



Carrant Brook Junior School Newsletter

Newsletter Date: 22 March 2019

Headteacher's Message:

Dear Parents/Carers



The weeks are flying by and Easter is fast approaching. Next Friday afternoon, Ms Evans is organising The Great Pea Hunt for the children. The event is a closely guarded secret, but enjoyment and fun is a given!!

Don't forget the Easter Egg competition in the final week of term, along with the Easter Egg Hunt, both organised by the PTFA.

Year 3 are attending Experience Easter at St Nicholas Church on Wednesday 3rd April. We will need parent helpers to walk the children to and from the church in the morning. Please let your child's class teacher know if you are able to help with this.

St Nicholas Church are again running the Easter colouring competition. If your child would like to enter, please collect a template from the School Office.

Please can I remind Parents that Breakfast Club starts from 8.15am. It is lovely to see children eager to attend School, but please be aware that supervision for the children doesn't commence until 8.15am.

Kind Regards
Mrs Budd

IMPORTANT HEALTH & SAFETY INFORMATION ABOUT THE TRIM TRAIL:

**Can I please once again remind
Parents/Carers & Childminders
that children **must not** play on
the Trim trail before or after
school, this includes playing with
the items that are hanging**

***(they are there to stop birds from
defecating on the equipment).***

Thank you for your co-operation.

School Uniform:

From September, we will be asking parents to order uniform directly from the Brigade website. This will then be sent to the School so you will not be charged for delivery. As we have a number of sweatshirts and cardigans in stock, we will be selling these at a reduced price (Cardigans £8 & Sweatshirts £7).

Please ring or call in to the School office for more information.

Asthma Update:

Letters went home this week for any child who has asthma or uses an inhaler. Please ensure that these new forms are returned to school by 1st April. If you did not receive a letter and your child is asthmatic please contact the school office and we will send a copy home.



SCHOOL HOLIDAY COURSES!

We have a range of holiday courses on offer during the May School Holiday period.

The various courses run from 9am to 4pm.

You can choose from Arts and Crafts and Multi Activity courses.

**For further information, please contact the Sports
Centre team**

01684 293953

sportscentre@tewkesburyschool.org

Commendations: Congratulations to our Golden Book Merit Award winners.

A HUGE well done to all that participated in representing our School in the Tag Rugby festival yesterday. All the pupils had a great time, Bradley & Destiny were awarded wrist bands for their Honesty & Respect.



Congratulations also to Ash class who won this week's attendance with 98.3%

Reading Challenge:

Congratulations to **Year 4 & 5** pupils in **Elm, Birch & Sycamore** class this week who came **Joint 1st** with % of pupils reading at least 4 times each week.

2nd - Oak - 96.4% **3rd** - Ash - 96% **4th** - Willow - 82.6%

Please can you support us in encouraging your child to read at least 4 times per week. Thank you.

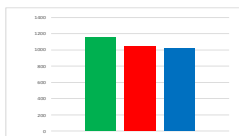
House Points: Congratulations!

Which house is in the lead so far this term?

1st place - Emerald

2nd place - Ruby

3rd place - Sapphire

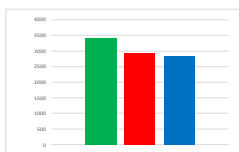


Which house is in the lead so far overall?

1st place - Emerald

2nd place - Ruby

3rd place - Sapphire



Please continue to support your child in logging into their Athletics account. The more activities your child completes the more points they can earn. Look out for certificates, gold bars and even trophies!

They can also set up their very own avatar, and use points to buy funky accessories.



TERM DATES:

Term Four: Monday 25th February - Friday 5th April (3.15pm finish)

Term Five: Tuesday 23rd April - Friday 24th May

Term Six: Monday 3rd June - Tuesday 23rd July

INSET DAYS - children do not attend school

Friday 5th April

Monday 22nd & Tuesday 23rd July

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Tuesday 26th March - Year 5 Trip to Cadburys World

Friday 29th March - Great Easter Pea Hunt

Monday 1st April - Entries for Easter Competition. Judging will take place on Tuesday 2nd April.

Wednesday 3rd April - Year 3 Experience Easter at St Nicholas Church

Thursday 4th April - Easter Assembly & Easter Egg Hunt After-school

Friday 26th April - Class photos and Year 6 leaver photos

RECOMMENDED READING BOOKS:

Year 3:

- All Because of Jackson by Dick King-Smith
- The Twits by Roald Dahl

Year 4:

- The Sandman and the Turtles by Michael Morpurgo
- The House that Sailed Away by Pat Hutchins

Year 5:

- The Last Free Cat by John Blake
- Molly Moon by Georgia Byng

Year 6:

- Johnny and the Bomb by Terry Pratchett
- Fly Away Home by Christine Nostlinger

