

# BROOKDALE BULLETIN

Brookdale Primary School's Weekly Newsletter

## Online Safety

According to the 2024 Ofcom report into media attitudes among children and their parents, a third (32%) of 8-12 year olds reported seeing something worrying or nasty online in the past 12 months. What's more, almost two-fifths say they have adopted 'riskier' online behaviours. This is when children hide their internet activity so no one can check what they're viewing. So, how are parents supposed to monitor what their children look at online?

Activating broadband parental controls will help your child stay safe while they browse, study and interact online. We'll show you how to control internet access, so everyone at home can use broadband with confidence.

[CLICK HERE](#)



## Golden Table Awards

**F2 - Millie Ault**

**Year 1 - Charlie Sell**

**Year 2 - Keira Graham**

**Year 3 - Alana Pollard**

**Year 4 - Agatha Schorah**

**Year 5 - Max Hammett**

**Year 6 - Bill Todd**



## Stars of the Week

**Pre-School - Sophia Dickaty**

**F2 - Alex Pollard**

**Year 1 - Jacob Greenfield**

**Year 2 - Myla Bristow**

**Year 3 - Alana Pollard**

**Year 4 - Nathaniel Atkinson**

**Year 5 - Henry Allen**

**Year 6 - Isla Smith**



## School Values and Growth Mindset Awards

**Pre-School - Dougie Roberts**

**F2 - Millie Ault**

**Year 1 - Ethan Cross**

**Year 2 - Brodie Nelson**

**Year 3 - Sophia Jones**

**Year 4 - Sienna Waland**

**Year 5 - Luca Scregg**

**Year 6 - Abi Lee**



## ATTENDANCE

Good attendance at school is very important. If you are not here, you can't learn! We always aim to have an attendance percentage of 100%!

The table below shows you the attendance percentage this week:

F2	96.6
Year 1	93.2
Year 2	98
Year 3	99.3
Year 4	91.6
Year 5	96
Year 6	94
Whole School	95.5

## Next School Week

### Monday 21st October

- KS1 Dance Club - 3.15pm - 4.15pm
- Parents' Evening - 3.45pm - 6.00pm

### Tuesday 22nd October

- Year 6 Girls Football v's Greasby Juniors @ Greasby Junior School - 3.45pm - 4.45pm
- Parents' Evening 4.30pm - 6.30pm

### Wednesday 23rd October

- KS2 Basketball Club - 3.15pm - 4.15pm
- Parents' Evening - 3.45pm - 6.00pm

### Thursday 24th October

- KS1 PTA Disco - 3.15pm - 4.30pm
- KS2 PTA Disco - 4.45pm - 6.00pm

### Friday 25th October

- **INSET DAY**- School closed for pupils

**SCHOOL RE-OPENS Monday 4th November**

## BPS Vision Statement

*'Inspiring, engaging and nurturing our children to achieve and flourish as citizens of today and the future.'*

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## World Championships Bronze!

Jasmine, one of our Year 6 sporting superstars, competed in the UIPM 2024 Biathlon/Triathlon World Championships. Jasmine made it through to the semi-finals and into the final of both the Triathlon and Biathlon. It was a tough competition but she came 15th in both finals and got a team bronze in the Triathlon. Well done, Jasmine! Your Brookdale family are so proud of you!



## Black History Month

On Monday, a team from MEAS (Minority Ethnic Achievement Service), visited Brookdale to deliver a workshops to Year 5 on the theme of Black History month. They also delivered a whole school assembly on the same theme, linking with school and British Values of #Respect.



## Cross Country Team

Our Cross Country Team competed at Arrowe park on Monday, showing their usual determination and teamwork! Well done, #teamBrookdale!



Can you help our PTA by shopping in ASDA? Parentkind – the charity that supports school PTAs - have teamed up with Asda, who are making millions of pounds available to donate to primary schools across the UK through their 'Cashpot for Schools' initiative.

All you have to do is, opt in through the Asda Rewards app. Go to Cashpots in the app then select the Cash for Schools option and then choose Brookdale - our post-code is CH49 1SE.

When you shop and scan in-store or shop online at Asda.com, Asda will donate 0.5% of the value of your shop to our school. Also, every time somebody opts in, Asda will give an additional £1 to the school Cashpot. **We have raised £227 already!**

All money raised will be donated to our PTA to spend on the things our school needs the most.





## Nasal flu vaccine for 2 to 16 year olds (year 11)

Speak to the team on **0151 514 2510**



This term, children in F2 to Year 6 will be offered the nasal flu vaccine at school on **12th November**

This will be administered by the Wirral 0-19 Immunisation Team.

No child will be vaccinated without parental permission which you can give by clicking here: <https://www.wchcimms.co.uk/Forms/Flu>

Our school code is WC105028



## flu: 5 reasons to vaccinate your child



### 1. Protect your child

The vaccine will help protect your child against flu and serious complications such as bronchitis and pneumonia

### 2. Protect you, your family and friends

Vaccinating your child will help protect more vulnerable friends and family

### 3. No injection needed

The nasal spray is painless and easy to have

### 4. It's better than having flu

The nasal spray helps protect against flu, has been given to millions of children worldwide and has an excellent safety record

### 5. Avoid costs

If your child gets flu, you may have to take time off work or arrange alternative childcare

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## Bikeability

Well done to many of our Year 5 pupils who took part in the Bikeability programme this week to ensure they are safe and knowledgeable on the roads when cycling.



## LIGHT UP GREASBY THE BIG SWITCH ON 2024

**SUPPORTED BY**  
**Wirral Wetrooms**

**Sunday 24th November 1-7pm**

**5pm FESTIVE LANTERN PARADE**  
**5.30pm THE BIG SWITCH ON**

**Christmas Market with Celestial Events**  
**Story Time with Father Christmas @ The Manor**  
**Live Music & Entertainment**  
**The BIG SWITCH ON RAFFLE with Vets4Pets!**  
**Food stalls and mulled wine**  
**Fairground rides**

# BROOKDALE BISTRO

**Lunchtime Menu for Week Beginning Monday 21st October**

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY
<p><i>Hot Dogs</i></p> <p><i>Either pork or Quorn sausage served in a finger roll with potato wedges and peas.</i></p>	<p><i>Chicken Pie</i></p> <p><i>Freshly cooked chicken breast in a rich gravy topped with golden pastry served with sauteed potatoes and green beans</i></p> <p><i>Veggie Option available</i></p>	<p><i>Spaghetti Bolognese</i></p> <p><i>Minced beef or Quorn mince cooked with tomatoes and garlic served with spaghetti and broccoli</i></p>	<p><i>Fish Fingers or Vegetable Nuggets</i></p> <p><i>Served with chips, peas, or baked beans</i></p>
<i>Jacket Potatoes and our Deli Bar are available daily</i>			
<i>Dessert</i>			
<i>Cake and flavoured custard</i>	<i>Flapjack</i>	<i>Chocolate Crunch</i>	<i>Vanilla iced sponge</i>
<i>Fresh Fruit, Yogurts or Cheese and Crackers</i>			
<i>Drink</i>			
<i>A selection of cordial, milk or water.</i>			

[Click here to go to our website for the full 3-week menu](#)