

Bredgar CEP School News

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Dear Parents / Carers,

It was wonderful to see so many of you at Sports Day this year. Many of you have kindly said what a pleasant afternoon you had and enjoyed watching the children. Well done to all the parents, carers and other family members who participated in the running races – the children do enjoy that part of the afternoon particularly! Our thanks go to the FOBs who organised a very successful BBQ and also for treating the children to an ice pop to round off a lovely afternoon. Congratulations to all the members of Bexon House who scored the most points this year and also to Orchard House who were awarded the Sportsmanship award. It should be said though how well all the children behaved, displaying the qualities of friendship and respectfulness towards each other with a healthy sense of competition.

The waiting is nearly over! Bredgar Vintage Fete is this Sunday on the Village Green between 12 and 3pm. We are all keeping our fingers crossed that the sun continues to shine. Please do come along to support the Fete - there are many fun stalls organised, lots of different activities to watch not to mention the opportunity to indulge yourself on an ice-cream or cream tea! Throughout the year, FOBs have been fundraising to buy a replacement mini-bus and thanks to everyone's continued support, we are nearly there. The success of the Fete will ensure that a new minibus can be funded which ultimately benefits the children of Bredgar School by allowing transportation to a much wider range of activities that otherwise wouldn't be possible. We look forward to seeing you at the Fete on Sunday.

Best wishes

David Whitehead Madeleine Mace
Executive Head Teacher Head of School

Change to Clubs

Please note the following change to Clubs next week:

- There is no bellringing on Monday 7th and the last session will be on 14th July.
- Nature club is not on Monday 7th but Miss Hyams will put on an additional session on Monday 14th.
- Cricket club will be on Wednesday 9th July and this will be the last session.
- The Friday Razzle Dazzle club will not be on due to the disco taking place next Friday, however Razzle Dazzle will be at the disco.

Unless stated above, afterschool clubs will not be held during the last week of term.

Transition Afternoon

The last transition afternoon will be on 10th July. Mrs. Goodwin will be available to say hello to parents of current year 4 and 5 from 3.15pm in the Learning Loft, so please take the opportunity to go and say hello.

Age Concern advice session

Age Concern UK Outreach will be holding a session in Bredgar church on Tuesday 8th July 11am-2pm. This is for everyone over 50 and there will be advice given on benefits available, paying for care etc. Why not pop in to see if they can offer any assistance.

Coming up...

Thursday 10th July—transition afternoon (children visit new classes). 3.15pm for Year 4 and 5 parents to meet Mrs Goodwin
Sunday July 6th—Fete—Bredgar Park
Monday 7th & Tuesday 8th July—Bikeability for rest of Y4/Y6
Thursday 10th July - Infant Trial School dinner day
Friday 11th July—FOBs disco
Thursday 17th July—Leavers Play **10.45 am & 6.30pm** performances
Friday 18th July—Leavers service 9.20am
Friday 18th July—End of academic year
Monday 21st, Tuesday 22nd & Wednesday 23rd July—staff development days (no school for children)
Wednesday 3rd September—Staff development day (no children in school)
Thursday 4th September—Start of Term 1

FOBS News

Bredgar School Vintage Fete, Sunday 6th July

If you have offered to help set up, please arrive at 10am at Bredgar Recreation ground on Saturday 5th. If anyone can help on the Sunday please be there at 9am.

Cake donations will be gratefully received. Please bring them to the cake stall on Sunday.

If you have not yet got your balloon tickets there will be the opportunity to buy one at the fete.

Thank you to those of you who have bought raffle tickets already. You can return them on the day and further tickets will be being sold on the day. See you there!

Disco

There will be a disco on 11th July 3-4.30pm. Tickets are £2 and available to buy now from the school office.

KEEPING CHILDREN SAFE AT THE FETE

The venue for the Fete is on an open site and it is anticipated that there will be other members of the public there. Please note that all children remain the responsibility of their parents or carers throughout the afternoon. If your child is involved in a display, the display leader will be there to direct the display but cannot be responsible for caring for your child during the rest of the afternoon. Thank you for your cooperation.

Bikeability



Bikeability is on Monday 7th and Tuesday 8th July for those Year 6's who didn't take part last month. The remaining year 4's will have their session on Tuesday afternoon only. Please make sure you check your child's bike prior to their session and don't forget their helmet. There will be a limited amount of helmets to borrow if your child does not have one or forgets it on the day.

Summer Fun Meal Thursday 17th July.

Principals are putting on a special meal on Thursday 17th July. If your child would like a meal on this day please return the reply slip to the office by Wednesday 9th July so meals can be pre-booked. On the day, if your child finds a lucky sticker on the bottom of their plate they will receive a special prize from the Kitchen!

Saturday 19 July 3 - 5 pm Milstead Village Hall "God's Promise"

Activities, singing and worship for young families followed by tea (Children must be with an adult)

Find out more from

Rev Marian Bond: 01622 884387, bredgarvicarage@hotmail.co.uk
Phebe Chamberlain 01795 830267, phebe_chamberlain@tiscali.co.uk, or Jay Ford 01622 884622, jayfordcasa@btinternet.com
It's church...but not as you know it!

There's also HOLIDAY CLUB at Wormhill Village Hall, 10-am 12 noon, 30 July - 1st August. Details and booking form from Jay Ford or n.lewis23@btinternet.com

Attendance Champions!



Congratulations to the Bears class who have achieved 98% attendance this week! Well done Bear class!

Brain teaser

Q. What do hedgehogs have for lunch?

A. Prickled onions!

E-mail your jokes to the office on: office@bredgar.kent.sch.uk

We believe that we should all show respect for God, for each other and for ourselves.