Broad Chalke Newsletter

Friday 19th June 2026

'We serve one another in love' Luke 10v27

Respect Resilience Hope Love

This term our Collective Worship theme is THANKFULNESS

'Always be thankful' Thessalonians 5v16

Sports Day Success!

Yesterday, our whole school community came together to enjoy our annual Sports Day. It was a fantastic event that celebrated active participation, teamwork, and healthy competition.

Every pupil demonstrated bravery, determination, and perseverance throughout the day, and we are incredibly proud of each and every one of them. Their enthusiasm and effort made the day a great success.

A huge thank you to all the family members and friends who attended to support and cheer on our pupils. Special mention must go to the brave parents who took part in the parents' race! Despite a little *friendly* cheating along the way, this event remains one of the highlights of the day for our children.

Finally, a big shout-out to Mrs Ramage and the staff team for their hard work in planning, organising, and running such a successful event. Their dedication ensured that everyone had a wonderful day to remember. Well done to all involved!



September 2026 Arrangements

Following a successful recruitment process, I am delighted to confirm that **Miss Ullyatt** will be joining us in September as our new **Year 2 teacher**. We are very much looking forward to welcoming her to the Broad Chalke community and introducing her to the children and families she will be working with next year.

As we look ahead to September, we will also be saying some fond farewells at the end of this term. We would like to thank **Miss Britton (Teacher)**, **Mrs Grosssart (1:1 Support Assistant**- Mrs Grossart is kindly continuing in her role as MDSA**)** and **Mrs Hitchings (MDSA)** for their dedication, care and contribution to school life during their time at Broad Chalke.

Ducklings- Mrs Ramage & Mrs Roberts

Cygnets- Miss Abbott (M,T,W,Th) Mrs Dunford (Th & Fr), Mrs Crosse & Mrs Graves (M-W) and Mrs Pietersen (Th-F)

Barn Owls – Miss Ullyatt & Mrs Gibb

Kingfishers- Miss Sampson, Mrs Lott & Mrs Cromwell

Woodpeckers- Mrs Shelley & Mrs Thorne

Dragonflies- Miss Burden & Mrs weeks

Otters- Mrs Weir & Mrs Boyagis

We are really excited about September !



We are looking forward to welcoming parents to our **Celebration of Learning** on **Tuesday 23rd June at 2:40pm**. This will be a wonderful opportunity for your child to share their learning with you.

Please enter the school via your child's classroom door and sign in on arrival. If you have children in other year groups, you are very welcome to move between classrooms.

At 3:05pm, a bell will sound. We kindly ask that you sign out and wait outside the classroom door to allow staff time to prepare the children for home time.

Thank you in advance for your cooperation—we look forward to seeing you there.

SAFEGUARDING



Thank you to the parents who completed the parent questionnaire about Smartphones and social media. This feels particularly timely, since the government announcement about plans to restrict social media access for children under 16. This reflects increasing national concern about the impact of online platforms on young people's wellbeing, and the importance of helping children build healthy habits both online and offline.
The results to the survey are attached to this week's Newsletter, together with a letter written from all the Spire Hub Headteachers and the new DSAT phone policy (Sept 26).

Free School Meals
This week, a letter was sent via Classlist regarding Free School Meals. Families who are in receipt of Universal Credit are entitled to free school meals for their child.
Please note that even if your child is currently receiving Pupil Premium funding, you will still need to reapply. If you think you may be eligible, we encourage you to complete an application as soon as possible. https://www.wiltshire.gov.uk/schools-learning-free-school-meals

Best wishes
Heather Luft
Headteacher