

Happy Pi (π) Day!

Monday 14th March was celebrated as Pi Day, also known as the International Day of Mathematics, under the theme "Mathematics Unites", as well as the birthday of one of the greatest scientists and mathematicians, Albert Einstein. The children across the School engaged in various activities and learnt about Albert Einstein's greatest achievements. They created artwork, wrote poems, researched facts, conducted Mathematics investigations, used pi to learn about fractions, made pi-themed hats, learnt pi songs, found out the value of pi (3.14...) and how it is used. The implementation of pi in the children's lessons embedded their learning about pi, strengthening the Mathematics culture at Brookside Primary School and paved the way for our budding scientists, engineers and designers.



Investigating Mass and Weight

The Year 2 children truly enjoyed exploring the mass of objects within their environment by measuring their weight using balancing scales, weighing scales and weights (1g, 2g, 5g, 10g, 20g). They also learnt about the units in which mass and weight are measured (grams, kilograms and tonnes).



Baby Ducklings

It is that time of year again where we get to be mummies and daddies to the baby ducklings... We have received the duckling eggs! A timetable template has been set up for your class or year group to visit Nursery to see our little friends.



Science After School Club

In our Science after school club, the children learnt about rainbows and the different colours. They engaged in practicals including putting the colours of the rainbow into a container of water in order to lift the colours onto the container. This activity stimulated curiosity and expanded creativity among the children who were fascinated with the results!

World Poetry Day - Monday 21st March

Monday 21st March will be observed as World Poetry Day; a day to celebrate the power of poetry and language, whilst recognising its great cultural contribution to society. Each year, we are encouraged to join together in order to allow our voices, words and stories to bridge gaps in our understanding through forms of cultural and linguistic expression.

Virtual Asthma Workshops

On Monday 28th March, the NHS Team would like to invite parents, guardians and carers to sign up for an online Asthma workshop to be presented over Zoom. The sessions will run from 4:00 to 5:00pm and are designed to help you understand what to do if your child is having an Asthma attack, providing inhaler techniques and highlighting common triggers. There are **limited spaces available** so if you are interested, please contact the team to book your place via **01895 543 437** or at **nhswlccg.myhealth@nhs.net**.


Art Programme Competition

Plenty of children have been signing up to our Art Programme competition, in which only 10 children will be selected to complete the programme. As part of the selection process, children were asked to explain their ideas for their artwork and motivation through a video recording. A jury will carefully examine their submission and select children who will proceed to the second selection round. In the second selection round, children will be asked to create a mood board to visualise their ideas. They will present this mood board live to the jury, who then will discuss and agree on their 10 candidates.

School Photographs - Class Photographs Received

The class school photograph proofs were distributed to each child last week. Orders will be limited to online ordering, directly to Fraser Portraits via (www.orderphotos.co.uk) or over the phone at **01202 692433**. You will be required to log in with your account details or enter your proof card identification to be able to place an order.

Orders must be placed before Friday 1st April in order to receive free delivery back to the School. Please note that these will not be delivered until after the Easter Holidays. Unfortunately, any order received after this date will need to be ordered directly to Fraser Portraits and will incur an additional surcharge of £4 per order. For all orders placed after the deadline date, packs will be sent directly to your home address.

 <h3>MARCH TO APRIL 2022</h3>	
MARCH	
Monday 21st	World Poetry Day
Tuesday 22nd	World Water Day
Friday 25th	Easter Arts Competition
Monday 28th	Virtual Asthma Workshop
Monday 28th to Friday 1st April	Auditions for Brookside's Got Talent

	Week Commencing: Monday 21st March	
	MENU 2	

MONDAY		
Meal Choice 1	Beef Meatball Pasta Bake	Halal
Meal Choice 2	Beef Meatball Pasta Bake	Non Halal
Meal Choice 3	Vegetable Pasta Bake	Vegetarian
Meal Choice 4	Meatballs with Gluten free Pasta	Gluten/Dairy Free
Dessert Choice	Strawberry Mousse with Fresh Strawberries	Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts
TUESDAY		
Meal Choice 1	Lamb Koftas with Rice and a Yogurt and Cucumber Dip	Halal
Meal Choice 2	Lamb Koftas with Rice and a Yogurt and Cucumber Dip	Non Halal
Meal Choice 3	Creamy Pasta Bake	Vegetarian
Meal Choice 4	Lamb Patty with Rice	Gluten/Dairy Free
Dessert Choice	Chocolate Sponge	Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts
WEDNESDAY		
Meal Choice 1	Baked Jacket Potato with Fillings (sliced chicken, salad, coleslaw, tuna)	
Meal Choice 2	Sweet Potato with Fillings (sliced chicken, salad, coleslaw, tuna)	Vegetarian
Meal Choice 3	Baked Jacket Potato with Salad and Beans	Gluten/Dairy Free
Dessert Choice	Fruit Tarts	Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts
THURSDAY		
Meal Choice 1	Roast Chicken with Roast Potatoes, Stuffing and Onion Gravy	Halal
Meal Choice 2	Roast Chicken with Roast Potatoes, Stuffing and Onion Gravy	Non Halal
Meal Choice 3	Vegetable Tart	Vegetarian
Meal Choice 4	Roast Chicken with Roast Potatoes and Gluten free Gravy	Gluten/Dairy Free
Dessert Choice	Vanilla Cheesecake	Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts
FRIDAY		
Meal Choice 1	Fish Fingers or Battered Chicken with Oven Baked Potato Wedges	Halal
Meal Choice 2	Fish Fingers or Battered Chicken with Oven Baked Potato Wedges	Non Halal
Meal Choice 3	Vegetable and Cheese Pasta Bake	Vegetarian
Meal Choice 4	Gluten free Fish Fingers with Gluten free Potato Wedges and Beans	Gluten/Dairy Free
Dessert Choice	Apple Pie	Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts
Please note that all main meals are served with Fresh Vegetables of the Day		

Facebook - Stay Connected

Follow us on Facebook via (<https://www.facebook.com/T.R.H.AcademyTrust/>) for the exciting content we post each week and gear up for many more memorable snapshots encapsulating the valuable opportunities offered, providing children with engaging, exhilarating and unimaginable experiences!

Young Voices New Concert - Monday 23rd May

We are delighted to announce that we have been given a new date for the Young Voices concert. The concert will now take place on Monday 23rd May at the same venue, the O2 Arena. The children who are taking part have continued to practise their singing for vocal improvement and are really excited to be part of the performance in May. All tickets that were purchased to see the concert in January have been transferred to the new date in May. If you are no longer able to attend, please do contact the School Office and we can assist you with a refund.

Should you have any other queries relating to the Young Voices concert, please visit the School Office to speak to us rather than contacting Young Voices or the O2 directly. Thank you.