



Brundall School News - 5

October 2018



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It's been a very exciting week with the pace of learning accelerating as we progress with the Autumn Term.

The **Hawks** hosted the first parent share of the year with an interesting word and sound search around the school and grounds.

Outdoor learning continued with the **Bitterns** taking a 'Brain Break' during the afternoon and playing running games to keep the oxygen and fitness levels up.

Fitness has been a big theme around the school this week, with teachers and staff training Tuesday night with Mrs Odell and Mrs Brown. Mrs Odell's 'Brundall Boot Camp' continues, and we looked at the use of a Circuit to get hearts beating and provide variety of activity. **The Swans** were paying close attention and got straight to it on Wednesday morning.

Elsewhere, the **Puffins** were doing some useful life drawing sketches, and showing very artistic results. The **Golden Orioles** were learning about the vision of the Angel Gabrielle to the Prophet Mohammed and the writing of The Qur'an. Several of the **Peacocks** have been to visit Acle Academy, and I have been amazed at the number of Peacocks who are interested in learning Saxophone at the lunchtime Club.

On Monday, we will be issuing a notice calling for nominations for the Governing Board. A number of parents have expressed an interest in the vacancies that exist, and if more than two parents put their name forward, we will go to a formal secret ballot following our return from Half term.

Don't forget the good opportunities for Maths learning and practice, and the chance to talk with your child about Maths through using Mathletics at home; and keep sharing books and a read with your child regularly.

R. Stuart-Sheppard

Starting School in Norfolk

Do you have a child who will be five between 1st September 2019 and 31st August 2020?

If so, your child could start school full-time in September 2019 and should apply to Norfolk County Council by 15th January 2019.

Parents should apply online at

www.admissionsonline.norfolk.gov.uk

or call 0344 800 8020.

A copy of the Parents' Guide is available on the website www.norfolk.gov.uk/schooladmissions



Don't forget to book your Parents Evening appointment.

The booking system will be available until 11.00am on Monday 8th October

If you need to book an appointment with our Senco, Mrs Sutton please contact Kim Rose in the school office.

dates to Remember

New Intake - Open Day 2.00pm	8 th October
Parents Evening	8 th October
Parents Evening	9 th October
Acle Academy - Open Evening	10 th October
FOBS AGM	11 th October
Y5 Poppy Line Trip	15 th October
TSA High School - Open Evening	17 th October
Professional Development Days	18th/19th October
Half Term	22nd Oct - 26th Oct
Firework Display	2 nd November
New Intake - Open Day 10.00am	9 th November
Flu vaccinations (Reception - Y5)	27 th November
Term Ends	19 th December

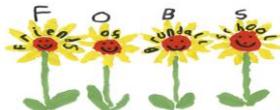


The Library Gang has signed the school up to the EDP's "Books for Schools" token promotion which started this week. For every 1000 tokens collected the school will be able to claim £100 worth of books!

Please spread the word and get parents, grandparents and carers to collect the tokens. These can be found in the EDP and its sister publications - Norwich Evening News, Great Yarmouth Mercury, The Lowestoft Journal, Beccles and Bungay Journal, Dereham Times, Fakenham and Wells Times and North Norfolk News.

There will be a labelled red box in the School entrance lobby for people to post their collected tokens into.

Thank you for your support with collecting.



Friends of Brundall School 200 Club

Club 200 is a monthly lottery which allows parents to support our causes with the ability to win a monetary prize each month. Winners receive a share of the 50% of the standing orders received, the more entries we get, the larger the prize.

Minimum donation each month is £1, paid by monthly standing order. The standing order can be set up by yourself online, then hand the completed application form to office, and you could be next month's winner!

Friends of Brundall School

AGM

Annual General Meeting

Everyone is welcome.
Stay informed and get involved.

Brundall School Hall
11th October 2018 @ 8pm



School Library Gang

**Calling all parents and carers:
would you like to join the gang?**

**Could you spare a few hours a week
to help with our school library?**

**If you'd like to find out more,
please ask at the school office.**



Do you have any puzzles or Orchard games that you no longer use?

Our Reception classes are looking for donations of suitably aged resources.

Thank you in advance.

Friends of Brundall School Big Bang Firework Display

Friday 2nd November 2018
Gates open at 6.00.p.m.
Display at 7.30.p.m.



Tickets are available in advance:
Family ticket £13 (2 adults & up to 3 Children)
Adults £4.50 Children £3.50
(from the school office or Brundall Pet and Hardware store)

On the night:
Adults £5.00 Children £4.00 (pre-schoolers free)
Under 16's must be accompanied.

In and Around Brundall School



It's all about fitness in Assembly this year!



Pret-a-Portrait photographers captured some beautiful smiles and poses from the pupils yesterday. We can't wait to see the photos.



Year 3 beginning music with Mr Mudd: listening and the pulse and moving in rhythm.



Dr Destruction arrived for the the Mad Science after school session.



Lots of learning going on during the Hawks' parent share this week.



Blue skies on our walk to the church last week.



The Peacocks sang beautifully and Paula Marie from Yare Valley Church gave us a lovely Harvest talk. Thank you!



Staff training on Tuesday looked at how to develop circuit training for all ages.