



BRANSCOMBE C OF E PRIMARY SCHOOL
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Achievements to Celebrate
Branscombe Waves Award:

Xander: for being friendly and playing together well.
Hannah: for working hard at "cracking" her maths.
George: for an enthusiastic start to the school play.
Nicole: for working very hard and making great progress with her reading.

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Children's Aims
We will try to:



The Branscombe Waves

Dear Parents / Carers

What a lovely week it's been, let's hope the weather continues over the weekend. In school we have been able to make full use of the sunny days. Mr Ford held an outdoor assembly yesterday morning and Class 2 had a lovely walk down to the Old Bakery. We would like to thank Guy Bentley for welcoming the class to look inside the tea rooms as preparation for them planning their own Space Race Museum. Mr Bentley told the children about the history of the Old Bakery and showed them how artefacts and photographs are displayed for visitors. Further details about the museum are included below. Parents for dinner

Thanks must also go to Vicky Goodman who has donated lots of tomato and courgette plants to the school for the allotment. The children look forward to planting them and watching them grow.

Spot the Difference Day

In conjunction with the BBC Breathing Spaces scheme we are arranging a 'Spot the Difference Day' on 13th July. The children will be carrying out a survey of the ladybirds we can find in and around the school grounds and submitting their results on line to BBC Breathing Spaces. We would like the children to dress up on the day in spots or as ladybirds, however, when planning costumes please be aware that the children may be exploring in long grass so legs would be best covered!

Reversible Coat for next term

We are planning to make an order shortly for reversible waterproof/fleece coats with the school logo on. The cost will be £17 approximately. If you are interested in ordering one please tell Nicola in the office.

School Grounds

If any parent or friend of the school would like to spend some time tidying up the planters in school, perhaps just for half an hour before you pick the children up, we would be very grateful. A couple of years ago the children created a sensory garden in the back playground which could do with a bit of refreshing and the pots at the front are in need of a bit of care. If you can offer any time to help out please see Mrs Gray.

Headlice



We have had some reports that some children currently have head lice. Please could you check your child's hair daily and treat as appropriate.

Parent Governor Election

A reminder that we sent out forms last week regarding a Parent Governor Election. If you would like to be more involved with the strategic management of the school please consider putting your name forward. Additional forms are available from the school office.

PTFA

Thank you to everyone who supported the cake sale on Monday. £26.50 was raised. The PTFA will be holding a meeting on Wednesday at 3.15 when the clubs are running to discuss arrangements for the Summer Fayre. Please do attend if you possibly can. There is further information about the Summer Fayre attached to the newsletter.

Invite to Museum

Class 2 will be opening their Space Race Museum to parents and the wider community on Thursday 1st July between 2.15pm and 3.15pm. The classroom will be transformed into a mini museum, with activities for all ages and samples or work that Class 2 have created this term as part of their "Earth and Beyond" topic.

We will be offering refreshments in the museum and would be grateful if as many children as possible from Class 2 could bring in cakes and biscuits on the Thursday morning, preferably decorated with stars and planets!