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D i a r y d a t e s

Monday 8th-Friday 12th February

Maths Week at Bramley

Monday 9th February

1.15 pm Gymnastics Competition against Seaton House (Away)

Thursday 11th February

6.00pm Tops and Uppers Parents' Evening

Friday 12 February

9.20am Play to Parents – Little Bramley & Reception

Break up for half-term (normal time)

Monday 22 February

Return to school

Thursday 25th February

6.00pm Middles and Lower Parents' Evening

Friday 5 March

7.00pm FOB Quiz Night

Friday 12 March

6.00pm FOB Y1 to Tops Disco

Friday 26 March

7.00pm FOB Shopping Evening - Postponed

Saturday 8 May

School Ball, Epsom Race Course

G e n e r a l I n f o r m a t i o n

Music

Many parents will have had the pleasure of hearing about Mr Smith and his music lessons. We are delighted to have such an inspirational teacher. It is with regret that Mr Smith has confirmed that he will be leaving us at the end of the summer term. Mr Smith's family circumstances have changed suddenly and he needs to return to Kent. We are, of course, sad to lose Mr Smith after such a short time.

We will be advertising for a replacement Head of Music in the coming weeks.

Dance – Audience with Parents

Tops and Uppers parents are invited to watch their daughters perform their South Asian cultural Dance on the last Friday before half term – FRIDAY 12th FEBRUARY at 3.30pm. Please remind your daughters to have their Indian costumes with them on that day.

Maths Week

Week commencing 8th February is Maths week. Please remember that on Thursday the girls have the chance to come dressed as 'Mathmagicians!' Any ideas welcome as long as appropriate for school. There is no charge but approximately £5 (for KS1) and £10 (for KS2) will be added to the end of term bill to cover the cost of the Shows/workshop on Wednesday.

Sports 4 All – Sponsored Event

The girls have been wonderful with the amount of sponsorship money that they have managed to raise for our Sports4all event that took place on the 22nd January. Please can girls remember to bring in the final amounts of sponsorship money by Monday 8th February at the latest when it will be counted.

Please see the Fantastic two page spread in the Surrey Mirror this week (Buy from today in the shops). – Pages 26 & 27

Netball – Bramley Vs Sutton High

On Wednesday 3rd February the U9 and U8 netball teams played against Sutton High in the drizzle. The U8's had a closely fought match and despite having to shoot in goals which were set too high and they managed to draw 1-1. The U9's had a great match and particularly well played to Georgina Fogarty (who played up a year) in defence, Holly Standish and Ell McSharry for some great shooting. They won 7-1.

Please can parents for these age groups offer to help with lifts where possible for away fixtures as we nearly didn't have enough to get to the match. Many thanks to those who were able to help out.

URGENT: Girls in Yrs 3, 4, 5 and 6 **MUST** return match slips the day before the match at the latest. If there is no slip on the day of the match your daughter will not be able to play. This causes many problems for the PE department having to rush around and phone parents at the last minute. If you know your daughter has an away match – please remind her to show you and then return the slip ASAP. Your understanding will be much appreciated by Mrs Baxter.

Parent Governor Required

The school would like to recruit a Parent Governor to the Board who has an ICT background with a view to helping develop the school's ICT base. This position has become available due to the retirement of Miss Bud McLintock who has served on the Board for 12 years.

Parents who are interested in this and have the relevant skills are asked to register their interest by telephoning the school office. This is an exciting opportunity for a parent to make a valuable contribution to Bramley School's development plans.

Newly-designed flowerbeds

You will have noticed that the flowerbeds are now looking fuller with new plants and shrubs which were planted last term. It is our hope that these beds will grow and flourish. Please, therefore, can you keep your children from walking on the beds, climbing on the railway sleepers and throwing gravel as this is damaging the flowerbeds and newly planted shrubs. In addition, please could they not play around the cars for their own safety.

Parents' Evenings

Parents' evening notices were put in your daughters' bags this week. Please can you make a note of your times which we will adhere to.