JENNETT'S PARK CE PRIMARY 14TH NOVEMBER

NEWSLETTER



JOHN 10:10 LIVE LIFE IN ALL ITS FULLNESS

Dear Parents and Carers,

Phew - a very full week. Planetariums, Odd Socks, Poppies and Remembrance, AGM's and of course of Be a Buddy Day and World Diabetes Day.

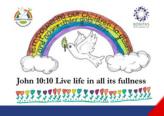
Separated parents coming from a blended family myself I know how hard it can be. As a school, we do not take sides. We cannot do that. Please be reasonable in communicating your requests rather than leaving school in the middle! Do take time to read our <u>policy</u>. Some more advice coming over the next few weeks on our website.

Remembrance Day was celebrated throughout our school, please see our wonderful video from our Year 6 children here.

A huge thank you to our friends at **Kerith Church's Prayer Spaces** who came in to give us the gift of their understanding and wisdom in how to make friends and being thankful.

Our Wellbeing Award reviewer will be in school on Tuesday 25th November, if you would like to pop in to answer questions about how your children are supported in school. If you would like to contribute, please pop in at 11:00am.

See you on the gate, Liz Savage, Headteacher



TERM DATES | JENNETT'S PARK

Please do see the below link for your child's year group webpage. Your year group pages contain key dates, letters, PE days & curriculum newsletters.

<u>Nursery</u>	Reception	Year 1	Year 2
Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6

Tues 18 Nov	BilinguaSing Spanish Sessions begin (4 weeks)	YN
Tues 18 Nov	Maths workshop 9:00am	Y1
Wed 19 Nov	Maths workshop 9:00am	Y1
Thurs 20 Nov	Great Fire of London Experience	Y2
Fri 21 Nov	Non-uniform for donation Christmas Wonderland	All
Tues 25 Nov	Little Musketeers - Fencing tasters	ТВС
Fri 28 Nov	Pause Day: Reindeer Visit (details to follow)	All
Fri 28 Nov	Christingle making with parents 9- 9:30 (except Y5)	YN-6 (not 5)
Fri 28 Nov	Christingle Service (Y5 parents welcome)	Y5
Weds 3 Dec	International Day for Persons with Disabilities	All
Weds 3 Dec	Sewing Afternoon (parents welcome 1.15pm-3.15pm)	Y3
Fri 5 Dec	Christmas Fair 5pm-7pm	All welcome
Mon 8 Dec	Christmas Unwrapped	Y4
Tues 9 Dec	Nativity 9:15am (first performance, details to follow)	YR
Tues 9 Dec	Outdoor Christmas Performance 9:30 (details to follow)	YN
Weds 10 Dec	Human Rights Day	All
Weds 10 Dec	Nativity 2:00pm (second performance, details to follow)	YR
Thurs 11 Dec	Christmas Dinner Day (details to follow)	YR-6
Fri 12 Dec	Christmas Jumper Day	All
Mon 15 Dec	KS1 Christmas Concert 2:00pm (first performance)	Y1-2
Tues 16 Dec	KS1 Christmas Concert 9:15am (second performance)	Y1-2
Tues 16 Dec	Talent show (children only)	YR-6
Weds 17 Dec	Rocksteady Performance 9.05am (band parents welcome)	YR-6
Weds 17 Dec	Pantomime	YR-6
Thurs 18 Dec	End of Term Nursery	Nursery
Fri 19 Dec	End of Term 1:30pm finish	YR-6

CHRISTMAS LUNCH IN SCHOOL

We are looking forward to celebrating our Christmas Lunch in school on Thursday 11th December.

Christmas lunches must be pre-ordered by 2nd December using the offer on ParentPay (see Trips > Christmas Dinner)

The offer is 'free' to order but on the day, you will be charged your normal price for lunch (YR-Y2 £0.00 and Y3-6 £2.80). Children receiving <u>free school meals</u> remain free.

If your child prefers a packed lunch, they will still join their friends in the hall for crackers and festive music.

All existing dietary requirements and allergies will be catered for. Please select your child's preferred option and we will contact you if any changes are required.



NEW KIT!

We are so grateful to Little Pickles Childcare who have generously sponsored our girls' football tops and donated a full set for our girls team!

The girls will wear these with pride when they represent our school and we are exceptionally grateful to Mr & Mrs Harrington for their sponsorship.









UNWRAP A HOLIDAY FULL OF LAUGHTER AND NEW FRIENDS WITH ACE KIDS!

Join our Christmas Holiday Club – let the adventures begin!





CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY CLUB AT

Jennett's Park CE Primary School, 3 Tawny Owl Square, Bracknell, RG12 8EB

PTA

A huge thank you to the parents who were able to attend the AGM or send their apologies.

We are delighted that the committee has been formed and further details to follow. The Christmas Cards and other goodies have been distributed home this week.

PRIDE OF BRACKNELL COMPETITION

This year's competition is all about community and we would love pupils to design an A4 poster on the topic of 'What I love about Bracknell Forest'.

The pupil with the best design will receive a £1,000 donation to their school, as well as an Amazon voucher worth 10% of the school's prize. Entry form at end of newsletter, please hand entries to office.

CHOIR CLUB - XMAS

Mrs Bruce has started a Christmas Choir Club for Y1-6 children. If you would like your child to join, please complete below letter (printed copies available in office)

https://www.jennetts.bonitas.org.uk/wp-content/uploads/2025/11/Christmas-choir-club-letter-07.11.2025.pdf

WINTER WONDERLAND



Instead of wearing uniform, children are invited to bring in a donation for our stalls and raffles. We'd love items such as bottles of drink, boxes of chocolates or sweets, toiletry gift sets, books, toys and games, soft toys, or new stationery. The more donations we receive, the more we can raise towards improving our school playground. Thank you for your support and generosity — every item helps make our Winter Wonderland a magical success!

If you are donating any alcohol or glass gifts - please do drop this into the office for safekeeping!

QUIZ CLUB

Last week, some of Jennett's Park top quizzers took part in the annual inter-school Quiz Club competition. They competed against schools all across the UK in a live, online competition, answering general knowledge questions ranging from recognising the chemical symbol of Sodium to the year in which the Wright brothers first took flight.

As you can tell, some of the questions were challenging but our teams put in an excellent display of quiz mastery. For most of the competition, we were floating around the mid-table. It was the final round that got the better of us with each question worth 100 points each! In the end, our teams were a just a few questions short of the top four.

I would like to commend them in their perseverance and rising to the challenge demonstrating some of our Owl learning behaviours here at Jennett's Park. Well done to:

Year 6: Burhan and Hunter

Year 5: Bertie and Greta

Year 4: Oliver and George

Year 3: Charlie and Aspen

Mr Frost



SCAN TO BOOK:











CERTIFICATE OF APPRECIATION

Awarded to

JENNETTS PARK CE PRIMARY **SCHOOL**

for their generous donation of

£119.50

from sales of photographs by



With grateful thanks



Bracknell Christmas **Toy Bank**

Toys you don't want or need?

Donate them to the Toy Bank, providing local children most in need with Christmas presents this year. Follow @bracknelltoybank on Instagram to see items not accepted.

Donations accepted: 27th October - 3rd December **Involve Community Services, RG12 1AE** (opposite Bracknell library) Mon-Fri: 9am-4:30pm

Brand new and used toys accepted, but mus be complete/in gifting condition

> Thank you for your support! @bracknelltoybank □ bracknelltoybank@gmail.com

Apply for a school place!

The admissions process to apply for a Reception school place from September 2026 is now open.

> The application process is open from 5 November 2025 - 15 January 2026

Visit www.bracknell-forest.gov.uk/applyforprimary or use the QR code to apply



Does your child's date of birth fall on or between 01 September 2021 - 31 August 2022



BRACKNELL

TOY BANK







Drop-in flu clinics

At Foundation House, Windsor SL4 4LE

We are holding drop-in clinics for your child's flu vaccination on the following dates:

- 18.11.25 14:30-16:30
- 27.11.25 14:30-16:00
- 5.12.25 12:00-16:00

If you haven't completed a consent form yet, you can complete one using the information sent by your child's school or complete one at the clinic with one of the team



Goto the address below to share your views and ideas



cypf.berkshirehealthcare.nhs.uk/feedback

WEEKLY OWL AND RAINBOW AWARDS

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

	Our Rainbow Moments	Our Owl Learners
Robins	Rosie	Joshua
Woodpeckers	Xander	Scarlett
Stonechats	Vahisa	Denys
Whinchats	Рорру	Rebeka
Canaries	Riyaa	Harry
Yellowhammers	Sienna	Noah
Greenjays	Ismail	Grace
Parakeets	Hunter	Mia
Kingfishers	Alerio	Logan
Macaws	Logan M	Hunter
Mockingbirds	Harry	Mia
Peacocks	Deena	Jack M
Sabrewings	Freya	Ashton
Sunbirds	Esme	Kurt

5 MAIN STRATEGIC FOCI 'COMET'

Jennett's Park 2025-26

To work with our community for a shared vision on how we will work and achieve together

Community <



To continue on our

Teaching and >journey of adaptive

Learning and visible

learning so all

excel

To launch our
OPAL project
and vision for
other use of the
outside space

Outdoors

Maths

ECO

To launch our commitment to respecting the environment

Developing our logical thinking and problem solving skills







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MOMENTS MATTER, ATTENDANCE COUNTS.











SEND Inclusion Award



2023-2026

Wellbeing Award for Schools

2022-2025

Supporting Your Children Workshops 2025 - 2026

To book a space click on the **Enrolment Link** or email linge.Taylor@bracknell-forest.gov.uk
Each course is a **standalone 2-hour session**, is universal (not specific for SEND) and for adults supporting **not** the children themselves so **please arrange childcare if needed**Once you have completed an enrolment form your space will be confirmed Please only book if you are *going to be able to attend* to avoid other parents missing out.

All sessions unless stated otherwise take place at The Bracknell Open Learning Centre

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Supporting Children to Overcome their Anxious Thoughts and Worries					
Exploring how anxiety affects children and learn simple, effective techniques to					
support children to overcome their Anxious Thoughts and Worries.					
Saturday 15 th November 2025	Enrolment link			10am – midday	
Wednesday 14 th January 2026	Enrolment Form			6.30 – 8.30 pm	
Monday 13 th April 2026	Enrolment Link			6.30 – 8.30 pm	
Monday 8 th June 2026 <u>Enrolment form</u>				6.30 – 8.30 pm	
Managing Behaviour in a Positive Way A session exploring positive behaviour strategies enabling parents to gain practical tools for handling challenging behaviours with confidence and care.					
Monday 10 th November 2025		Enrolment Link		6.30 – 8.30 pm	
Monday 12 th January 2026		Enrolment link		9.30 – 11.30 am	
Thursday 05 th March 2026		Enrolment form		6.30 – 8.30 pm	
Thursday 23 rd April 2026		Enrolment link		6.30 – 8.30 pm	
Monday 22 nd June 2026 <u>Enrolment Form</u>				6.30 – 8.30 pm	
Parenting pre / early-teens in a Positive Way (aged 10 – 13) An insight into parenting, looking at positive behaviour strategies, different ways to strengthen communication / connection with your pre-teen child.					
Thursday 9th October 2025 <u>Enrolment Link</u>				6.30 – 8.30 pm	
Parenting pre / early-teens in a Positive Way (aged 13 – 16) A session focused on using positive approaches to guide teenage behaviour, building stronger communication and connection during the teen years.					
Monday 20th October 2025		Enrolment form		6.30 – 8.30 pm	
Encouraging Resilience – Keep Ca Gain practical tips, leaving you ins bounce back stronger; no matter	pir	red and equipped to help children nat life throws their way		1800-0007 - the previous of hashing data and dissoliding from the area or alternity.	
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Transition to secondary school Gain practical tips, share experiences, and learn how to support your child through the exciting, sometimes challenging transition to secondary school.				GEAR A COUNTY OF THE PARTY OF T	
Monday 29th June 2026		Enrolment form		6.30 – 8.30 pm	
			Address on	alcome to Year 1	
Thursday 25th June 2026		Enrolment form		6.30 – 8.30 pm	

A healthy night's sleep

Sleep is essential for children's wellbeing, learning, and behaviour. Get practical tips to help children build healthy, lasting sleep habits



Who is your LOCAL HERO?



The Pride of Bracknell Forest Awards celebrate the achievements of outstanding individuals and organisations in our community. We showcase those local heroes who make life in Bracknell Forest better.

Show your support by nominating someone today:

Business of the Year Charity of the Year

The John Nike Pride of Bracknell Forest Award (Adult & Young)

Long-Standing Service to the Community Award

School of the Year

Sport & Achievement Award (Adult & Young)

Teacher of the Year

Team of the Year

Young Person in Business











Please submit all nominations by Friday 20th February 2026

The Pride of Bracknell Forest Awards 2026 Primary School Competition: 'What I Love About Bracknell Forest'



Full Name: ______ School: ______ Year Group: ____



UNIFORM SUPPLIES

KT Textiles (for branded items)

Please use KT Textile for branded uniform. They now offer adult sizing for any children requiring 13yrs+ https://www.kttextiles.co.uk/

PTA (second-hand supplies)

Our PTA volunteers offer second-hand items at a reduced cost, please contact jennettsparkpta@gmail.com

THRIVE (Thursdays after school)
On Thursdays after-school, please do visit Thrive in the music room where we have pre-loved uniform, coats and shoes for anyone requiring them. Thrive is open to all our school community.