

Brackenwood Junior School

Learning for Life



Week ahead information – w/c 21st October 2024

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Whole School reminders	Headteachers Award – this is a new award to be presented in Friday assembly to recognise exemplary contributions to our school values and ethos. This week's Headteacher Award will be given to James M in Class 3B. Parents/carers are invited to our celebration assembly on Friday 25 th October. Please arrive from 2.05pm for a 2.10pm start.
	Lunch menu – week 2
	Community garden rota – Week 1
	Tuesday – BFG Halloween Disco
	Friday – School closes at 3.00pm for half term and reopens on Monday $4^{\mbox{th}}$ November.
	A reminder that a lot of our School communication is via Arbor in-app messages. If you would like to receive notifications regarding new messages, this can be done in your phone settings, under notifications, app settings then click on the Arbor app then click allow notifications.
Fundraising	Asda – Cashpot for schools
	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.
	If you haven't already done so, please sign up for Asda Rewards and add our school to the Cashpot for schools.
	Tesco Stronger Starts
	Our application for Tesco Stronger Starts has been successful. This means that from 1 st October when you shop at the Tesco Stores listed below you can vote for our school using the blue tokens given when you buy something in store (you only really have to purchase one item).
	Tesco Express, 6 Woodchurch Road, Birkenhead, CH41 2UF Tesco Express, Bebington Road, Birkenhead, CH42 4QF Tesco Express, 790-794 Borough Road, Birkenhead, CH42 9JG
	Should we get the most votes, Tesco will then be able to donate ± 1500 to our school playground improvement fund.

BFG	The BFG (Brackenwood Fundraising Group) have kindly organised a Halloween Disco
	taking place on Tuesday after school. Please see Arbor communications
	are always looking for parent volunteers to join their amazing team. If you are interested or for further information, please email brackenwoodjuniorbfg@gmail.com
Y3	Weekly attendance w/c 14 th October 2024 3B – 96.84% 3W – 95.24%
	This half-term has flown by one more week until the children have a well earned rest. They have adapted to life in the juniors so well. Remember to get your spooky outfits ready for the Halloween disco on Tuesday.
	Parents of the children detailed below are invited to join us in our celebration assembly on Friday 25 th October. Please arrive at 2:05pm for a 2:10pm start. The children receiving awards are:
	3B Bobby James Olivia
	3W Eliza Max Joseph
¥4	Weekly attendance w/c 14 th October 2024 4K - 91.43% 4T - 95.93%
	We are looking forward to starting our visits to Bebington Care Home which are starting on Monday. The children will attend in small groups throughout the year and we will choose 7 children to attend on Monday. We know that both the children and the residents of the care home will get so much out of these visits.
	Mrs Kavanagh and Miss Thomas.
	Parents of the children detailed below are invited to join us in our celebration assembly on Friday 25 th October. Please arrive at 2:05pm for a 2:10pm start. The children receiving awards are:
	4K Alex Chloe Koa
	4T Aiden Lucy Oscar

Y5	Weekly attendance w/c 14th October 2024
	5W - 88.71% 5WO - 95.86%
	Community garden this week will be 5WO.
	Parents of the children detailed below are invited to join us in our celebration assembly on Friday 25 th October. Please arrive at 2:05pm for a 2:10pm start. The children receiving awards are:
	5W Frankie Kie Poppy Jack S
	5WO Ollie D Isaac Jude
Y6	Weekly attendance w/c 14 th October 2024 6LB – 96.79% 6M – 88.95%
	Next week, 6LB will be swimming each afternoon. Thank you if you have volunteered as a parent helper. If any other parents are available on Friday 25th October, we would very much appreciate your help with swimming as we currently need at least one but preferably two parent helpers. Please contact the school office if you are available. On Friday, the children are likely to be back from swimming by 3.30pm rather than 3pm. Thank you for your understanding.
	On Tuesday, AmaSing (who were on Britain's Got Talent) are coming into school to do an assembly. They will be running their choir from our school every Tuesday 6-7pm, which pupils can sign up to attend. Please see previous Arbor communications sent out for further information.
	Tuesday - BFG Halloween Disco.
	Friday - Brackenwood Infant School has an Inset day but the Juniors does not.
	Parents of the children detailed below are invited to join us in our celebration assembly on Friday 25 th October. Please arrive at 2:05pm for a 2:10pm start. The children receiving awards are:
	6LB – due to swimming, certificates will be awarded in assembly on Friday 8 th November : Alice S Thomas P Harry M
	6M Archie Millie Autumn