

FRIDAY LETTER

Brook Acre CP School

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"I Do"

On Monday, Foundation Stage 2 children visited The Church of the Resurrection where they attended a very special wedding celebration. Francisco and Alanna did a fantastic job of recreating a wedding ceremony and Stanley took his best man duties very seriously, keeping the wedding rings safe. The children really enjoyed learning about weddings first hand.

Thank you to all of the parents and carers that attended this visit too! We hope you enjoyed it as much as we did.



Road Safety

Last week was Road Safety Awareness Week and on Wednesday, this week, we held an assembly for parents and carers. The children shared examples of their work, including posters to encourage drivers to slow down, persuasive letters to ask the council to provide more speed bumps and leaflets about staying safe during the darker evenings. During the assembly, children were each given a reflective badge, provided by Co-op Funeral Care.

Congratulations to Rhylee (Y1), Tony-Junior (Y3), Lexie (Y4) and Ellanor (Y5C) who were also awarded special prizes for their work about Road Safety.



BROOK ACRE HISTORY EXHIBITION

Monday 4th December
2:00-3:00 pm and 3:15-3:45 pm



*All parents, carers and friends of Brook Acre are welcome to come and see what we have been learning about in history this term. For the first time ever, Brook Acre will open its door as a **HISTORY MUSEUM** and you are invited to browse each and every classroom with your child/children.*

Please sign in at the school office where you will be shown to your children's classes by our very own museum tour guides.

(Please note that the museum will close for a short period between 3.00 pm and 3.15 pm to ensure all children are seen safely out of school at the end of the day.)

Save the date! We are really looking forward to seeing you all!



Congratulations

As we approach Christmas, we are happy to share some lovely news with you and, as you know, we don't do things by half at Brook Acre! I'm pleased to be able to tell you that Miss Smith is looking forward to the arrival of her first child late in the Spring term and Mrs Chidzey is also expecting a baby brother or sister for her son Jack next year. I'm sure you'll join us in saying best wishes and many congratulations to them both!



WORD OF THE WEEK!

This week's word was: "Exceptional".

"Exceptional means very unusual or outstandingly good."

"This wedding dress is exceptional." (Alanna, Foundation Stage 2)

"I had an exceptional day yesterday." (Ryan, Year 4)

Exceptional will now carry forward for a second week

The challenge is set to see how often we can use these words in our talking and in our writing, with the best examples shared in Friday's assembly.



STARS OF THE WEEK



FS1 AM	Amira	★	FS1 PM	Leah	★
FS2	Dwayne	★	Year 1	Jack	★
Year 2	Charlie	★	Year 3	Jacob	★
Year 4	Jack A-G	★	Year 5C	Olivia	★
Year 5K	Alisha	★	Year 6	Richard	★



SEAL THEME



"Keeping Cool Overcoming Feelings of Anger"

Children spotted this week:

FS1 AM	Ebony	FS1 PM	Jacob P
FS2	Kyle	Y1	Ryan
Y2	Skarlett	Y3	Lillie-Mai
Y4	Charlie	Y5C	Connor
Y5K	Michal	Y6	Jake C



BEST ATTENDANCE



Y1 - 96.6%



Well Done!



Congratulations to our Stars, SEAL and Headteacher Award winners, who will all be invited to enjoy their lunch on the Captain's Table.



Headteacher Award

The Headteacher's Award is given each week to children who have shown impeccable behaviour, outstanding attitudes and admirable learning skills.

This week the Headteacher's Award goes to:

Foundation Stage – Stanley (FS2) for taking on his role exceptionally seriously during the church service this week and showing such wonderful recall and knowledge in the class discussions about Guy Fawkes.

Key Stage 1 – Amelia (Y1) for wonderful independence and resilience, using resources, without help, to extend her ideas and move her writing on – what a superb learning attitude!

Key Stage 2 – Libby (Y4) for her energy, enthusiasm and positivity in class and in rehearsals. Libby is always so helpful and takes on her own missions to achieve with a big smile – lighting up the room!



Christmas Carols and Craft



Active Hope and Kings Church, Warrington are organising a family Carols and Craft event at The SMILE Centre on Sunday 3 December, 11.00 am to 12.00 noon.

Refreshments will be available and everyone is welcome.

Please note: Children must be accompanied by an adult.

For more information please contact Dan Curtis on 07739 011867.



Poppy Appeal

Brook Acre Primary School received a certificate from the Poppy Appeal today showing that a grand total of **£197.20** was raised by everyone involved in our school. Thank you to all our parents, carers, children and staff for helping with this very good cause.