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Letter 6

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Headteacher's notes...

It was good to see so many of you able to attend our Open Afternoon on Wednesday. I hope you enjoyed looking at your children's work and seeing the progress they have made so far this year. Staff are looking forward to discussing your child's progress at Parent Consultations next week and bookings for these can still be made by going to SchoolCloud - Brampton Village Primary School. If you have any problems please contact the school office.

Thank you to everyone who helped and made the discos such a success this week. The children clearly enjoyed them!

This week there have been activities taking place connected with Children's Mental Health Week and Assembly on Monday we looked at the theme of 'My Voice Matters' and how we can all make a positive difference to those around us, as long as we use our voices wisely and for the good of each other. A reminder that there are resources for families which can be downloaded from Families - Children's Mental Health Week (childrensmentalhealthweek.org.uk).



Sports News

Congratulations to our football team who beat Westfield Junior School 3:1 in the Quarter Final of the Dickenson Cup match earlier this week and to those who took part in the tournament on Tuesday.



World Book Day

A reminder that World Book Day is fast approaching on **Thursday 7**th **March** and as part of this, we will be inviting children to come to school dressed as their favourite book character or to come with a small prop/badge/accessory or object linked to their book. Please do not feel that elaborate or expensive costumes are necessary.



Parking

We have been asked to request that cars are not parked on the verges along Bernard Road as they are being damaged, especially with the wet weather we having. Thank you

PTA News

Wow, what a fantastic week of Discos! Thank you for all your support and the children seemed to really enjoy themselves. A special thank you to our DJ and to those that volunteered (parents and teachers) on the night to run stalls, marshall corridors and generally help the event run smoothly - we couldn't have done it without you. Finally, thank you to the Disco Team who organised the event taking the pressure off the core committee.

Now we look forwards to the upcoming **Cake Friday on 8th March** where we'll be asking Maple classes to bake/bring in cakes and planning needs to start for the PTA's main event of the year - the **summer fayre on Saturday 29th June**.

Unfortunately, the summer fayre will not be able to happen this year without some additional volunteers to help with the planning and organisation of the event.

We are putting together a small team for this event specifically and the below image gives you a view of the different areas where we need support. In each area, we ideally need 2-3 volunteers to help with the planning/organisation and taking Internal Stalls as an example:

1. Put together a plan - e.g. what stalls do we want, what do we need for those stalls

- 2. Communicate with all involved for the internal stalls in the run up to the event so everyone knows where to go, when etc.
- 3. Communicate with the relevant volunteers on the day to make your area run smoothly.

Each of these areas are manageable if we share them out and the core committee will obviously be there to support and coordinate all of the areas. You won't be dropped in the deep end either, we've got loads of information from previous years and we'll be there to guide you. This would be a great opportunity for those that want to get involved but cannot commit to a full committee position as it's event specific. Why not get a couple of friends together - everything is more fun when you do it with friends!

We would like to have the first summer fayre team planning session in the next couple of weeks so **please email** <u>bramptonpta@outlook.com</u> if you can help.



Many thanks

PTA Team

What's On Next Week

Monday 12th February

Wednesday 14th February

Tuesday 13th February Gymnastics Competition

 $\label{eq:HSSP Yr 1 & 2 Multisports 3:10 - 4:10pm} \\$

Parent Consultations 3.30 – 7.00pm Y3 History Off the Page Roman Day

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Thursday 15th February Choir 8.20am

Y2 Church visit

Y1 Author visit

HSSP Girls Football Yr3 -6 3:20 – 4:20pm Parent Consultations 3.30 – 6.00pm

Friday 16th February

Half Term Activities

Next Friday 16th February, we finish for half term. For ideas and activities to do over the break please visit:

Brampton Village Primary School - February Half Term Activities