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## **6th May 2016**

Dear Parents,

On Monday 16<sup>th</sup> May Miss White will be starting a bushcraft club for class two children at school. The club will run after school until 5pm. There is no charge for children to attend this club.

They will learn about making fires safely, exploring our natural environment more fully, the birds and beasts that live with us on our school site, and generally having fun outdoors. Parents are very welcome to come and join us (and Miss White could use an extra pair of hands!). If you would like your child to attend the bushcraft club please fill in the permission slip that is being sent home today and return it to Sarah in the office.

Next week is our assessment week for pupils in year 6. If you have a child in Year 6 please help them to achieve their full potential in the SATS by ensuring they have a good night's sleep and have a calm start to the day each morning next week. Could you also ensure they bring in a named bottle of water. Year 6 has worked extremely hard to prepare themselves for this week and they are eager to do well. As has become custom at Broadhembury, we will be offering the children in Year 6 a special SATs breakfast next week!

The practices for our May Day celebrations are now well underway. The event last year was a really lovely afternoon. In order for it to be another great occasion we would really appreciate some parent help in the morning of that day to help decorate the playground. Do please put the afternoon of May 27<sup>th</sup> in your diary – it should be a super event!

Thank you for all your continued support.

God bless and have a lovely weekend.

*Best wishes from Katie Gray and the staff at Broadhembury School*

## **BROADHEMBURY BRIDGES to week ending Friday 29th April**

### ***Class One:***

Bethany and George for trying their best to look after our classroom

### ***Class Two:***

Barnaby for excellent work on co-ordinates in maths

Teddy for brilliant focus and concentration in lessons

### **Key Dates**

**Due to SATs administration Mrs Gray and Miss Prince will be travelling across the federation throughout next week.**

**Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> May – Class 2 trip to @Bristol**

**Friday 27<sup>th</sup> May – May Day 2pm**

**Friday 27<sup>th</sup> May – Last day of half term**

**Monday 6<sup>th</sup> June – First day back after half term**

### **May Day – Friday 27<sup>th</sup> May**

Our May Day celebration takes place on Friday 27<sup>th</sup> May at 2.00pm. The events over the last few years have been really lovely afternoons. In order for it to be another great occasion we would really appreciate some parent help in the morning of that day to help decorate the playground. We would also like donations of foliage, flowers and bunting in order to do this. Please let the office know as soon as possible if you are able to help. All children will need clean white t-shirts and black pumps, boys will need school trousers or shorts, skirts are provided for the girls. The May King and Queen and two attendants will need a party/bridesmaid style dress for the girls and the boys will need smart trousers, shirt and tie. The girls can also wear flowery head bands. Thank you for your help.

### **May Half Term Adventure Holiday Workshops – Feniton Primary School**

May half term Adventure Holiday Workshops will be running every day at Feniton Primary School. The theme for this half term is 'A Water Extravaganza' and the children will be exploring water through a huge range of fun and exciting activities. Bookings are now being taken on a first come first served basis and are open to pupils from Feniton as well as Ottery, Payhembury, Branscombe, Farway and Broadhembury. You can book a single morning or afternoon slot or a whole day via the Enrichment Club website at: <http://www.enrichmentclub.co.uk/mayhalfterm.html>

## Collective Worship

This term we will be focussing in school on the value Wisdom. We hope your family will find these ideas helpful as you explore the value and have fun together.



### HOME-SCHOOL CHALLENGE

#### **A Brick for the Wall**

Make a shoe box 'brick'. Cover the box with paper and write your favourite proverb on the brick.

Then, either in a cartoon drawing or in words (hand written or typed on the computer and printed), tell a story using your proverb as the moral. Finish with the words:

So this proves the proverb, ".....".

(For example, So this proves the proverb "Don't count your chickens before they hatch".)

Decorate the brick so it looks fantastic and take it to school to help build a Wall of **Wisdom**.