

parents newsletter



29th April 2016

Dear Parents

I am delighted to be able to share the lovely news that Cleonie Harris got engaged over the Easter break. The lucky man, Jack, proposed to Cleonie during their visit to Japan and they are hoping to get married next year. More news to report, on a sad note for us but a happy one for Sally Collins, she will be leaving Brooklands at the end of the Summer term to join her husband in Scotland. Sally and her husband have fallen in love with Scotland after many treasured visits and they have decided to make it their home.

For our Year 6 children the transition from primary to high school is an exciting time, full of challenges and new experiences. This term will see them complete their SATs, perform in their last Brooklands production, shirt signing on their last day, as well as spending some time in their new school before they start in September.

Kind Regards
Christine Davy

Team Brooklands

Lily Loveday joins Team Brooklands in September. Lily is currently studying at Canterbury Christchurch University and she will join us as a newly qualified teacher in a Key Stage 1 class. Lily looks forward to spending some time in school with us next half-term and I am sure that you will all join us in welcoming her to Brooklands.

New Intake

It was great to see so many parents at our information session this week and we hope that the children enjoyed looking through their new book bags.

In total, Brooklands has 30 new faces starting school this September and we are looking forward to welcoming all our new children in June and July when they get to spend some time in their new classroom with their first teacher, Miss Glazin.

Brooklands Friends and Family have organised a special picnic for new intake families on Sunday 10th July giving parents and children a great opportunity to get to know each other.

It will also be great to see new faces at our Summer music festival on Friday 1st July.

Be the Best you can Be

Jack Somers visited the school this week to talk about his successes in Karate and representing Great Britain in the sport. We are very fortunate at Brooklands to be able to share and learn from such inspirational and motivated people. Jack showed us how trying new things can lead to a huge amount of reward and enjoyment.

Dyslexia

This half-term staff have taken part in 2 staff training sessions led by the Suffolk Dyslexia Outreach Centre which focussed on what dyslexia is and the range of dyslexia strategies for the classroom.

Beach School

Our Ducklings have enjoyed their first Beach School visit this term. Exploring rock pools, making sand sculptures and splashing in the river. Our website has some photographs that capture the excitement of their visit.

