

Broughton Community Schools

Newsletter



Friday 28th November 2025

Dear parents and carers,

The end of November is almost upon us, I find it amazing how quickly time goes when we are busy and how long ago September feels now. It is good to see how well the children are doing in school and in such a good routine in their learning.

Today we have our winter warmer event in the Infant School and I do hope as many of you as possible will attend. This is one of the biggest events of the year for raising money for the schools and without the generosity of both the PTFA and you, we would not be able to do lots of the extra things we do in school. I will be there, as will lots of other staff as well so please do come and say hello.

Last weekend I had the pleasure of watching the schools take part in just their second ever cross country event. Although I couldn't stay for all of the races I have seen the results and I know the effort the boys and girls have been putting into this event. Mrs Rackham has included the results below but so I don't want to spoil things but I am incredibly proud of every single one of the competitors. I would also like to give a special thank you to Mrs Rackham who runs with the children each week and organised being part of the event - this is very much appreciated by the children, parents and staff.

We also had some other brilliant sporting results over the past few weeks - the girls beat their local rivals, Kingsbrook View, 4-0 to progress to the next round of the cup. What a brilliant achievement! The boys were also in action in the cup, they also progressed through beating Brill School 3-1 in what can only be described as Arctic conditions! Well done boys and girls!

You may have noticed on the Bucks website that we are recruiting for an additional Learning Support Assistant at the Junior School. If you are interested then please do get in contact with either school office. You can see the job advertised here - https://jobs.buckinghamshire.gov.uk/job_detail/336619/ There are lots of perks to working at Broughton Schools that are not offered in other schools so come in and find out about what working at Broughton is like!

I will leave you all with a polite reminder - we don't always get things right, we are not perfect and we make mistakes - we are also human and mistakes are what help us to learn. If we make a mistake or don't do something right then do let us know, speak to us about this but do it in a way you would like to be spoken to as well. We are an open and honest school, we try our best and we want the best for every child but we have to work together on this - it is a partnership that helps children to THRIVE in school and at home. Have a lovely weekend and see you all next week.

Mr Charlie Reed

Important notices

Bikes and scooters

Please can we remind you that children (and adults) should not be riding bikes or scooters on the school site at drop-off and pick-up times. This is a rule that has been in place for a long time at Broughton but we've noticed an increase in this recently. Due to the number of people on site at these times, it isn't safe. The children have been reminded by their class teachers so we ask that parents/carers enforce this rule too please.

Spare Clothes

We are in need of spare jogging bottoms for the Infant School, black or blue only please. If your child is sent home wearing spare clothes, please can you make sure these are washed and returned to school. Thank you for your help.

Christmas Jumper Day

We will be doing Christmas Jumper Day this year on the same day as our Christmas Dinner - Friday 12th December. Your child is welcome to wear a festive jumper in return for a donation to the Save the Children charity. We will be collecting donations online this year via the School Money app.



School Sports

Cross-Country

On Saturday 22nd November, 19 children bravely faced the cold, wet weather to participate in the Turnfurlong Cross-Country event. Competing with over 30 schools from the local area, the children put all of their hard work and training into action, running against their peers in either the 600m, 800m or 1,200m events. We are extremely proud of all of the children who competed as they all finished their races confidently, showing great speed and determination, despite the muddy conditions.

Many of the children finished in the top 10 runners, which is absolutely fantastic, and Naomi (Y6) came second in the girls 1200m. Due to the placing of all the runners, the school finished fourth overall! This is an excellent result for our first experience of this event – we can't wait to see how we get on next year!

We would like to say a big thank you to all the staff who have helped with the training for this event: Mrs Rackham, Miss Hawes, Mr Bethune, Mrs Steward, Mr Hearn, Mr Meads and Miss Bannoeks, and of course, another well done to all our amazing runners:

- Y6: Jayden, Maisie, Frankie, Naomi, Casper
- Y5: Laura, Beau, Methmi, Alfie
- Y4: Evelyn, Jack, Eva, Oliver
- Y3: Harry, Amy, Alfie, Leo, Henry, Delilah



Football results

The Broughtonesses have made an excellent start to their season after winning their first match 1-0 vs Bedgrove in the league. It was great to see the girls work together and support one another with confidence, as we had plenty of shots hitting the target but credit to the Bedgrove goalkeeper who made save after save. Ella-Mae's shot was one too many though who got the only one of the match. The girls should be super proud of this result and their resilience. The following week, we played in the first round of the district cup - beating our local rivals, Kingsbrook View, 4-0 to book our place in the next round. They started well and were 1 goal up at half time with a goal from Naomi. They continued to push forward in the second half scoring another three, with goals coming from Maisie and Laura. Naomi finished the match with the fourth goal of the match and her second. Another fantastic result to be proud of.

Squad - Year 6: Naomi (Captain), Evie (VC), Maisie, Thea, Ella-Mae, Tatenda & Abbie. Year 5: Laura, Edie, Myla.

Broughton A team had Two tough games last week.

Firstly the team travelled to Bedgrove in the league , with a couple of chances missed early on for both sides the first half ended 0-0. In a closely fought second half, Bedgrove in the closing minutes, snuck in a way to find a goal and win the game 1-0 Broughton's first loss for over a year!

In the second game the team Travelled to Brill on a cold damp evening in the cup. In what can only be described as a fantastic performance Broughton ran out 3-1 winners. Goals from Reegan (x2) and Frankie ensured that they are in the next round of the cup.

Special mention to Frankie and Josh for their player of the match performances.

Squad - Frankie, Reegan, Benji, Oscar, Joshua, JJ, Eze, Mason.

Dates for your diary

Infant School dates

Friday 28th Nov - PTFA Winter Warmer
Mon 1st Dec - Choir singing at Aston Manor
Wed 3rd Dec - Zoolab Visit Reception
Wed 3rd Dec - Open classrooms (3:15 – 3:40pm)
Tue 9th Dec - Reception Christmas concert 9.30am
Tue 9th Dec - Yr 1&2 Christmas Performance 2.15pm
Wed 10th Dec - Yr 1&2 Christmas Performance 9.30am
Wed 10th Dec - Rocksteady concert pm
Fri 12th Dec - Christmas Dinner & Christmas Jumper Day
Wed - 17th Dec - Waterside Theatre Panto
Friday 19th Dec - Break up for Christmas holidays
Mon 5th Jan - INSET DAY
Tues 6th Jan - Children back to school

Junior School dates

Friday 28th Nov - PTFA Winter Warmer
Mon 1st Dec - Choir singing at Aston Manor
Tues 2nd Dec - Y6 Ocelot Class Williams F1 Trip
Wed 3rd Dec - Open classrooms (3:15 – 3:40pm)
Mon 8th Dec - Yr 4&5 Christmas Performance 1.45pm
Wed 10th Dec - Rocksteady concert pm
Fri 12th Dec - Christmas Dinner & Christmas Jumper Day
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Infant School Certificates

Our school value for this half term is kindness.

Reception

21.11.25

Theo L- Showing kindness to others in the classroom and helping them.

Jack W - For being a kind and caring member of the class

28.11.25

Myla-Rose- for showing fantastic kindness by helping keeping the classroom tidy

Nina-Louise- for always helping her friends and being kind

Other certificates:

Bronze - Jude, Maisie, Wilbur, Nina-Louise, Julia

Year 1

21.11.25

Al-Hadi - for being polite, kind and caring towards others.

Olivia - for being a polite, well mannered member of the class who is always ready to learn.

28.11.25

Elsie - for always showing kindness to others and being a good role model.

Riley - for being a very kind and helpful member of our class.

Other certificates:

Handwriting - Aarav, Caira, Jed, Callum

Bronze reader - Aisha, Al-Hadi, Evelyn, Olivia, Aayan, Tilly, Luca, Albie, Osman, Elsie

Year 2

21.11.25

Riley - for always being kind to everyone.

Maya - for spreading kindness with her warm and positive attitude.

28.11.25

Katie - for always being kind to everyone and using lovely manners.

Nevada - for the kindness she is showing to herself by being more positive.

Other certificates:

Bronze reader - Felix, Harriet, Oscar, Jessica, Aleha, Alexander, Izabela, Tobias, Louie, Elias, Arlo, Max & Samuel.

11 Club - Kairav. 22 Club - Jack, Felix, Katie, Colby. 33 Club - Eddie & Isaiah.

Handwriting - Christian, Arlo.

Class Attendance Award

Week 1 - Otter Class - 98.3%

Week 2 - Kingfisher Class - 97%

TEAM POINTS LEADERBOARD	
1st	Blue
2nd	Green
3rd	Yellow
4th	Red

Junior School Certificates

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Year 3

21.11.25

Brody - for always looking out for others

Emily G- Fir always being kind and looking out for others.

28.11.25

Chloe- helping a classmate with their work without being asked.

Zainab - for always being there for her friends and helping around the classroom too!

Other certificates:

Bronze Reader - Joshua S, Rowan, Rae

33 Club - Inayah, Henry, Mylo, 44 Club - Joshua S, Rowan, 66 Club - Haider, Arlo, 77 Club - Shayaan

Year 4

21.11.25

Alice - for always being a great friend and a trusted and valued member of Narwhal class.

Scarlet - For being kind by helping others with their learning.

28.11.25

Ryan - for having a fantastic week, playing nicely with everyone and being super helpful in the classroom

Mohammed - For always using his manners and being a polite member of the class.

Other certificates:

Bronze reader - Ethan, Tanya, Eva, Harry, Hari, Lyla Silver reader - Euan

Bronze teampoints - Luke, Adam

11 club - Dolly, 44 club- Tra, Hafsa, Jamie, 55 club - Lyla, 77 club- Hudson 88 club - Luke, Bronze - Seb, Ananya, Saim, Mohammed, Tanya

Year 5

21.11.25

Aroush - for doing everything with a kind and gentle nature

Beatrice - for always cheering up her friends when they are sad.

28.11.25

Darcey - For returning to school with a fantastic attitude and a big smile on her face

Darcey H - for always showing kindness toward others and being a good friend

Other certificates:

Bronze team points - Isabella, Myla, Edia, Darcey, Neriayah

Silver team points - Levii, Dolly, Methmi

66 club - Vibhu

Reader of the week - Methmi - for consistently logging her reading, Rafe - for having an excellent attitude towards his reading

Year 6

21.11.25

Emilia - for showing kindness and being a good friend.

28.11.25

Jayden - for showing kindness and care, always helping others around him.

Robin Searl - for always being a kind and caring influence in our classroom.

Other certificates:

Reader of the week - Alia - for working hard on reading comprehension

Bronze award - Ruby, Ella-Mae, Fatima, Zipho, Logan

Silver award - Aliza

66 club - Tatenda

77 club - Isabella, Emilia

Completion of 99 Club - Santino, Ilyas

Class Attendance Award

Week 1 - Year 6 - Ocelot - 100% - super effort!

Week 2 - Year 5 - Pangolin - 98.4%

Times tables Rock Stars Champions

Class of the week - Week 1 - Year 5 - Panda Class

Player of the week - Week 1 - Year 4 - Turtle - Chloe.

Class of the week - Week 2 - Year 6 - Jaguar

Player of the week - Week 2 - Year 6 - Jaguar - Luqman.

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2nd	RED
3rd	GREEN
4th	BLUE

What's been happening in Year 4?



What a busy, fun-filled and exciting term Year 4 are having! We began the year with a school trip to Amersham Field Centre for our Science topic, where the children experienced hands-on activities such as pond

dipping and identifying minibeasts. Later that month, we had a great time carrying out fieldwork around

Kingsbrook for our Geography topic all about human impact on the environment.



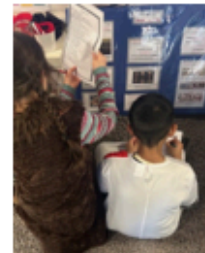
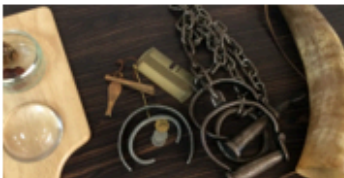
The children then thoroughly enjoyed another school trip, this time to Wimbledon. We had a fantastic day out and it was very memorable.



In order to help support Children in Need, we baked a massive, fabulous cake and raised an impressive £134. Thank you for all your support!



Just this week, the children had so much fun during our Viking Day. They got to learn many historical facts from our Viking expert, including all about weapons, daily life, where the Vikings came from and more! The children have also worked really hard in other areas of the curriculum and we are proud of their progress this term.



Find out what's happening in Year Reception and Year 3 in a fortnight's time!

Ensuring every child THRIVES

SEND support at Broughton



I am Mrs Kitchen the Inclusion Manager across both the Infant and Junior sites of Broughton Community Schools. Welcome to our section of the newsletter for families of pupils with Special Educational Needs and Disabilities (SEND). If you need to contact me, you can do so via the school offices by telephone on 01296 423276 (Juniors)/ (01296) 415642 (Infants) or by email:

office@broughton.bucks.sch.uk office@broughtoninfant.bucks.sch.uk



This Week's Focus: Parental support

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OR SCAN the QR code or CLICK on the
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**RECEPTION
-YEAR 6**



ADHD Tips to support your child at home (2 hours)

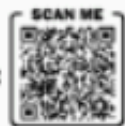


Wed 14th Jan



9:30am - 11:30am

Course code:
FMAC135



AUTISM Tips to support your child at home (2 hours)



Mon 19th Jan



7pm - 9pm

Course code:
FMAC134



**YEARS
3, 4, 5 & 6**



WELLBEING

Help your child to stay safe when playing games, doing homework
or meeting friends online (4 weeks)



Tue 13th Jan - Tue 3rd Feb



12:30pm - 2:30pm

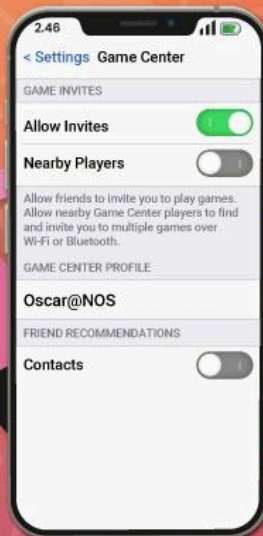
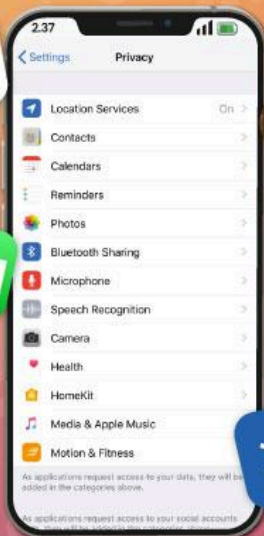
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At National Online Safety, we believe in empowering parents, carers and trusted adults with the information to hold an informed conversation about online safety with their children, should they feel it is needed. This guide focuses on one issue of many which we believe trusted adults should be aware of. Please visit www.nationalonlinesafety.com for further guides, hints and tips for adults.

How to Set up PARENTAL CONTROLS for APPS iPhone

Apple devices come with built-in apps already available: Mail, FaceTime and Safari, for example. However, you can choose which apps and features appear on your child's device and which ones don't. You can also manipulate the features in Game Centre to enhance your child's safety and privacy when playing games, as well as blocking iTunes or App Store purchases if you wish.



How to Restrict Built-in Apps/Features

- 1 Open Settings
- 2 Tap Screen Time
- 3 Tap Content & Privacy Restrictions
- 4 Tap Allowed Apps (you may need to toggle this to 'on' at the top)
- 5 Enable or disable the apps you wish to appear (or disappear) on your child's device

How to Restrict Game Centre

- 1 Open Settings
- 2 Tap Screen Time
- 3 Tap Content & Privacy Restrictions
- 4 Tap Content Restrictions (you may need to switch the toggle at the top to the 'on' position)
- 5 Scroll down to Game Centre
- 6 Choose between Allow, Don't Allow, or Allow with Friends Only in the settings for each feature

How to Restrict iTunes & App Store Purchases

- 1 Open Settings
- 2 Tap Screen Time
- 3 Tap Content & Privacy Restrictions
- 4 Tap iTunes & App Store Purchases
- 5 Select Allow or Don't Allow for each feature (you can also lock these settings with a password)



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THE ROTARY CLUB OF AYLESBURY CAROL FLOAT 2025



HO HO HO Santa is almost ready for his annual visit to Aylesbury.

From Sunday 7th December Santa as usual will be visiting the estates of Aylesbury and the High Street. His helpers will be present with their collecting buckets, card readers , QR codes collecting for our local charities and foodbanks.

So remember to put the dates in your diaries!

The visits at the weekend will start around 5.30pm

The visits on weekdays will start around 6pm.

All rounds must finish by 8pm (a licencing requirement).

ROUTES

Sunday December 7th	MEADOWCROFT & QUARRENDON
Monday December 8th	HAWKESLADE
Tuesday December 9th	THE COPPICE / IVINGHOE VIEW
Thursday December 11th	SOUTHCOURT
Saturday December 13th	WEEDON RD/SAVERNAKE
Tuesday December 16th	HAYDON HILL
Wednesday December 17th	ELM FARM NORTH
Thursday December 18th	WATERMEAD SOUTH
Saturday December 20th	AYLESBURY HIGH STREET 10am -4pm

More details for each route will be posted on our Facebook page and new website in December and hopefully the Tracker will work.

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