



# Newsletter

**Spring Term 9th February 2024**  
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**John 10:10 Live life in all its fullness**



Dear Parents and Carers,

What a week– phew. Thank you again to the marvellous staff who have organised for [safer internet](#) day, children's mental health week, women's Aid sessions and also a performance by a theatre company of the Selfish Giant. Life in all it's fullness is tough especially if you then combine it with celebrating of Chinese new year and early Valentines! A huge hurrah for your excellence!



**Silent Auction for Rafi**—one more amazing prize for Chelsea fans, see page 3

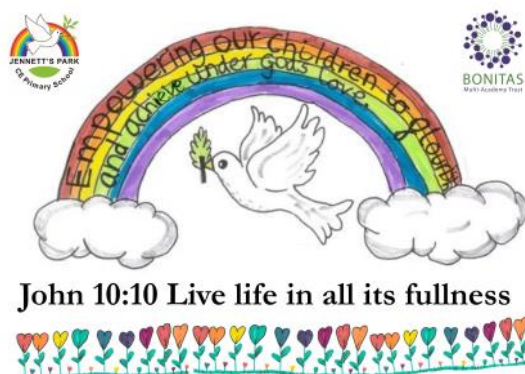
**World Book Day**—we all love dressing up. See page 4 for our sale.

**Camp Beaumont** have apologised for withdrawing services and diverting to Wellington site at half term. They plan to come back at Easter. I will ask after the holidays for more views on wraparound. Our updated prices are on page 5.

We have a vacancy for a new position of a school business manager. [Current staff vacancies | Jennett's Park \(bonitas.org.uk\)](#)

Our PTA have also kindly organised a Bags2School collection after half term, please drop off bags of goods by 9am on Friday 23rd February.

See you on the gate,  
Liz Savage, Headteacher



## AUCTION

As part of our Rafi fundraiser, we have the following items people are able to bid on. Highest bidder ***wins the prize on 20th February. We extended due to some late additions that we don't want anyone to miss out on!*** To place a bid, please email [rafi.fundraiser@gmail.com](mailto:rafi.fundraiser@gmail.com) with the prize and your bid/contact details.

### 21: CHELSEA HOME KIT—SIGNED, BOXED AND AUTHENTICATED

**An amazing donation has come in—  
a signed Chelsea home kit!**



- 1: ROYAL WINDSOR RACECOURSE GIFT VOUCHER – 4 X CLUB ENCLOSURE TICKETS
- 2: EASTHAMPTSTEAD PARK OVERNIGHT STAY FOR 2
- 3: LONDON CITY RIVER CRUISE & LONDON EYE EXPERIENCE
- 4: 3 COURSE LUNCH FOR 2 AT SINO DINING
- 5: 4 X ADULT 1 HOUR LESSONS IN BRAZILIAN JIU JITSU
- 6: £100 ALL ABOUT YOU PAMPER GIFT VOUCHER
- 7: £100 GLEEFUL PET SERVICE GIFT VOUCHER
- 8: £120 TRIDENT CAR VALETING GIFT VOUCHER
- 9: £60 CORAL REEF GFIT VOUCHER
- 10: GYMFINITY KIDS 1 MONTH MEMBERSHIP
- 11: EAST BERKSHIRE GOLF CLUB VOUCHER FOR 4 PLAYERS ROUND OF GOLF
- 12: 4 x FOOTBALL 1:1 COACHING SESSIONS WORTH £200
- 13: QPR HOME SHIRT SIGNED BY ALL THE PLAYERS
- 14: 4 X TICKETS TO A QPR HOME GAME
- 15: 60 MINUTE MASSAGE AT PURE WELLNESS & BEAUTY
- 16: 3 X LARGE SWEET BOXES FROM LOTTIE'S SUGAR SHACK
- 17: MICROWAVE – COMFEE 700W VALUE £80
- 18: PAINTING OF EIFFEL TOWER BY MISS WHITTINGTON
- 19: MOONLIT LAKE PAINTING BY MISS WHITTINGTON
- 20: READING FOOTBALL CLUB 150 YEARS LIMITED EDITION MEN'S JACKET SIZE LARGE
- 21: SIGNED, BOXED CHELSEA HOME KIT



**Jennett's Park School PTA**

**World book day  
is coming!!**

**Fear not..**

**Just pop along to our**

**WORLD BOOK DAY  
DRESS UP SALE**

**at parents evening on**

**Tuesday 22nd February**

**or the gazebo on**

**Friday 23rd February\***

**£2.50 an outfit**



**\*while stocks last**



# Clubs

Clubs are now available to be booked! All internally organised clubs can be booked via [MagicBookings](#), otherwise please see below links to book with our partner providers.

**No clubs to run first week back due to parents evening.**

Club	Years	Time	Day	Who	Where
<b>Gardening</b>	YR-Y6	3:15-4:10pm	Monday	Mrs Redondo & Miss Picton	Woodpeckers/ outside
<b>Crochet</b>	Y5+6	3:15-4:10pm	Tuesday	Miss Jennings & Mrs Andrews	Parakeets
<a href="#">French</a>	Y3-6	Lunchtime	Tuesday	Bilinguasing	ICT Room
<b>Messy Play Club</b>	YR-Y2	3:15-4:10pm	Tuesday	Miss Haworth & Miss Woodhall	Dance & Sensory
<a href="#">Rocksteady</a>	Y1-6	Mornings	Wednesday	Jack Coffey	Music Room
<b>Drama Group</b>	Y3-4	3:15-4:15pm	Wednesday	Wellington College teacher & students	Music Room
<b>Minecraft</b>	Y2-6	3:30-4:30pm	Wednesday	Micreation	ICT Room
<a href="#">Multi-Skills</a>	Y1-6	3:30-4:30pm	Wednesday	Just Play Sports	MUGA/Field
<b>Chess</b>	Y1-6	3:15-4:10pm	Thursday	Chess in Schools	Sabrewings
<a href="#">Brickies (Lego)</a>	Y1-6	3:15-4:10pm	Thursday	Brickies	ICT Room
<b>Drawing</b>	Y3-6	3:15-4:10pm	Friday	Ms Collins	Macaws
<a href="#">Spanish</a>	Y1-2	Lunchtime	Friday	Bilinguasing	ICT Room
<a href="#">Football</a>	Y1-6	3:15-4:30pm	Friday	Just Play Sports	Field

As per last week's newsletter, a reminder that our club prices are unfortunately increasing following half term due to increased running costs:

Breakfast Club: £6.75

After-school Club (3:15-6:00pm): £12.30

Reduced rate for those in clubs (4:15-6:00pm): £7.80

Activity club prices: £4.50 (except Chess which is gratefully subsidised at £3.00) per session.

## Sports Update

This half-term our Year 6 athletes represented the school at the Bracknell Forest indoor athletics competition.

Our team of 6 boys and 6 girls had to compete in a throwing event (Chest Push, Javelin or Speed Bounce), one jumping event (Triple Jump, Long Jump or High Jump) and then at least one relay race. The team represented us all incredibly and we finished 3rd in our first competition. This brilliant performance meant that we qualified for the finals that were held on another day. The standard of the final was much higher but we all still tried our best.



We managed a respectable 10th placing out of all 28 Bracknell Forest Primary schools.

Thank you to all the teachers (Mr Page and Miss Woodbridge) for taking us and organizing the event (Miss Knowles and the amazing office team). Also, thank you to the group of parents who lost their voices screaming support for us and finally thank you to the team for all your support and encouragement for each other.

### The Year 6 Team

After half-term we look forward to the restart of the Boys and Girls football league and the Year 6 Hockey festival.

Keep enjoying your sport over half-term, stay active and do let us know of any outstanding performances or achievements.

Good Luck to Ellie Barratt (Year 6) for her rugby tour

Congratulations to Jacob J and Olly L (Year 6) for their football academy achievements

Congratulations to Taya and Jess S (Year 6) who I keep seeing pushing themselves at Parkrun

Well done to Levi and Charlie (Year 4) for an undefeated start to their football careers for a new Crowthorne team

# Parents Evening

We have listened to parent feedback and are continuing to offer a combination of face-to-face and virtual appointments for our next parents evening.

## Parents Evening

Tuesday 20th February 4:30pm-7:30pm (Online)

Thursday 22nd February 3:30pm-6:00pm (Face-to-Face)

Please book your child's space [via SchoolCloud](#) using your child's details. Please do check if you have book in-person or online.

A guide for SchoolCloud can be found on our website: [https:// www.jennetts.bonitas.org.uk/wp-content/uploads/2023/10/ Parents-Evening-Parents-Guide.pdf](https://www.jennetts.bonitas.org.uk/wp-content/uploads/2023/10/Parents-Evening-Parents-Guide.pdf)

**Canaries Class:** parents and carers from this class will have the opportunity to have an appointment with Miss Knowles once she has recovered and returned from her operation (after half term).

If you experience any issues, [please do contact the office](#).



## Fundraiser

Henry (Stonechats) with his certificate for top fundraiser for the reindeer run at Thames Hospice this weekend. Henry was very proud and happy to have raised £324!

## Crochet Club

Jess in Sabrewings has created a bottle sleeve! She has been to crochet club for a month and has created independently - we are so impressed!

We are carrying on crochet club after half term, please do come and join us.

Mrs Jennings & Mrs Andrews





# Supporting Your Children Workshops




To book a space please email [your full name to Inge.Taylor@bracknell-forest.gov.uk](mailto:your full name to Inge.Taylor@bracknell-forest.gov.uk)






These courses are universal (not specific for SEND or particular ages) and for adults supporting children **not** the children themselves so please arrange childcare if needed

Each course is a **standalone 2-hour session** - please be aware that spaces are offered on a **first come first served basis** and parents should not just turn up

Once you have completed an enrolment form your space will be confirmed

Please only book onto the sessions if you are **going to be able to attend** to avoid other parents missing out on the opportunity to have a place or let me know if you can no longer attend.

<b><u>Helping children to overcome anxious thoughts and worries</u></b>		
<b>A 2-hour session looking at:</b> What happens when children become anxious? Impact current events have had on children's mental health. Techniques for helping children deal with their fears / worries.		
Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> February 2024 <b>(FULLY BOOKED)</b> @ Bracknell Open Learning Centre.		6.30 – 8.30 pm
Tuesday 20 <sup>th</sup> February 2024 <b>(12 spaces remaining)</b> @ Bracknell Open Learning Centre.		6.30 – 8.30 pm
Tuesday 19 <sup>th</sup> March 2024 <b>(12 spaces remaining)</b> @ Bracknell Open Learning Centre.		9.30 – 11.30 am
<b><u>Managing Behaviour in a Positive Way</u></b>		
<b>A 2-hour session looking at:</b> Gain insight into your parenting style / relationship with your child. Learn or revisit positive ways of managing behaviour! Strategies to deal with unacceptable behaviours.		
Thursday 22 <sup>nd</sup> February 2024 <b>(FULLY BOOKED)</b> @ Bracknell Open Learning Centre		6.30 – 8.30 pm
Monday 18 <sup>th</sup> March 2024 <b>(12 spaces remaining)</b> @ Bracknell Open Learning Centre		6.30 – 8.30 pm
Tuesday 26 <sup>th</sup> March 2024 <b>(12 spaces remaining)</b> @ Bracknell Open Learning Centre		9.30 – 11.30 am
<b><u>Supporting Children to get a Healthy Night's Sleep</u></b>		
<b>A 2-hour session looking at:</b> The different sleep issues facing our families. Tips on how to get a good night's sleep. Help children develop good sleeping habits.		
Monday 26 <sup>th</sup> February 2024 <b>(FULLY BOOKED)</b> @ Bracknell Open Learning Centre		6.30 – 8.30 pm
Tuesday 12 <sup>th</sup> March 2024 <b>(12 spaces remaining)</b> @ Bracknell Open Learning Centre		9.30 – 11.30 am
Tuesday 26 <sup>th</sup> March 2024 <b>(12 spaces remaining)</b> @ Bracknell Open Learning Centre		6.30 – 8.30 pm

<b>Parenting pre / early-teens in a Positive Way (aged 10 – 13)</b> <b>A 2-hour session looking at:</b> Gain insight into the impact of your parenting style! Positive techniques for managing older children's behaviour. Boosting your relationship and communication with your child.		
Tuesday 6 <sup>th</sup> February 2024 <b>(12 spaces remaining)</b> @ Bracknell Open Learning Centre		6.30 – 8.30 pm
Friday 1 <sup>st</sup> March 2024 <b>(FULLY BOOKED)</b> @ Bracknell Open Learning Centre		9.30 – 11.30
<b>Reducing Sibling Rivalry</b> <b>A 2-hour session looking at:</b> Encouraging a more harmonious sibling relationship Learn / revisit techniques for children to cope with being a sibling. Boosting children's emotional literacy		
Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> February 2024 <b>(8 spaces remaining)</b> @ Bracknell Open Learning Centre		9.30 – 11.30
Wednesday 27 <sup>th</sup> March 2024 <b>(12 spaces remaining)</b> @ Bracknell Open Learning Centre		6.30 – 8.30 pm
<b>Single Parent, Separated and Blended families – supporting children to cope with different family dynamics.</b> <b>A 2-hour session looking at:</b> Different family dynamics and how they can work. Parental conflict resolutions Being the best parent that you can be for your child		
Tuesday 5 <sup>th</sup> March 2024 <b>(8 spaces remaining)</b> @ Bracknell Open Learning Centre		6.30 – 8.30 pm
<b>Supporting a smooth transition to secondary school (YR 5/6 parents)</b> <b>A 2-hour session looking at:</b> What the transition involves The positives and concerns of transitioning to a new setting Boosting your child's ability to have a smooth transition		
Tuesday 16 <sup>th</sup> April 2024 <b>(12 spaces remaining)</b> @ Bracknell Open Learning Centre		6.30 – 8.30 pm
Thursday 23 <sup>rd</sup> May 2024 <b>(12 spaces remaining)</b> @ Bracknell Open Learning Centre		6.30 – 8.30 pm
Wednesday 5 <sup>th</sup> June 2024 <b>(4 spaces remaining)</b> @ Bracknell Open Learning Centre		9.30 – 11.30 am
<b>We're also delivering at the following schools please book directly with the school.</b> St. Josephs                03/06/24 St. Margaret Clitherow   03/06/24 St. Michaels EH         04/06/24 The Pines School         07/06/24 Great Hollands         11/06/24 Meadow Vale             12/06/24		9 – 11 am 6 – 8 pm 9 – 11 am 9 – 11 am 1 – 3 pm 9 – 11 am
<b>Supporting a smooth transition from Year R to Year 1 and beyond</b> <b>A 2-hour session looking at:</b> What's involved in transition from reception to year 1 The best ways to support the transition. Boosting your child's resilience to cope with the change		
Friday 3 <sup>rd</sup> May 2024 <b>(8 spaces remaining)</b> @ Bracknell Open Learning Centre		9.30 – 11.30 am

# 20 is plenty!

Children who read for  
20 minutes a day...



Will have a world of  
imagination & creativity  
opened to them



Will have better  
general knowledge



Will be exposed to 1.8  
million words a year



Will improve critical  
thinking skills



Will improve their  
communication skills



Will have a broad  
vocabulary



Will learn how to  
develop empathy



Will have reduced  
stress levels



Will improve their test  
results





# Outstanding Owl and Rainbow Promise Learners



Each week children are chosen for showing Owl learning behaviours or following our Rainbow Promise.



Our Rainbow Promise underpins everything we do at school. Just as the Rainbow was a sign of God's promise to Noah that from that moment God would enable Noah and the people of the earth to flourish and experience life in all its fullness. So as a school community we promise to do our best to enable all the pupils and adults of our school to flourish academically and professionally so that they might reach their potential.

The Rainbow is also a symbol of the diversity of our school community, but as a church school we recognise that we are all created and valued by God, and so as a school community we commit to care for and value each other.

The dove symbolises our need to persevere in some aspects of life as it is not always the first time we find success. It was not the first time that Noah had tried to find dry land and so we much seek strength within ourselves and from God to achieve.

 *Forgiveness*

 *Patience*

 *Support*

 *Kindness & Joy*

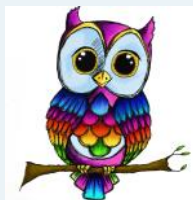
 *Love*

 *Honesty*

 *Respect*

 *Peace*

**These are our Values we try to live each day**



## Our Owl Learning Behaviours:

**C - Collaboration O - Optimism**

**P - Perseverance P - Pride**

**I - Inspiration C - Challenge**

**MD - Managing Distractions**





## JOURNEY THROUGH HOLY WEEK WITH US.



### **PALM SUNDAY (24/03)**

Jesus, amid the cheering crowd,  
rides on a donkey to Jerusalem

8am Holy Communion  
9:30am Palm Sunday Parish Eucharist



### **HOLY MONDAY**

Jesus visits his friends in Bethany  
and Mary anoints the feet of Jesus.

8pm Stations of the Cross



### **HOLY TUESDAY**

Jesus foretells the betrayal of Judas  
and the denial of Peter

7pm Holy Communion



### **HOLY WEDNESDAY**

Judas makes a deal with the high priests;  
he agrees to turn Jesus over for 30 silver coins

8pm Stations of the Cross



### **MAUNDY THURSDAY**

The Last Supper takes place.  
Jesus institutes the sacrament of the Eucharist

8pm The Liturgy of Maundy  
Thursday



### **GOOD FRIDAY**

Jesus is sentenced to death by crucifixion.  
He dies on the cross and is buried in a tomb.

12pm Good Friday Reflections  
2pm The Liturgy of Good Friday  
8pm Tenebrae



### **HOLY SATURDAY**

The body of Jesus remains in the tomb.  
He has descended to the dead.



### **EASTER SUNDAY (31/03)**

Jesus rises from the dead

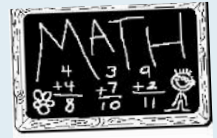
6am Easter Vigil  
8am Easter Holy Communion  
9:30am Easter Parish Eucharist  
6pm Evening Prayer with

# Pages for Children



## Our Rainbow Moments this week

Robins	Noah
Woodpeckers	Kayden
Stonechats	Bethany
Whinchats	Josh
Canaries	Thomas
Yellowhammers	Phoebe
Greenjays	Evie
Parakeets	Jack
Kingfishers	Harry
Macaws	Ella
Mockingbirds	Asa
Peacocks	Liam
Sabrewings	Annabell
Sunbirds	Holly



## Our Owl Learners this week

Robins	Bear
Woodpeckers	Joey
Stonechats	Teddy F
Whinchats	Sophia
Canaries	Aizah
Yellowhammers	Tommy
Greenjays	Amy
Parakeets	Oliver M
Kingfishers	Theo
Macaws	Sam & Levi
Mockingbirds	Daniel S
Peacocks	Megan
Sabrewings	Saswath
Sunbirds	Amaiayah



### Upcoming Dates for your Diary

<b>20th February</b>	<b>Shrove Tuesday Parents Evening—Online (details to follow)</b>
<b>21st February</b>	<b>Ash Wednesday YR-6 Athlete Visit</b>
<b>22nd February</b>	<b>Parents Evening—Face-to-face (details to follow)</b>
<b>23rd February</b>	<b>Bags2School Collection (<a href="#">details here</a>)</b>
<b>1st March</b>	<b>Class Photographs Author Visit—Jennifer Bell</b>
<b>4th &amp; 5th March</b>	<b>Y6 Experience Easter</b>
<b>7th March</b>	<b>Holi Purim Pause Day Y3 World Book Day Celebrations</b>
<b>8th March</b>	<b>WORLD BOOK DAY (exc. Y3) Y3 Ufton Court Trip International Women's Day M&amp;M Productions: The Hobbit</b>
<b>10th March</b>	<b>Ramadan begins</b>
<b>11-15th March</b>	<b>Science Week</b>
<b>12th March</b>	<b>Y1/2 Book Look (parents welcome 2:45-3:30)</b>
<b>13th March</b>	<b>Y3/4 Book Look (parents welcome 2:45-3:30)</b>
<b>14th March</b>	<b>Y5/6 Book Look (parents welcome 2:45-3:30)</b>
<b>15th March</b>	<b>St Patricks Day Red Nose Day</b>
<b>21st March</b>	<b>World Poetry Day</b>
<b>25th-29th March</b>	<b>World of Work Week</b>
<b>27th March</b>	<b>Rocksteady Concert 9:30am End of term (nursery)</b>
<b>28th March</b>	<b>End of term 1:30pm</b>
<b>1st-12th April</b>	<b><i>Easter holidays—Camp Beaumont</i></b>

## Term dates 23/24

Spring Term 2024	
Professional Training Day	Tuesday 2nd January 2024 Day 3
Start of Term	Wednesday 3rd January 2024
Half Term	Monday 12th February to Friday 16th February 2024
End of Term Nursery	Wednesday 27th March 2024
End of Term	Thursday 28th March 2024 1:30pm (Good Friday 29th March 2024, Easter Monday 1st April 2024)
Summer Term 2024	
Start of Term	Monday 15th April 2024
Half Term	May Bank Holidays 6th and 27th May 2024 Monday 27th May to Friday 31st May 2024
End of Term Nursery	Wednesday 17th July 2024
End of Term	Friday 19th July 2024
Professional Training Days	Monday 22nd July 2024 Day 4 Tuesday 23rd July 2024 Day 5 (Day 4&5 taken as staff TOIL)



just play sports

Spring Term  
[05/01/24] -  
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# Just Play Sports Clubs

From the sport-mad to the have-a-gos, here you'll find clubs packed with games for any ability and a ginormous focus on fun.

**Multi Skills Club for  
Years 1 - 6**

**Wednesday  
3:30pm - 4:30pm**

**£7.50 a session**

**Football Club for  
Years 1 - 6**


**Friday  
3:30pm - 4:30pm**

**£7.50 a session**


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