ears... melodious		
l e i m o a e u d		
		6 + 3 = 9 8 x 10 = 80 80 - 8 = 72 72 x 3 = 216 216 + 9 = 225

**Brakenhale does**

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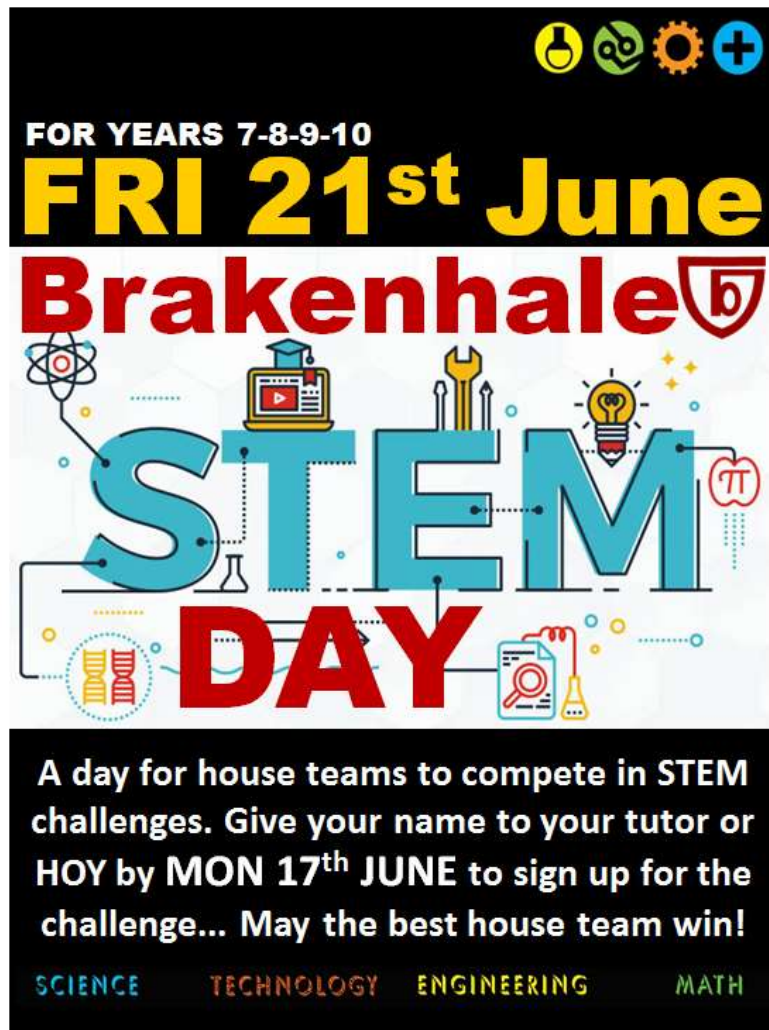
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Literacy	Numeracy
Make the longest word from the anagram below. e i o e o c i g	100 75 50 3 9 2
Can you guess the anagram below from the cryptic clue? Regions of the earth occupied	468
p e e b r i h s o	

Don't forget Maths Encryption and Coding Wednesday lunchtime club for anyone who may be interested in encryption and coding.

Ms L Harbour, Maths Teacher



FOR YEARS 7-8-9-10  
**FRI 21<sup>st</sup> June**  
**Brakenhale**

**STEM DAY**

A day for house teams to compete in STEM challenges. Give your name to your tutor or HOY by **MON 17<sup>th</sup> JUNE** to sign up for the challenge... May the best house team win!

SCIENCE    TECHNOLOGY    ENGINEERING    MATH

The poster features a black background with white and yellow text. At the top right, there are four icons: a flask, a magnifying glass, a gear, and a plus sign. The word 'STEM' is written in large, blue, block letters, with various STEM-related icons (atom, laptop, wrench, lightbulb, pi symbol, DNA, microscope) integrated into the letters. The word 'DAY' is written in large, red, block letters below 'STEM'. The bottom section has a black background with white text.

## Walk with Us! New Build Fundraising

As part of our fundraising endeavours to equip our new building, we are participating in the Easthampstead Rotary Club Bracknell Family Walk Together on Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> July. We are hoping that as many of our parents, students, staff and their families, friends and neighbours will participate and gain sponsorship for our school. You can walk between 9am and 2pm and there will also be some fun activities going on during the day.

If you are willing to take part, you will need to register by following the link:

<https://uk.patronbase.com/SouthHillPark/Productions/Q160/Performances>

Registration costs £5 per adult and is free for children under 14.

I can organise a sponsorship page for you, providing you with a link that you can share with family and friends – you will not need to fill in forms, or collect money. You will just need to e-mail me at [fundraising@brakenhale.co.uk](mailto:fundraising@brakenhale.co.uk) to let me know that you have registered.

The Rotary Club will award monetary prizes to the charity that has the most participants and the individual that raises the most money.

We are hoping it will be a great day and that many of you will join us.

Kind regards

*Karen Roche, Chair of Governors*

## Important Information about MMR

In response to dramatic increases in the number of cases of measles being reported nationally and internationally, the school-aged immunisation service in Berkshire is encouraging all parents of children with an incomplete MMR history to get their child vaccinated.

### Information sent on behalf of Berkshire Healthcare School-aged Immunisation Team

#### IMPORTANT INFORMATION REGARDING MEASLES MUMPS AND RUBELLA VACCINATIONS

There has been a sharp increase in the number of cases of measles reported nationally and globally <https://www.bbc.co.uk/news/health-47940710> as well as an increase in Mumps cases for 15-24 year olds. Berkshire Healthcare provides immunisations against infectious diseases for all school-aged children, and we want to assure you it is not too late to get your child vaccinated. Children are at risk to themselves and the wider community if they have not received two doses of MMR (usually given at 13 months and 3 ½ years). Measles is a highly infectious viral illness that can be very unpleasant and sometimes lead to serious and potentially life-threatening complications, initial symptoms may be similar to cold-like symptoms such as a runny nose and high temperature.

Measles is a notifiable disease and if your child has not received two combined MMR (Measles, Mumps and Rubella) doses of the vaccine or has previously received the singular MMR vaccines, they will **NOT** be protected and they are **AT RISK** of contracting the illness as well as passing it on to others, especially at risk are the vulnerable (babies and individuals with life limiting conditions). **Two combined MMR doses are required for full protection.** If you are unsure about your child's immunisation history, check their Red Book.

There is no charge for this vaccination and we offer a number of community clinics across Berkshire both after school and on Saturdays, the service is available to all children attending state, independent and special schools. This vaccination is not routinely available from GP practices for children of school age.

If your child attends a school in Wokingham, Reading or West Berkshire and you would like your child to be vaccinated please contact us by emailing [bks-tr.SchoolimmunisationTeam@nhs.net](mailto:bks-tr.SchoolimmunisationTeam@nhs.net) or calling 01189 207575.

If your child attends a school in Slough, Windsor, Ascot and Maidenhead or Bracknell Forest and you would like your child to be vaccinated please contact us by emailing

[bks-tr.SchoolimmunisationTeam@nhs.net](mailto:bks-tr.SchoolimmunisationTeam@nhs.net) or calling 01753 636759.

Information sent from:

School Aged Immunisation Team, **Berkshire Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust**

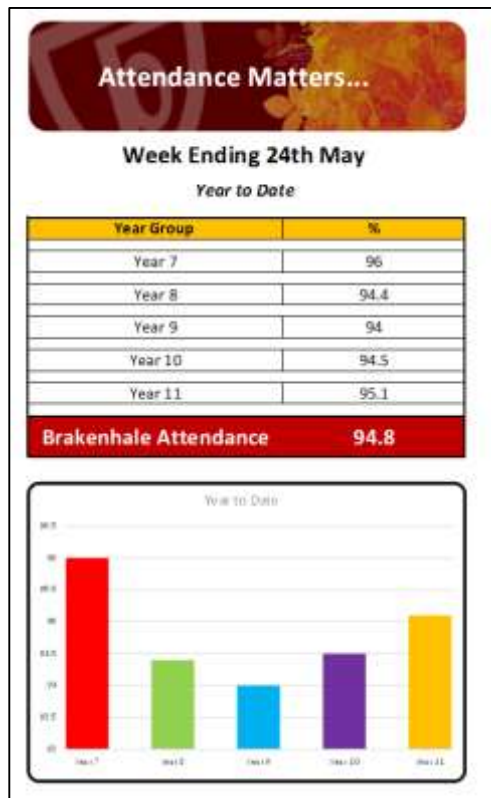
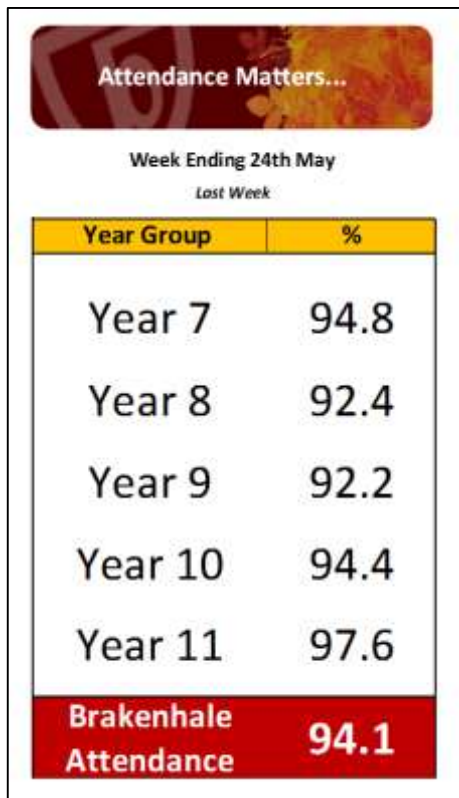
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**Children, Young People and Families (CYPF)**



## Attendance

We believe that high attendance is essential in order for students to make good academic progress and to feel that they are active members of the school community, involved not only in lessons but also in the extra-curricular activities that are so important to their wellbeing. Students can keep track of their attendance in their planner.



Should you have any questions or wish to discuss any issues that may be preventing regular attendance or causing lateness, please do not hesitate to contact me.

*Mrs Silvey, Attendance Officer*

## School Dining Hall

Please see the menu for next week.

Please note that dishes may be changed at short notice due to availability and other extenuating circumstances.

*Taz Asran, Chef Manager - [kitchen@brakenhale.co.uk](mailto:kitchen@brakenhale.co.uk)*

### The Brakenhale School

Summer Term : WEEK COMMENCING : 10 June, 1 July

Week 1	Meat Free MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Hot Main Meal	British Farm Assured Vegetarian Lasagne	British Farm Assured Chicken Korma, Mango Chutney	British Farm Assured Roast Gammon	Meatballs in a Rich Tomato Sauce	MSC (Marine Stewardship Council) Battered Fish
Hot Vegetarian Meal (V)	Roasted Vegetable Frittata	Vegetable Korma	Cauliflower and Broccoli Cheese Bake	Roasted Vegetable Pasta Bake	Vegetarian Pizza
Carbohydrate	Garlic Bread	Pilaf Rice	Roast Potatoes	Penne Pasta	Chips
Vegetables	Green Salad Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables	Roasted Mixed Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables	Peas or Baked Beans
Pudding	Syrup Sponge and Vanilla Custard	Cold Gateaux of the day	Apple Crumble and Custard	Chocolate Muffins	Selection of Cold Desserts

We have available every day:

- Salad bar where you build your own salad
- Chef's Soup of the Day with Homemade bread (F)
- Fruit Jellies, Yoghurt Pots and Fruit Salads (F)

100% Suitable for Vegetarians  
(F) Fresh Produce in our Kitchens

We use locally sourced ingredients when available and in season

All our menus are nutritionally analysed to ensure they meet and in most cases exceed The School Food Standards

## Boosting Aspirations for Young People with SEND

This seminar is supported by BASE/Elevate which aims to raise employment aspirations across Berkshire through the European Social funded project, 'Employment is Everyone's Business'. The project seeks to identify and promote best practice in the transition from education to employment

To confirm a place please email: [Laura.davis@base-uk.org](mailto:Laura.davis@base-uk.org) or telephone: 07879492630

Sessions :

Tuesday 25 <sup>th</sup> June 2019	Wednesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> July 2019
11:00 am – 13:00 pm	18.45pm- 20.45pm
Venue: Newbury College, Monks Lane, Newbury, RG14 7TD	Venue: Bracknell Open Learning Centre, Rectory Lane, Bracknell, RG12 7GR

The sessions will cover:

- Experiences of People in achieving employment
- What the evidence base says works
- What does good support look like?
- Discussion – what more can be done in Berkshire to boost ambition in the system

**EMPLOYMENT IS EVERYONE'S BUSINESS**

**base**  
British Association for Special Education

**Boosting Aspirations for Young People with SEND**

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11:00 am – 13:00 pm  
Venue: Newbury College, Monks Lane, Newbury, RG14 7TD  
Repeated on

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This seminar is supported by BASE/Elevate which aims to raise employment aspirations across Berkshire through the European Social funded project, Employment is Everyone's Business. The project seeks to identify and promote best practice in the transition from education to employment

**Who should attend?**  
This event is aimed at Parents and Carers of young people with Special Educational needs and disabilities who live in Berkshire.

To confirm a place please email: [Laura.davis@base-uk.org](mailto:Laura.davis@base-uk.org) or telephone: 07879492630

**EMPLOYMENT IS EVERYONE'S BUSINESS**  
25<sup>th</sup> June 2019 repeated on 3<sup>rd</sup> July 2019  
Boosting aspirations for young people with SEND

## Creative Writing

Igniting Writing, a creative writing group for 11-18 year olds, is leading a series of creative writing workshops in the summer holidays. The details of the workshops are as follows:

- Fan-fiction creative writing workshop, Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> July, 10:30am to 3:00pm at Wokingham Library (£5 charge to attend)
- Fairy tale creative writing workshop, Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> August, 10:30am to 3:00pm at Wokingham Library (£5 charge to attend)
- Sci-fi settings creative writing session, Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> August, 11:00am to 12:00pm at Bracknell Library (free to attend)
- Sci-fi world-building creative writing session, Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> August, 11:00am to 12:00pm at Bracknell Library (free to attend)
- Sci-fi characters creative writing session, Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> August, 11:00am to 12:00pm at Bracknell Library (free to attend)
- Sci-fi plots creative writing session, Saturday 31<sup>st</sup> August, 11:00am to 12:00pm at Bracknell Library (free to attend)

Each session will include a fun mix writing activities, group discussion and writing tips to help spark the group's imaginations.



**Igniting Writing Summer Teen Writing Workshops**  
Wokingham Library

Ever wanted to try writing and coming up with your own stories?  
Or share your ideas with other aspiring writers? If so, you're in luck - Igniting Writing, Wokingham Library's creative writing club, are running a series of action-packed writing workshops for anyone between 11-18 years old to take part in!

**Fanfiction Addiction**  
Everyone has a series they love getting sucked into, whether it's a book, a TV show, a movie, or something else entirely. If you've ever wanted to explore Hogwarts, or write about Sherlock Holmes in a whole new series of adventures, this workshop is your chance to give it a go and discover an amazing range of stories you can tell with characters and settings you know and love.  
Saturday July 27, 10.30am to 3pm

**Once Upon a Fairy Tale**  
Classic fairy tales, like Jack and the Beanstalk and Cinderella, have been retold countless times. But what is it about those stories that make fairy tales so timeless? And how can they be reimagined and written in the modern day? This workshop will focus on the core elements of fairy tale stories, from characters to settings, and give you the chance to create your own fictional fables.  
Saturday August 3, 10.30am to 3pm

Both of the workshop sessions will include fun writing exercises, group discussions and some useful tips and tricks to sharpen your writing skills.  
There will be a lunch break, so make sure you bring something with you.

£5 charge, per session.  
Places must be booked by calling Wokingham Library on 0118 978 1368.

Wokingham Borough Council logo



What's on: More than just books

**Teen Sci-Fi Creative Writing Month**

Saturday 10th August - Building Sci-Fi Settings  
Saturday 17th August - Exploring Sci-Fi Worlds  
Saturday 24th August - Creating Sci-Fi Protagonists  
Saturday 31st August - Plotting Sci-Fi Stories

**Bracknell Library 11am-12pm**

Bring sci-fi to life with fun writing activities, group discussions and useful tips to sharpen your writing skills. Anyone 11-18 years old is welcome.  
Attendance is completely free. Book via Bracknell Library on 01344 423149.

Twitter: <https://twitter.com/ignitingwriting>  
Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/ignitingwriting/>

bracknell-forest.gov.uk/  
**libraries**  
We've come a long way since Shhhhh!

Bracknell Forest Council logo

**Feedback Initiative**

We would encourage you to submit your views and feedback at anytime, and we look forward to hearing from you regularly.

**Electronic submission:**



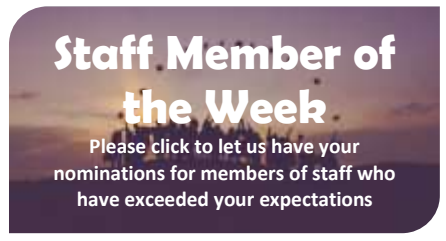
**FAB**  
Please click to share with us your views on what you like about the school

[Fab](#)



**DRAB**  
Please click to share with us your views on what we can do to improve

[Drab](#)



**Staff Member of the Week**  
Please click to let us have your nominations for members of staff who have exceeded your expectations

[Staff Member of the Week](#)

Ms Coley, Headteacher

## Fundraising

Dear Parents and carers

The sponsorship for the group of our parents, friends and students who walked/ran/cycled The Long Walk in Windsor has increased to a total of £691.00 so our overall amount raised has gone up again. Their page is still open if you wish to donate:

<https://mydonate.bt.com/fundraisers/joannefox4>

The students who took part in this event were selected to take part in the signing of the last steel for the new building that Ms Coley reported on. We will always try to find a special way to thank students who raise money for us.

Please note that the date of the Community Walk, organised by Easthampstead Rotary Club, has changed from 19<sup>th</sup> May to 7<sup>th</sup> July. I hope that many of you will and your children will walk with us. We are still working out the logistics of this but I will tell you more about it next week. Please keep the date free.

I look forward to hearing from you.

*Karen Roche, Chair of the governing body*

[fundraising@brakenhale.co.uk](mailto:fundraising@brakenhale.co.uk)



## Brakenhale PTA School Lottery

**Congratulations to the prize draw winners this week.**

Thank you to everyone who has signed up to our school lottery. We are looking to increase new members each month, so if you have not signed up yet now is your chance to do this.

There is a weekly draw in which you could win a prize (approximately £20 depending on participants, which increases the more members we have). Plus you have a weekly chance to win up to £25,000.

There is also a chance to win restaurant vouchers this summer.

Click on the link today and join up: [Support the Brakenhale Lottery](#)

You have to be in it to win it.

**Events and Notices**

**French Club**  
**Wednesday 15:15 – 16:05**  
**Room C03**

In French Club we are going to be reading a world famous French book called 'Le Petit Prince' by Antoine de Saint-Exupéry!



This is the most translated French book in the world and was voted the best book of the 20<sup>th</sup> century in France.

It is the story of a grown-up meeting his inner child, embodied by a Little Prince.

We will be reading the book, watching the film and playing games!

**Brakenhale School Trips**  
 High Expectations and Challenge

**Bawdsey Manor**  
 Suffolk, England



Striving to take students' learning outside the classroom through off-site activities and trips, to give students the exciting opportunity to **learn and enjoy time together outside of the school.**


Next exciting **Key Stage 2 PGL** adventure weekend for Years 2, 3 and 4:

**BAWDSEY MANOR**  
 Woodbridge, Suffolk  
 Friday 5th July to Sunday 7th July 2019

- Activity Centre with various built accommodation blocks around outdoor courtyard
- On-site indoor climbing 4-6 people (climbing bag rental included)
- £20000 per student - covering insurance, travel, accommodation, meals, activities and entertainment

Some of the activities available are:

**Abseiling, Archery, Canoeing, Climbing, Crate Challenge, Focussing, Jacob's Ladder, Low Level Ropes Course, Raft Building, Sports and Team Games, Vertical Challenge Zip Wires, Water Sports**



**BRAKENHALE SCHOOL**  
 High Expectations and Challenge



**Weekend Astro Pitch Deal**



Brakenhale School would like to offer local sports clubs reduced weekend rates on our sand filled astro pitch. We offer Half and Full pitch rentals. Please Contact: [apeacock@brakenhale.co.uk](mailto:apeacock@brakenhale.co.uk) to find out more!

**Anti-Bullying**

**We are here to help!**

Daily support during lunchtimes is available from your trained Diana Award Anti-Bullying Ambassadors:

• Ethan Ryan	• Charlotte Fotherby
• Holly Ryan	• Georgia Harrington
• Leanna Palmer	• Aina Marini
• Callan Harding	• Jade Daniel
• Fran Willet	• Chloe Hawkins
• Wiktoria Anna Chuzak	• Amy Copple
• Lodie Simpson	• Mia Rose Howthorn

Available every day in the SSC at lunchtime

Daily support available from trained Anti-Bullying Ambassadors available in the SSC.

**We are here to help!!!**

Loss of 5 groups after bullying, and every single one of them says 'I'm sorry'.

From the **Anti-Bullying Ambassadors** in the SSC.



TUESDAYS ALL YEARS WELCOME  
 'til 4 in C06



**TEXTILES CLUB**  
 WITH MRS FALUYI

**The Brakenhale Vocal Group**



**Thursday 3:05 - 4:05**  
**LS1**

**ESTEEM**

**MENTAL HEALTH ISSUES AFFECT US ALL**

Managing feelings, emotions and mental wellbeing can be challenging for anyone. So, whether you are up, down or going round and round, why not come and meet up for a chat about how you're feeling; doing, or anything else you want to share.

Talk is cheap, but the rewards are priceless!

**EVERY THURSDAY @ 1.30PM**  
**LUNCHTIMES**  
**LS1**



Do you want to experiment with new materials? Try out new techniques? Work on fun group projects?

**ART CLUB IS FOR YOU**

**Art Club runs every THURSDAY 3:05pm-4:05pm**

All Students are welcome!  
 Location: A02

**Camera Club**



Do you like taking photographs?  
 Do you want to be part of an elite photographic team?  
 Then you should join CAMERA CLUB!

When? Monday lunchtimes LS1 - LS2pm  
 Where? B17  
 When? Afternoon workshop from Year 7 to 10

**Future Events and Notices**



**operating theatre live**

LIVE INTERACTIVE SESSION WITH REAL SPECIMENS

THE UK'S AWARD WINNING LIVE SURGERY EVENT FOR STUDENTS AGED 14-19

OPEN TO ALL STUDENTS AROUND THE SURROUNDING AREAS  
WWW.OPERATINGTHEATRELIVE.CO.UK/PUBLICEVENTS



National Online Safety

7 questions to help you start a conversation with your child about online safety

1. What are phones and apps used for the most?
2. What activities do you enjoy doing and what apps do you use?
3. How do you know if something isn't safe?
4. Do you know what your personal information is?
5. Do you know what to do if you're in trouble?
6. Do you know what your personal information is?
7. Do you know your limits?



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- Learn to defend yourself

Telephone us: 01344 874031  
www.blazemartialarts.com



**Brakenhale Bugle**  
Providing you with all the school news

**We are recruiting!**

Are you passionate about writing? Do you enjoy keeping up to date with current school news? Do you want to be a part of something new and dynamic?

If the answer is yes, then the Newspaper team needs you!

Come along to C14 Tuesday lunchtimes  
**ALL WELCOME**

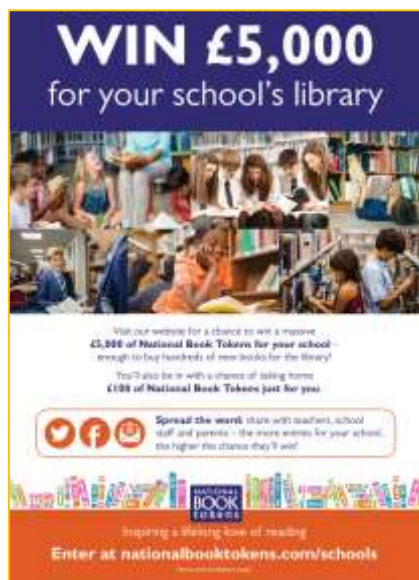


text YM to 85258

**YOUNG MINDS Crisis Messenger**

YM aim to connect every teacher to a trained volunteer in less than 5 minutes to provide support in a crisis. They will listen to you and help you think through how you're feeling, and will aim to help you take the next steps towards feeling better.

Free, 24/7 crisis support across the UK



**WIN £5,000** for your school's library

Win our website for a chance to win a massive **£5,000 of National Book Tokens** for your school - enough to buy hundreds of new books for the library!

You'll also be in with a chance of taking home **£100 of National Book Tokens** just for you!

Spread the word! Share with teachers, school staff and parents - the more entries for your school, the higher the chance they'll win!

Enter at [nationalbooktokens.com/schools](http://nationalbooktokens.com/schools)



**Rotary Club of Bracknell**

**3 counties cycle ride**

Riding For Charity **First Sunday in June** Fun For the Family

[www.3ccr.org](http://www.3ccr.org)

If you would like more information and details of how to enter the 2019 Three Counties Cycle Ride please go to our website at [www.3ccr.org](http://www.3ccr.org) where your questions will be answered and you can apply on-line. Alternately telephone 07748701346 and speak to a committee member.

## Easy Fundraising

With [easyfundraising.org.uk](http://easyfundraising.org.uk) you collect free donations to your selected cause every time you shop. You can make a big difference on everything from groceries to getaways and it doesn't cost you a penny! When you shop the easyfundraising way with one of their 3083 shops and sites they give easyfundraising a commission for your purchase which is turned into a donation for your selected good cause.

When you visit the website [easyfundraising.org.uk](http://easyfundraising.org.uk) - simply search for the retailer you want to shop with and click out to them using the green 'Go Shopping' button. You will be taken straight to the retailer's website and your experience will be identical as if you had gone there directly but easyfundraising will be able to track your purchase to ensure a donation for your good cause.

You can also install their Donation Reminder - this means a box will appear if you are shopping with a retailer who participates in the Donation Reminder and you don't even need to visit the easyfundraising site! All you need to do is click Activate Donations and any eligible purchase will be recorded for you. Take a look at the Donation Reminder [here](#). The Donation Reminder is supported by Chrome, Firefox, Internet Explorer and Safari but can't work on mobile phones or tablets.

Shopping on your mobile? No problem, for mobile phones and tablets there is the handy easyfundraising App, perfect if you like to shop on the go and available completely free of charge from your App store. Now you can not only shop using it but you can check out your own donation total and see how your cause is getting on too. More information can be found [here](#).

Don't forget to shop through [www.easyfundraising.org.uk](http://www.easyfundraising.org.uk) to effortlessly help raise money for the school!



## Current Vacancies

We have the following exciting opportunities at Brakenhale. Please see the website for more details. <http://brakenhale.co.uk/about/vacancies/>

- Nursery Manager
- D&T Technician
- Graduates in Science and D&T

## Future Diary Dates

*\* Please note that all events may be subject to change*

Tuesday 18 <sup>th</sup> June	School Tour, 9.15-10.45am
Wednesday 19 <sup>th</sup> June	KS3 Bawdsey Manor Trip Parent Information Evening
Thursday 20 <sup>th</sup> June	STOP Parenting Meeting
Friday 21 <sup>st</sup> June	PTA Meeting
Monday 24 <sup>th</sup> June	School Tour, 9.15-10.45am
Tuesday 25 <sup>th</sup> June	STEM Day
Wednesday 26 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 11 Sixth Form Transition Day
Thursday 27 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 11 Sixth Form Transition Day
	Year 11 Leavers' Assembly, 3pm
	School Tour, 9.15-10.45am
	STOP Parenting Meeting
	Year 11 Prom, 6-11pm

## Term Dates

### Term Dates 2018-19

#### SUMMER TERM 2019

Term dates for students:

Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> April to Friday 19<sup>th</sup> July

*(Inset Days: Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> and Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> July)*

Summer Half Term – Monday 27<sup>th</sup> to Friday 31<sup>st</sup> May

Last day of Summer Term for students – Friday 19<sup>th</sup> July

### Term Dates 2019-20

#### AUTUMN TERM 2019

Term dates for students:

*(Inset Days: Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> and Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> September)*

Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> September to Friday 13<sup>th</sup> December

Autumn Half Term – Monday 28<sup>th</sup> October to Friday 1<sup>st</sup> November

Last day of Autumn Term for students – Friday 13<sup>th</sup> December

*(Inset Day: Monday 16<sup>th</sup> December)*

Christmas Holiday: Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> December to Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> January 2020 \*

*\*Extra school closure days in December and January for the transition into the new building*

#### SPRING TERM 2020

Term dates for students:

Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> January to Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> April

Spring Half Term – Monday 17<sup>th</sup> to Friday 21<sup>st</sup> February

Last day of Spring Term for students – Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> April

Easter Holiday: Monday 6<sup>th</sup> April to Friday 17<sup>th</sup> April

*(Good Friday 10<sup>th</sup> April, Easter Monday 13<sup>th</sup> April)*

#### SUMMER TERM 2020

Term dates for students:

Monday 20<sup>th</sup> April to Friday 17<sup>th</sup> July

Summer Half Term – Monday 25<sup>th</sup> to Friday 29<sup>th</sup> May

Last day of Summer Term for students – Friday 17<sup>th</sup> July

*(Inset Days: Monday 20<sup>th</sup> and Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> July)*

Bracknell Forest term dates can be found on their website:

<https://www.bracknell-forest.gov.uk/schools-and-learning/schools/term-dates>



**#challengeforall**

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