

NOTICES & REMINDERS

Rooted in Christian values | Seek within | Wonder why | Reach out | Aim high

As our first half term of the year draws to a close, we reflect on the many successes and achievements of our children. We've witnessed excellent learning across the school and seen our new students settle into school life beautifully. The children have actively participated in collective worship and whole school events.

Looking ahead to the next half term, it's already time to start thinking about our Christmas events and activities!

A reminder that Monday 4th November is a Staff INSET day and school is closed to children. We look forward to welcoming the children back to school on Tuesday 5th November.

Thank you to all our families for their support this half term. We wish you all a happy and safe break.

Mrs Strickland



The next half of term involves more themed days (mufti/crazy hair day), in exchange for items (e.g. chocolate/parent presents), as well as other donations. It may feel rather relentless, but these contributions make a HUGE difference to the fundraising success of the Christmas Fair, so we massively appreciate your support in advance.

Enjoy your half term! Marty, Tiff, Lucinda, Holly and the rest of the team.

Bramley Bonfire

Saturday 2nd November, 6pm – 8.30pm. 18:00 Assembly of Guys in Library Car Park - torches are sold from 6pm-ish ready for the procession 18:40 Torchlight procession - Please wait for announcement

19:10 Lighting the Bonfire

19:40 Fireworks



School Lunches

Please remember to order your child's lunches for the next half of term ©

Nursery

We have had a wonderful start to the school year learning about Autumn and making new friends.

Next half term our topic is light and dark. Have a lovely half term break. Children return to school from Tuesday 5^{th} November.

Pre School

We have really enjoyed our Autumn topic this half term. It has been lovely to see all the hibernating hedgehogs go home this week, the children have really enjoyed making them and snuggling them in to their winter bed!

After half term we will be enjoying the story It was a cold dark night by Tim Hopgood. Have a great half term everyone!

Reception

A huge well done to the whole class for reaching the end of their very first (and long) half term. They have settled tremendously well and we all really enjoy learning and exploring together. Do make sure that they have a rest but if you can keep up the reading and sounds work in a fun way that would be fantastic. Next half term many of our activities connect to the idea of Light and Dark so the outside house will become a spaceship with lightboxes in our inside role play area.

Year 1

This week in Year 1 we have enjoyed writing a letter in the role of a character from our story-'Winter Sleep: A Hibernation Story' by Sean Taylor and Alex Morss. After half term we are looking forward to investigating seasonal change further as we move from Autumn into Winter, including a focus on deciduous and evergreen trees. Please can I ask that after half term your child only has one keyring attached to their bookbag- they are proving to be quite a distraction at the moment and are also taking up space on the children's pegs. I hope you have a wonderful week and I look forward to seeing you all after half term.

Year 2

This half term has been a lovely start to the year two. The children have settled in so well and their learning is already coming on leaps and bounds.

We have had such fun together designing and creating castles, carrying out science different experiments, learning new dance moves and improving our reading, writing and maths everyday! They have all worked so hard, I hope they enjoy the well deserved break!

Dates for Diary

Please note that dates in bold may have been added or changed since our last notices.

November

4th INSET DAY

5th Children return to school

6th Prospective parents school tour at 9.30am

11th Anti Bullying Week

14th Individual school photos

15th Children In Need

20th Prospective parents school tour at 9.30am

26th Phylis Tuckwell Reindeer Run

27th Pause morning

December

6th PTFA Christmas Fair

11th Nursery & Pre-School Christmas production at 9.15am in the hall

11th Main school Christmas play at 1.45pm in the hall

12th Main school Christmas play at 9.15am in the hall

18th Christmas jumper day & Class Christmas parties

18th Phyllis Tuckwell reindeer / elf run at 9am

20th Children break up for Christmas holidays

January

6th Inset Day

7th Children return to school

27th Holocaust Memorial Day

30th National Story Telling Week Starts

February

3rd National storytelling week

3rd Children's mental health week

12th Year 1 trip to Spectrum sports event

17th Half term week

24th INSET day

March

5th Year 2 trip to Spectrum sports event

6th World book day – children to come in dressed up

10th British science week

19th – 21st Traveling book fair

21st Red Nose Day for Comic Relief

28th National Skipping Day

4th End of term – children finish at 1.15pm

For a full listing of dates for your diary please refer to the School website calendar: https://www.bramley.surrey.sch.uk/calendar/?calid=1,2,3&pid=11&viewid=26

School Term and Holiday Dates

2024 - 2025

Autumn Term 2024 Spring Term 2025 Summer Term 2025

INSET DAY: 02/09/24, INSET DAY: 06/01/25, 24/02/25 INSET DAY:

03/09/24, 04/11/24

2025 – 2026

Autumn Term 2025 Spring Term 2026 Summer Term 2026

Half term: 27/10/23 – 31/10/23 Half term: 16/02/24 – 20/02/24 Half term: 25/05/24 – 29/05/24

INSET Day: TBC INSET Day: TBC INSET Day: TBC

Local Adverts & Events





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MONDAY 28TH OCTOBER - FRIDAY 1ST NOVEMBER



1500-1530 1530-1600

1600-1630

1630-1700

AT CRANLEIGH GOLF CLUB, BARHATCH LANE, CRANLEIGH, GU6 7NG

SPECIAL OFFER * £100 FOR 5 DAYS GROUP LESSONS £250 FOR 5 DAYS PRIVATE LESSONS







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Snowman LIVE

Film Screening Godalming Band & Godalming Junior School Choir

> Saturday 23rd November 3pm & 5:30pm Wilfrid Noyce Centre Godalming

www.TheSnowmanGodalming.co.uk









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WITCHES & WIZARDS PARTY

Join us for spook-tacular Halloween fun!



Face Painting Crafting Activities Lucky Dip Cauldron Wizard Magic Shows









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Local Adverts & Events



Already thinking ahead to the festive season? Fancy injecting some colour into your living rooms? Feeling cosy and autumnal? The Colour Emporium have you covered! We have a candle to suit every mood and season and we are thrilled to be able to offer you a 25% discount from your order using the code **BRAMLEY**

If you place your order using this code, we will automatically refund the delivery cost and contact you to confirm when your order will be available for collection from school.

This code is for Bramley Infant School parents only. www.thecolouremporium.com



October Half Term G Live, Guildford!



FREE Family Fun Day Sat 26 October 10am - 1pm

HALF TERM WORKSHOPS 10am - 4pm / Ages 7-11





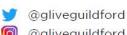


Fake It Till You Bake Mon 28 Oct

Addams Family: Halloween Dance Theatrical Make-up Tue 29 Oct

Workshop Wed 30 Oct





Music at G Live, Guildford!



Oct 2024

Welcome to Families First Guildford's monthly newsletter





Sat 9 November From only £10!



Vivace Chorus - A West End Extravaganza!

Sat 16 November West-End show songs!



Guildford Symphony Orchestra: Romance and Revolution

Sat 23 November FREE FOR UNDER 18s!



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HALF-TERM MUSIC CLASSES

TODDLER / PRESCHOOL & AGES 4-5





ANXIETY TOOLKIT FOR PARENTS AND CARERS WEBINAR

SATURDAY 25TH JANUARY 2025, 10AM- 12 MIDDAY

LEARN PRACTICAL TIPS AND STRATEGIES TO HELP PARENTS AND CARERS SUPPORT

THEIR CHILDREN THROUGH ANXIETY IN THIS ONLINE EVENT!

Are you feeling overwhelmed by your child's anxiety? Join us for this online event where Your Space Therapies will provide you with practical tools and strategies to help you support your child. Emma Connor, Child Psychotherapist will share valuable, easy to implement strategies to navigate through challenging situations and promote your child's well-being. Don't miss out on this opportunity to learn and connect with other parents and carers facing similar experiences. Register now and equip yourself with the **tools** to better understand and manage anxiety in your child.

Price: £27.80

For more information and booking please scan the QR code:





"BG&G £1 not-forprofit swimming lessons October half term as part of a teacher's course to train the next generation of swim teachers.

We are running our £1 not for profit swimming lessons again this half term holidays as part of a teacher's course to train the next generation of swim teachers on not one but 2 courses.

St Catherine school Bramley GU5 0DF

Thursday 31st and Friday 1st November 2.30pm 3pm 3.30pm 4pm and 4.30pm

We are looking for swimmers aged 3 and up non swimmers, beginners and improver swimmers up to and including stage 7

You can do one or both days

To book email me at bgandg.mjdavis@gmail.com with your child's name, age, swim ability and a contact telephone number.