

Viking Workshop Year 5

Our Year 5 pupils were treated to a whole-day Viking workshop. They engaged in activities relating to Viking culture and religion. The children observed and handled Viking artefacts such as helmets and clothing, really bringing the experience to life for them.



Year 1 Assembly

Year 1 Stockholm class performed an assembly on 11th May about their Science topic, the four seasons. The children each played a role as they shared what they learned about the four seasons – autumn, winter, spring and summer. They sang beautifully and danced along to songs about the seasons. They worked extremely hard on learning their lines for their assembly and did a wonderful job performing for their parents, guardians and carers, as well as their peers and teachers. Thank you to everyone who came to see the assembly!



Year 4 Trip to Ickenham and Hayes

Pupils had the opportunity to travel to Hayes and Ickenham and observe various physical and human features as part of their Geography lessons. They compared the two areas in regards to the buildings, shops, places of worship, educational sites and historical landmarks. Year 4 enjoyed both the trips and were able to identify bungalows, terraced houses, detached and semi-detached buildings. They were able to explain the similarities and differences between the two areas and provided their own opinion on which they prefer based on what they had explored.



Pirates' Day – Year 1

On **Wednesday 24th May**, the children will take part in a full day based around pirates, exploring the basic elements of pirate life through making pirate ships, designing pirate flags, making treasure chests and having their very own treasure hunt! **Year 1 children are invited to come in dressed up as a pirate** and they will be delivering a special assembly for all parents, guardians and carers. The assembly will be a combined year group assembly, which will be at 9:20 a.m. The Year group assembly will be held in the Junior Hall and parents, guardians and carers are invited to attend.

Superhero Day – Reception

The Reception classes have been learning all about Superheroes in their English and Understanding the World lessons. They have learnt much about the difference between fictional and non-fictional superheroes. We want to end the half-term with a superdocious activity for the children. **Thursday 25th May 2023** will be celebrated as **'SUPERHERO DAY'**.

Sports Competition- Year 3 and 4

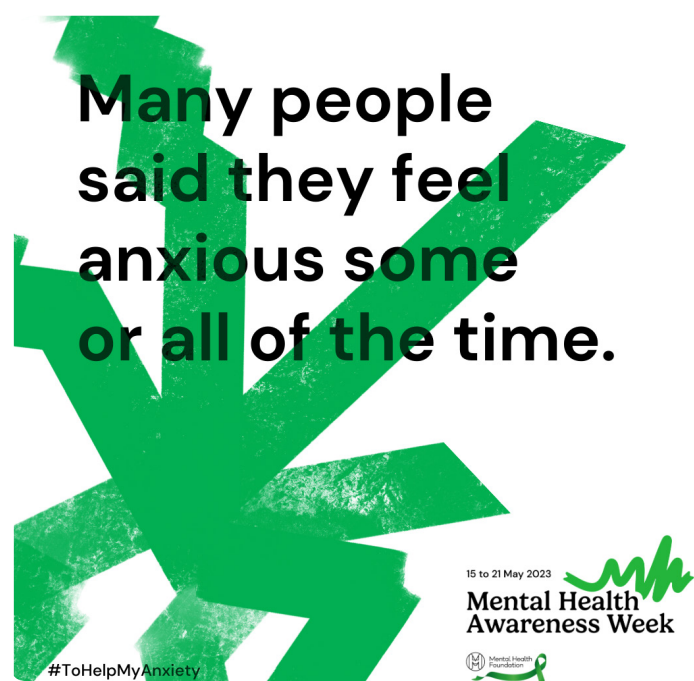
Brookside has been invited to join in this year's Quad Kids Athletic competition that will be held in **Hillingdon Leisure Centre**. 10 children will be chosen to represent the Year 3 and 4 team and 10 children will be chosen to represent the Year 5 and 6 team. The chosen children have been picked based on merit, achievement, engagement in sports activities within the school and on behaviour. **The competition will be held on Wednesday 24th May 2023**

School Trip to Whipsnade Zoo 26th May 2023.

On **May 26th 2023** both Year 2 classes will be going on a trip to **Whipsnade Zoo**. Pupils are required to be in school by no later than **8.30am** to ensure that they can leave promptly. For the trip, they will be required to wear their full and correct school uniform. They will also need to bring a bottle of water and a healthy packed lunch. **A packed lunch will be provided for pupils receiving free school meals.**

Mental Health Awareness Week

Anxiety is one of the most common mental health problems in the UK. Understanding more about anxiety can help us to discover ways to manage those feelings. We're proud to be supporting @mentalhealth this #MentalHealthAwarenessWeek - 15 to 21 May. Join in and help to create a world with good mental health for all. Find out more and get involved <https://www.mentalhealth.org.uk/mhaw> #ToHelpMyAnxiety



Year 6 Assembly

Throughout their history lessons, the pupils of **Year 6 Wellington** have delude into the intricate world of the Victorians. Their extensive knowledge will be used to transport you through time as they recount the harrowing tales of children during this epoch.

Year 5 Class Assembly

On Thursday 8th June 2023, Class Pretoria will be performing their class assembly on their recent history topic, Vikings. They will be providing information on the Vikings as well as performing a short play involving a Viking encounter. We are excited to share what our pupils have been learning with their parents, guardians and carers, and we look forward to your continued support

Advance Notice: Sports Day

During the week commencing **Monday 19th June**, Brookside Primary will be celebrating **National Sports Week** by dedicating this week to Sports. On Monday, 19th June, we will be hosting our Nursery and Reception Sports Day, on Tuesday 20th June, we will be hosting our Year 1 and Year 2 Sports Day and on Wednesday 21st June, we will be hosting our Years 3 to 6 Sports Day. All Sports Days will be held on our school playfield. Please see further information below for allocated times.

Date	Time	Year Group
Monday, 19 th June	9:15 a.m. to 11:15 a.m.	Nursery London AM and PM
		Reception
Tuesday, 20 th June	9:15 a.m. to 11:15 a.m.	Year 1
		Year 2
Wednesday, 21 st June	9:15 a.m. to 11:15 a.m.	Year 3
		Year 4
		Year 5
		Year 6



May and June 2023

May

Monday 22nd to 26th May	Pirate Week- Year 1
Tuesday 23rd May	8.40a.m. Stay and Read Nursery AM
Tuesday 23rd May	12.40pm Stay and Read Nursery PM
Tuesday 23rd May	Pirate Workshop Year 1
Wednesday 24th May 2023	9.20am Year 1 Pirate Assembly- Helsinki and Stockholm
Thursday 25th May 2023	Year 6 Wellington Assembly 9.10am
Thursday 25th May 2023	Superhero Day for Reception
Friday 26th May 2023	ZSL Whipsnade Zoo- Year 2 Trip
Friday 26th May 2023	8.40 Stay and Read Reception
Monday, 29th May to Friday 2nd June 2023	End of Term

June

Monday 5th June 2023	Term Begins
Thursday 8th June 2023	9.10am Year 5 Pretoria Parent Assembly
Monday 12th to Friday 16th June 2023	Phonics Screening Check Week Year 1 & 2 Resits.
Thursday 15th June 2023	9.10am Year 5 Dakar Parent Assembly.
Friday 16th June 2023	9.10am Year 2 Kiev Parent Assembly
Sunday 18th June 2023	Fathers Day
Monday 19th June 2023	9.15am- 11.15am Nursery AM And PM Reception Sports Day.
Tuesday 20th June 2023	9.15am- 11.15am Year 1 and Year 2 Sports Day
Wednesday 21st June 2023	9.15-11.15am Years 3,4,5,6 Sports Day
Thursday 22nd June 2023	9.10am Year 3 Ottawa Parent Assembly
Tuesday 27th June 2023	Odds Farm Park- Year 1 Trip.

Brush for Better Health - National Smile Month

Now more than ever we need to focus on keeping our teeth as healthy as possible. A recent report published by Public Health England highlighted that Hillingdon has 28.2% of 5-year-old children as having decayed, missing and filled teeth, much higher than the England average! <https://www.brooksideprimarysch.co.uk/latest-news/brush-for-better-health-national-smile-month>



BROOKSIDE PRIMARY	Week Commencing: Monday 22nd May
	MENU 4

MONDAY		
Meal Choice 1	Spaghetti Bolognese	Halal
Meal Choice 2	Spaghetti Bolognese	Non Halal
Meal Choice 3	Mediterranean Pasta Bake	Vegetarian
Meal Choice 4	Bolognese with Gluten free Pasta	Gluten/Dairy Free
Dessert Choice	Raspberry Jelly	Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts
TUESDAY		
Meal Choice 1	Chicken Sausages with Mashed Potatoes and Beans	Halal
Meal Choice 2	Chicken Sausages with Mashed Potatoes and Beans	Non Halal
Meal Choice 3	Vegetarian Sausages with Mashed Potatoes and Onion Gravy	Vegetarian
Meal Choice 4	Gluten free Pork Sausages with Mashed Potatoes without Milk or Butter	Gluten/Dairy Free
Dessert Choice	Jam and Coconut Sponge	Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts
WEDNESDAY		
Meal Choice 1	Diced Lamb with Noodles and Vegetable Stir Fry	Halal
Meal Choice 2	Diced Lamb with Noodles and Vegetable Stir Fry	Non Halal
Meal Choice 3	Vegetable Stir Fry with Noodles	Vegetarian
Meal Choice 4	Diced Lamb with Vegetable Stir Fry	Gluten/Dairy Free
Dessert Choice	Vanilla Ice Cream with Peaches	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	Cheese and Onion Tart	Vegetarian
Meal Choice 4	Roast Chicken with Roast Potatoes and Gluten free Gravy	Gluten/Dairy Free
Dessert Choice	Chocolate Sponge	Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts
FRIDAY		
Meal Choice 1	Fish Fingers or Battered Chicken with Potato Wedges	Halal
Meal Choice 2	Fish Fingers or Battered Chicken with Potato Wedges	Non Halal
Meal Choice 3	Macaroni Cheese	Vegetarian
Meal Choice 4	Gluten free Fish Fingers with Gluten free Potato Wedges and Beans	Gluten/Dairy Free
Dessert Choice	Custard Tart	Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts
<i>Please note that all main meals are served with Fresh Vegetables of the Day</i>		