



BROOKFIELD JUNIOR SCHOOL

Head Teacher's End of Term Message

Term 2 ~ December 2014



Dear Parents and Carers

We have reached the end of an extremely busy term and we have enjoyed sharing our Christmas events and festivities with you. I thank the PTFA for the decorative tree in our hall and for their organisation of the Christmas Disco, Christmas raffles and Secret Garden; thanks also to our school cooks for their delicious Christmas dinner.

It was lovely to see so many of you at the Parent Consultations, the Yr4 Christmas performances and our special assemblies. The children and the staff always work really hard to produce such creative performances and I thank all my colleagues for encouraging the children's talents in this way. We send a particular thank you to parents and families who generously donated to the retiring collection for the PHAB Kids charity.

Please visit our school website at www.brookfield-jun.kent.sch.uk for a link to the photos that were taken at 'Sulky Santa', plus the username and password.

Sadly we are saying goodbye to Mr Hesse who has been teaching in Year 6 since September. This is an important year for the children in Goldfinch Class and so we have arranged for their previous teacher ~ Miss Palmer, to teach them for the rest of the academic year. This means that we welcome a new member to the Brookfield Team ~ Miss O'Sullivan, who will be teaching the Yr4 Redwing Class, and she has already met with the children this week.

Mr Hesse will in fact be developing a career in the world of ICT and will be working with us next year to improve our Computing Curriculum across the year groups.

Across the curriculum we promote learning skills that will enable our children to develop their potential and make good progress. In Celebration Assemblies this term we have acknowledged the efforts of our Mighty Mathematicians and Super Spellers. We have also congratulated our weekly Learning Heroes who have excelled in their efforts.

We are particularly proud of our 'Super Heroes' who have shown continued effort and enthusiasm ~ always 'going that extra mile' to further their learning experiences. They are:- Faith King and Ronnie Choli in Yr3, Connor Knight and Oliver Bonner in Yr4, Lana Gipson and Zeke Cuff in Yr5 and Destiny Gordon and Liam Burnop in Yr6.

They have all enjoyed a Celebration Tea with Mrs Blewer, bringing an invited guest.

The 228 children who have been well behaved this term will enjoy an extra playtime tomorrow as a reward for keeping to our high standards and expectations.

It now just remains for me to wish you and your families a festive Christmas and a Happy New Year.



We look forward to the children returning to school on Tuesday 6th January ~ Breakfast Club will start on the first day; School Clubs and Crazy Feet start the following week.

Thank you for your continued support

Yours sincerely

M J Blewer
Mrs M Blewer
Head Teacher

