

### Week ahead information – w/c 25<sup>th</sup> November 2024

<p><b>Whole School information</b></p>	<p>Headteachers Award – this will be presented in Fridays assembly to recognise exemplary contributions to our school values and ethos. This week's Headteacher Award will be given to Edward G in Class 4T. Parents/carers are invited to our celebration assembly on Friday 29<sup>th</sup> November. Please arrive from 2.05pm for a 2.10pm start.</p> <p>We are delighted to announce that Mai-Britt has been appointed as the new parent governor at Brackenwood Junior School. Congratulations, Mai-Britt, on this fantastic achievement and for stepping into such an important role! This appointment is a testament to her commitment to supporting our school community, and we are confident her dedication and fresh perspective will make a positive impact. We look forward to the contributions Mai-Britt will bring in shaping the future of our school and wish her the very best in this rewarding role.</p> <p>Lunch menu – week 3</p> <p>Community garden rota – Week 2</p> <p>Friday – deadline for ordering Christmas concert tickets. Please refer to the week ahead sent last Friday for further information.</p> <p>Friday – deadline for ordering a Christmas dinner. Please ensure this is ordered using the link below.  <a href="https://forms.gle/kzRAPEA4HhBzsTbW8">https://forms.gle/kzRAPEA4HhBzsTbW8</a>  <b>This is a strict deadline</b> as Mrs Merrick has to order the supplies in advance.</p> <p>We are still in need of lego for our lego club and activities. Please if you have any lego that is no longer used, we would love to give it a second home.</p>
<p><b>Fundraising</b></p>	<p><b>Asda – Cashpot for schools</b></p> <p>We currently have <b>£344.59</b> in our school Cashpot.  The last day for filling up our Cashpot is Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> November.</p> <p>If you haven't already done so, please sign up for Asda Rewards and add our school to the Cashpot for schools.</p> <p>For each parent that signs up, Asda adds £1 to the school Cashpot, then 0.5% of your shop donated at no extra cost for you. This will help towards our fundraising efforts for our school playground project.</p>

<b>BFG</b>	<p>The BFG are always looking for parent volunteers to join their amazing team. If you are interested or for further information, please email <a href="mailto:brackenwoodjuniorbfg@gmail.com">brackenwoodjuniorbfg@gmail.com</a></p>
<b>Y3</b>	<p>Weekly attendance w/c <b>18<sup>th</sup> November 2024</b>  <b>3B – 100%                      3W – 95.24%</b></p> <p>We've had another great week in year 3. We still need some more cardboard boxes of varying sizes for our DT topic where we will be building a castle. We would appreciate anything you can spare.</p> <p><b>Parents of the children detailed below are invited to join us in our celebration assembly on Friday 29<sup>th</sup> November. Please arrive at 2:05pm for a 2:10pm start. The children receiving awards are:</b></p> <p>3B  Yasaa  Brandon  Betty</p> <p>3W  Daphne  Eliza  Jessica</p>
<b>Y4</b>	<p>Weekly attendance w/c <b>18<sup>th</sup> November 2024</b>  <b>4K – 98.57%                      4T – 94.07%</b></p> <p>Please can all children have warm clothing for PE lessons. The weather is extremely cold at the moment. Therefore, long trousers / leggings and a sweatshirt is encouraged so that the children can stay warm whilst participating in our outdoor hockey lessons this term.</p> <p>Many thanks.</p> <p>Mrs Kavanagh and Miss Thomas.</p> <p><b>Parents of the children detailed below are invited to join us in our celebration assembly on Friday 29<sup>th</sup> November. Please arrive at 2:05pm for a 2:10pm start. The children receiving awards are:</b></p> <p>4K  Ezra  Louis  Amaia</p> <p>4T  Ellis  Isabelle  Thomas</p>

<p><b>Y5</b></p>	<p>Weekly attendance w/c <b>18<sup>th</sup> November 2024</b>  <b>5W – 93.23%</b>                      <b>5WO – 90.34%</b></p> <p>Just a reminder that on Wednesday next week, Year 5 will be visiting Birkenhead Priory. All children must be in school uniform, be wearing comfortable shoes and have a raincoat. We are leaving school after an early lunch. Children can still order a school lunch, but the options will only be sandwiches or paninis. We should be back to school before 3.30pm. <b>We need at least 2 more adult volunteers to support us on this trip.</b> Please email <a href="mailto:parentreplies@brackenwood-junior.wirral.sch.uk">parentreplies@brackenwood-junior.wirral.sch.uk</a> if you are able help.</p> <p><b>Parents of the children detailed below are invited to join us in our celebration assembly on Friday 29<sup>th</sup> November. Please arrive at 2:05pm for a 2:10pm start. The children receiving awards are:</b></p> <p>5W  Konrad  Oscar  Frankie Ke</p> <p>5WO  Alex  Poppy  Macey  Georgia</p>
<p><b>Y6</b></p>	<p>Weekly attendance w/c <b>18<sup>th</sup> November 2024</b>  <b>6LB – 95.36%</b>                      <b>6M – 100%</b></p> <p>Next week, 6LB are swimming each afternoon. Please can children come to school dressed in their uniform as normal and bring their swimming kits in with them. As it is Winter and the weather has been cold recently, we would recommend bringing a hat for after swimming as well as considering your hairstyle if you have long hair e.g. braids. Please remember to wear a coat and gloves if the weather continues to be cold. It is also optional for children to wear a swimming cap should they wish to keep their hair dry.</p> <p>As previously mentioned, 6LB will be returning to school at <b>3:30pm</b> on Friday due to the pool being unable to move our swimming time any earlier that day.</p> <p>If you are able to help on the swimming trip any afternoon next week, please email <a href="mailto:parentreplies@brackenwood-junior.wirral.sch.uk">parentreplies@brackenwood-junior.wirral.sch.uk</a>. We would be grateful for extra adults.</p> <p>Year 5/6 (selected pupils only) have a team building day at Activity for All on Tuesday morning. The children will be back in time for lunch.</p> <p>Due to the Christmas concerts being fast approaching, children will be practising over the coming weeks. Staff are trying to vary when these rehearsals are in order to minimise disruption to learning whilst also being ready to perform in a few weeks time. Their singing is sounding wonderful so far so you are in for a treat!</p> <p>6M will be completing their second Computing lesson with Mr Robinson from Hilbre High School on Wednesday. They loved their first lesson and he is very hopeful to fit 6LB in later this year!</p>

Please name coats, hats, gloves, scarves etc as it is cold at the moment and named lost property makes it far easier to find its owner :)

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6LB – due to swimming, these will take place on Friday 6<sup>th</sup> December

Florence F

Jack G

Annie M

6M

Ella

Phoebe

Archie