

# Brockton C.E. Primary School's Bulletin



Dear Parents

In response to our request for a keyboard (as ours has stopped working) Mrs Hallmann has kindly loaned the school hers. Thank you so much Ewelina, we really appreciate it and the children have been using it already.

A big well done to all of our dancers on Wednesday at the Dance Festival. They chose their own music, choreographed the routine and organised their own make up and costumes. They were truly revolting! Oops, I meant amazing!

Please ensure that you have booked a place in advance for your child at Breakfast or After School Club using the Schoolmoney booking system. The clubs will not open for sessions when there are no children booked in. Many thanks for your assistance.

We had a lovely Grounds Day yesterday. We were so incredibly lucky with the weather. The children went on spring walks, and cleared twigs and branches. We all had sausage sandwiches and hot chocolate around the fire. Thank you also for your donations for our Hope House fundraiser. A lovely end to the Half Term!

Have a lovely Half Term Holiday, batten down the hatches and stay safe!  
Brockton Staff

## 2021 - 2022 Term Dates

**Monday 21st—Friday 25th February**  
Half Term

**3rd March**

World Book Day

Dress up as your favourite character from a book and bring in the book.

**Saturday 12th March**

Live Arts Festival - Details to follow

**Friday 18th March**

Red Nose Day

**Thursday 7th April**

Easter Service - to be filmed

Easter party

Get planning your boats and bonnets.

**Monday 11th - Friday 22nd April**

Easter Holidays

## Stars of the Week

**Class 1**

Bradán Conmy  
Rebecca Murray

**Class 2**

Zach Yorke  
Albert Morris

**Class 3**

Dan Buxey  
Daisy Diamond

### Teaching Assistant Awards

<b>Mrs Williams</b> Ewan Castle	<b>Mrs Wright</b> Triss Jacques	<b>Miss Martin</b> Ewan Castle	<b>Miss Smallwood</b> Tommy Kattenhorn
------------------------------------	------------------------------------	-----------------------------------	---

**Class 1**

Class 1 have been reading the story 'Boris and Sid are Bad'. We have been acting out the story and discussing how we could solve their problem. In maths we have been ordering objects by height and length, we have also been weighing objects. We have started our Design and Technology project. The children investigated existing toy vehicles and then designed their own. It had to be a vehicle that had wheels and axles. It needed to be able to transport 'Bob' our alien around the world on his travels. Thank you so much for giving us boxes to help with this.

**Class 2**

In Literacy Class 2 have finished their unit on 'Egyptian Cinderella'. They wrote their own ending to the story independently. In Maths the children have been interpreting pictograms, bar charts and tables. In art they have made papier mache sculptures of canopic jars. The children have carried out a science investigation on shadows. They have been working out the relationship between light sources and shadows.

**Class 3**

Class 3 have been reading and discussing 'Private Peaceful' by Michael Morpurgo. After examining Michael Morpurgo's literary devices and writing style, Class 3 have produced their own independent writing using these ideas. The children's writing mixed description with dialogue and generated good emotion, suspense and tension; it was almost as good as the authors! In maths the children have finished their work on capacity using millilitres, litres and pints. They have also carried out revision work on adding and subtracting fractions. For their art they have investigated Greek Pots. Using CAD images they chose their preferred shape. Then using a variety of objects they constructed their pot and then used papier mâché to finish off. After half term they will carry out their decoration. They look fab!

