



Brighstone Buzz

11th March, 2016

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Another week comes to the end bathed in sunshine and warmth. It was wonderful to see children cycling and scootering to School again. Last time we won the scooter pods which are now situated on the playground and I am really looking forward to winning some scooters for the School for all to use. I have had a wonderful week this week popping into classes. My visit to Year 2 was truly enlightening I never knew the real story of the 3 little pigs told from the wolves' point of view and I can't wait to read the finished narratives.

I would like to congratulate all the football teams for their determination, sportsmanship and grit over this season. I know this last week each team has met with defeat, but it is through endeavours coming through disappointment, but what is defeat? Nothing but education, nothing but the first step to something better and as Michael Forbe said, victory is sweetest when you have known defeat. On behalf of all the teams we would like to say a huge thank you to Mrs. Snow and Mr. Evans for all their hard work in training and arranging matches. Roll on next year.

Next week the Bishop is coming to Brighstone and has agreed to open the new Year 5/Year 6 classrooms while he is here. However, we look forward next term to celebrating the new buildings with everyone in true Brighstone style.

I am pleased to say that we have had many prospective applications for the teaching posts and Headship and I look forward to working with the successful candidates in September.

Next week as you will see the Year 4 and Year 6 will be selling their raffle tickets for the Easter Egg raffle. Please help them to raise as much money as possible towards their Residential Trip. Have a lovely weekend. Mrs. Pugh

Golden Book

Bee	Daisy ~ Swimming Certificate for 25m!! Dominic ~ Certificate of Bravery for injection. Elin ~ for always having lovely manners at Breakfast and FAB club.
Caterpillar	Hannah ~ Mathletics certificate.
Grasshopper	Todd ~ Swimming Certificate. Shannon ~ wrote and performed a song for her Mum on Mother's Day. Mum was very proud! Alanna ~ Certificate of completion – The Hour of Code.
Dragonfly	Immy & Evan ~ For excellent reading in front of the whole class. Immy ~ For being a great leader on the Small Leadership Team.

Under 11's football team received certificates ~ Bella, Poppy, Immy, Izzy G, Fiona, Grace R, Eadie, Holly & Bess.

Seated Volleyball Team received certificates ~ Johnnie, Reece, Max, Bailey, Gabby & Bethan.

The School Choir sung beautifully for the whole school. Thank you and Well done!

Collective Worship focus – Justice

Jeremiah 9:23-24

Thus says the LORD: "Let not the wise man boast in his wisdom, let not the mighty man boast in his might, let not the rich man boast in his riches, but let him who boasts boast in this, that he understands and knows me, that I am the LORD who practices steadfast love, justice, and righteousness in the earth. For in these things I delight, declares the LORD."

HEATHER'S HEALTHY HEARTY MENU

Monday	Cheese & Tomato Pizza with ½ jacket potato OR Mexican Rice & Beans with Tortilla Wrap (v), sweetcorn & coleslaw followed by fruity delight
Tuesday	Roast beef OR Cheesy Hotpot (v) with roast potatoes, gravy, cabbage and carrots followed by sticky toffee pudding and custard.
Wednesday	Cottage Pie OR Vegetarian sausages (v) with New potatoes and gravy with garden peas and swede followed by chocolate sponge and custard.
Thursday	Chinese Chicken with noodles OR quorn bolognaise (v) with Jacket potato, sweetcorn and broccoli followed by flapjack.
Friday	Crispy battered fish and chips OR baked vegetable frittata (v) with baked beans, garden peas followed by giant crunchy cookie

Mixed Salad, freshly baked bread, fresh fruit, milk and water are also available daily.

If your child does not like what is on the menu there is the alternative of a Jacket Potato with cheese, cheese and beans, beans or tuna mayo which they can order during registration.

School Dinners for Years 3-6 are charged at £2.05. If you would like to pay for school dinners for the whole half term it will be **£49.20**

Attendance %:

Bee	95.15
Butterfly	83.54
Ladybird	92.52
Caterpillar	93.41
Grasshopper	91.63
Cricket	87.62
Dragonfly	88.78
Whole School:	89.77

Congratulations to Bee Class for their positive attendance this week.
Well done!



Dates for your diary:

March

- Friday 18th ~ BSA Disco - Reception, Y1, Y2 and Y3 will be from 6pm to 7pm and Years 4,5 and 6 will be 7.15 to 8.15pm.
- Saturday 19th ~ Brighstone & District Horticultural Spring Show – 1.30-4.00, Wilberforce Hall
- Thurs 24th ~ Last day of Spring Term
- Sun 27th ~ Easter Sunday

April

- Mon 11th ~ First day of Summer term
- Sat 23rd ~ Family Fun Day (More info below)

Easter Egg Raffle – 50p

Years 4 and 6 have been writing to local shops and supermarkets to ask for donations of Easter Eggs for our raffle to raise money towards their residential trips. From Monday, a chart will be available in the school office for you to buy a square or two or three for 50p. The draw will take place on the last day of term. You've got to be in it to win it! Donations of more Easter Eggs welcome.

School Disco

The BSA School Disco is next Friday the 18th March in the School Hall.

Reception, Y1, Y2 and Y3 will be from 6pm to 7pm and Years 4,5 and 6 will be 7.15 to 8.15pm.

Tickets are £2, available from the School office NOW!

Drinks will be provided and Sweets will be available to buy.

Family Book Quiz

Congratulations to the following children and families:

Reception ~ William, Charlotte

Year 1 ~ Matilda, Olivia, Lily

Year 2 ~ Eloise, Lisa, Evie

Year 3 ~ Finn

Year 4 ~ Alex V, Frida, Finley

Year 5 ~ Freya C, Grace, Ben, Lauren, April, Patrick, The Beattie Family

Year 6 ~ The House Family, Katie, Bethan

They all got the answers right and received a prize of a book. Well done to all who took part.

Meet the Head Teacher for the Summer Term

Mr Snow will be in school on Thursday 17th of March from 2.30pm in the library if you would like the chance to say hello.

Family Fun Day

In aid of Hampshire and IW air ambulance.

St Georges Day (Sat 23rd April)

1.30-4pm on the School Field

50p Entry, under 4's Free

Games and Activities for all ages

Refreshments

Skateboard sessions with Wight Trash

Baby and Toddler area

Face Painting

Chocolate Tombola

Picnic Area

All Welcome!

Wolverton Folk & Blues Fair

In aid of Leukaemia Research & Brighstone Primary School

Saturday 14th May

Gates open 11.30am

Tickets £6 in advance £9 on the gate

Live Music from Midday until 8pm

Wolverton Manor, Shorwell

www.folkandblues.org.uk

The BSA would welcome any help on the day, a rota will be in the office from Monday. Donations of Cakes for the Tea Tent will also be gratefully received.

Wight Strollers

St Peter's Church (Shorwell) in association with Wight Strollers are putting on Joseph at Medina Theatre on July 9th and 10th, raising money for Island charities. We will be performing with an orchestra and some of the Island's most experienced adult performers.

We will be rehearsing from the second week in April on Tuesday evenings, with occasional Thursdays (nearer the production time) and Sunday afternoons for the Choir. We will rehearse in Shorwell.

We are looking for 20 young people aged 9+ to join the Choir - its lots of fun and there is plenty to do, with the choir on stage throughout the show.

We would love any young folk who are interested to join us on Sunday 19th March from 2.30pm at Shorwell village hall. We'll be singing through Close Every Door and Pharaoh Story (which the Choir will sing to start Act Two) - Music and lyrics available from the school office for those who might want to look at them beforehand.

Look forward to seeing as many of you as possible although numbers are limited to 20.

Football Reports

6th March Match

On the 6th of march 2016 the under 11s girls football team lost a semi-final match against St. Francis it was a neck and neck match, in the first half it was still 0 – 0 and everybody in the team was working so so so so hard! Sadly in the second round St. Francis scored 2 goals but that made us work even harder, Bess Hutchings (right wing) went for goal but sadly it hit the post, we lost the match but every single person in the team did amazing well done!!!!

Team Captain Bella McGrory–Patton (goalie)

1st March Match

Girls football team had a match on the 1st of march 2016. We had a cup match against St. Francis. In the first half it was 0-0 in the second half it was still 0-0 so we had to go in to 5 mins extra time and sadly one of their players scored so they won. We worked so so so so hard for this.

By Holly Mariner