

# The Brockton Bulletin

17<sup>th</sup> November 2023



—Diocese of—  
Hereford

THE CHURCH  
OF ENGLAND



A HUGH thank you to all who have donated bags for the Bags2School collection this week.

With an overwhelming response with over 75 bags donated.

Your amazing generosity means that a total of 440kg was collected on Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> November.

You have helped raise £220 to go towards the new playground fund.



## Autumn Term Dates

### November

**Monday 20<sup>th</sup> November**

Flu Nasal Spray

**Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> November**

Class 3 Parent Lunches 12pm

**Friday 24<sup>th</sup> November**

Non-uniform day donation for Christmas hamper

**Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> November**

Parents meetings from 3.30pm

**Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> November**

Parents meetings from 3.30pm

Class 1 Parent Lunches 12pm

Class 1 School Nurse

Handwashing 9.30pm

### December

**Friday 1<sup>st</sup> December**

Federation KS1 Christmas Sports @ Brockton

**Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> December**

Carol Service @ Church Stretton 6.30pm

**Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> December**

Class one Nativity 1.45pm @ Brockton

Class 3 Rugby @ William Brookes 2.15pm

**Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> December**

FOBs Christmas film night 3.30pm

**Friday 15<sup>th</sup> December**

Pantomime @ Oakengates Theatre

**Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> December**

End of Term

# Fortnightly Message from

**Mrs Hunt**



Thank you to everyone who joined us for our Class 2 parent lunches earlier this week. Parents and carers of Children in Class 3 are invited to join us on Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> November and Class 1 on Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> November. Please book in advance by contacting the school office.

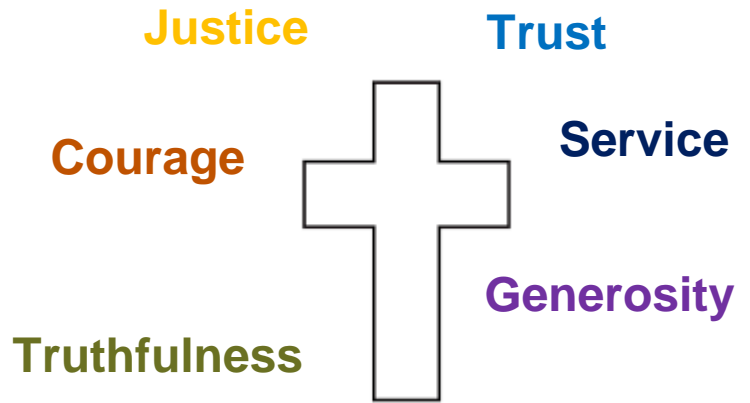
What a fantastic response to the FOBS "Bags to School" collection with a great amount of funds raised – thank you to all who took part.

We still have a number of children for whom we have not received reply slips for the forthcoming residential trip to the Pioneer Centre. Everyone who went last year spoke very enthusiastically about the visit, so please ensure that we can book a place for your child by returning the reply slip on Monday.

It has been a lively day in school today with a non-uniform day and cake sale, organised by the School Council, to raise funds for Children in Need. Thank you to everyone for donating cakes and the School Council for organising the sale.

Parentmail messages have gone out to book a slot at our forthcoming parent meetings – please get in touch to book an appointment with your child's class teacher to discuss how they are getting on in school. You will receive your child's termly report next Friday (24<sup>th</sup> November).

## Our Christian Values



**This half of term our  
Christian value focus is**

### Trust

Knowing our friends will support us.

Standing on God's promises.

Being trustworthy.

Trusting God.

Knowing Jesus is with us in stormy times.

# Our School Menu

**WEEK 1** Fresh DINING

**MONDAY** Everyday favourites    **TUESDAY**    **WEDNESDAY** Mid-week roast    **THURSDAY**    **FRIDAY** Take-away day

**SAMMY SWEETCORN SAYS...**  
'Enjoy your lunch!'

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
<b>OPTION 1</b>	Pork Sausages & Gravy	BBQ Chicken	Roast Chicken with Stuffing & Gravy	Spaghetti Bolognese	Chicken Nuggets
<b>OPTION 2</b>	Jacket Potato with Cheese & Baked Beans v	Vegetarian Sausage Roll v	Cheese & Potato Pie v	Vegetable Goujons v	Pizza Selection v
<b>CARBS</b>	Mashed Potatoes or Crusty Bread	Pasta or Diced Potatoes	Roast & New Potatoes	Garlic & Herb Bread or Potato Wedges	Potato Crunchies or Pasta
<b>PUDDING</b>	Mousse	Waffle	Iced Cake	Cookies	<b>Fruity Friday</b> A selection of chilled, frozen & fresh fruit desserts

**ALL SERVED WITH** = A choice of two vegetables, baked beans, freshly prepared seasonal salads, crusty bread, fresh fruit salad & yoghurts

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**WEEK 2** Fresh DINING

**MONDAY** Everyday favourites    **TUESDAY**    **WEDNESDAY** Mid-week roast    **THURSDAY**    **FRIDAY** Take-away day

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<b>OPTION 1</b>	Fish Finger Fish Cake or Fish Shape	Breaded Chicken Steak	Roast Beef Yorkshire Pudding & Gravy	Chicken Tikka Masala	Pizza Selection
<b>OPTION 2</b>	Mac 'n' Cheese v	Quorn Bolognese v	Roasted Quorn Fillet & Gravy v	Jacket Potato with Cheese & Baked Beans v	Nacho Bites v
<b>CARBS</b>	Diced Potatoes or Crusty Bread	Potato Crunchies or Garlic & Herb Bread	Roast & Mashed Potatoes	Rice or Potato Wedges	Chips
<b>PUDDING</b>	Chocolate Crunch	Waffle	Ice-cream Tub	Toffee Apple Slice Custard	<b>Fruity Friday</b> A selection of chilled, frozen & fresh fruit desserts

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**WEEK 3** Fresh DINING

**MONDAY** Everyday favourites    **TUESDAY**    **WEDNESDAY** Mid-week roast    **THURSDAY**    **FRIDAY** Take-away day

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<b>OPTION 1</b>	Sweet & Sour Chicken	Beef Burger with tomato ketchup	Roast Pork Yorkshire Pudding & Gravy	Mac 'n' Cheese Chicken Bake	Shepherd's Pie
<b>OPTION 2</b>	BBQ Veggie Hot Dog v	Vegetable & Bean Burger v	Meat (free) Balls Yorkshire Pudding & Gravy v	Jacket Potato with Cheese & Baked Beans v	Pizza Selection v
<b>CARBS</b>	Pasta or Potato Crunchies	Diced Potatoes	Roast & New Potatoes	Potato Wedges or Garlic & Herb Bread	Chips
<b>PUDDING</b>	Flapjacks	Iced Cake	Waffle	Apple Puff Slice Custard	<b>Fruity Friday</b> A selection of chilled, frozen & fresh fruit desserts

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Polite reminder:

Please make sure your SCHOOL MONEY account is topped up to pay for school meals ordered.

To check if your child is eligible for free school meals and find out how to apply go to :

<https://www.shropshire.gov.uk/-free-school-meals>

# Class news

## Nursery

The Nursery children have been extremely busy!

We are trying to use up all of their energy for you.

They have made firework pictures, poppies, divas to learn about Diwali and henna hand patterns.

They have made edible fireworks from chocolate fingers and sprinkles.

They have been working with the numbers 1 and 2. Looking at the visual patterns they make.

We love watching them on the balance bikes! They are extremely fast.

We are welcoming Remi and Max, they will be joining nursery next week.

## Class one

Class 1 have had a fabulous fortnight!

We have started reading 'A Squash and a Squeeze'. We are about to write a diary about the old lady's troubles. We have looked at speech and written speech bubbles. In maths we have been learning about time. The children have been using the clocks to show o'clock, half past, quarter past and quarter to. We have started a new computing unit. The children have been using Ipads to take photographs around school. We have talked about the rules of asking permission when taking a photo of a person.

This week the Year1 and 2's have carried out their assessments. They have worked so hard.

I am very proud of their achievements.

## Class Two

This week in C2 we have been reading The Firework Makers daughter. We have looking at letters and writing to the firework maker as if we were his daughter. It is a story based in China-ask your children all about the story so far. In maths we have been making sure we know and recognise equivalent fractions. Yr2 have been finding a half and quarters of amounts. In Science we made pan pipes out of straws to show how pitch changes. RE had led us to looking at the religion of Hinduism and how a Hindu worships at home. Ask your child about the Puja tray which is used in prayer. In DT we are looking at Shell structures and making nets- hopefully we will turn these into boxes. Alongside all this hard work, C2 have completed their termly assessments. We are all tired! Well done C2.

## Class Three

Class 3 are reading and very much enjoying The Tempest (Shakespeare) and The Boy in the Striped Pyjamas by John Boyne. We will be using the books for inspiration in both English and history lessons. We have started our science topic on light and this week we have conducted investigations into shadows. During maths we have tackled fractions – improper fractions, mixed numbers, and equivalent fractions – and we are moving onto decimals and percentages. Our PE for this half term focuses on rugby, cross country and netball.

# Stars of the week

Jonah Cox, Year 1  
Class 1

Arthur Martin, Year 2  
Class 1

Erin Wootton, Year 4  
Class 2

Joe Lockley, Year 2  
Class 2

Joe Cullinan, Reception  
Class 1

Mabel Hinton, Year 1  
Class 1

Alicia Bateman, Year 5  
Class 3

Albert Morris, Year 5  
Class 3

## Out of school super stars

Joe Cullinan for getting his duckling badge in swimming.  
Oliver Furniss for getting a trophy at Bridgnorth Rugby Club.  
Florence Poole for getting the Poppy Badge at Rainbows

Please share your children's achievements with us in our weekly well done assemblies. All are welcome to join us every Friday afternoon at 2.45pm



Join us for  
**Freshly Baked  
Friday's**

After school this  
Friday FOBS will be  
selling Homemade  
Brownies for £1.00

*See you there!*



Thank you to all the family's that have donated cakes and biscuits towards the Children in Need cake sale.

With all donations counted we have raised approximately £70 towards the charity.

A big thank you from  
Lexi, Torin, Sam and Emily

