

St Blasius  
Shanklin C of E Primary  
Academy



NEWSLETTER NO. 31 - 16<sup>th</sup> May 2014

Dear Parents

Years 2 and 6 have been doing their national SAT's tests this week. The other year groups have also been doing assessments and the staff will be reviewing every child's progress over the next few weeks. I would like to congratulate the children on their approach and attitude throughout the week well done!

On Wednesday we welcomed Mr Harley who led our collective act of worship. He told the story of Samuel, the children thoroughly enjoyed an interactive story and song.

Best wishes

Mark Stephens  
Principal

### **After School Clubs**

There is a waiting list for many of the after school clubs. If your child no longer wishes to attend please make sure they inform the coach/staff member that runs the club. Should they not attend for 2 consecutive weeks it will be assumed that they no longer wish to attend and their place will be re-allocated.

### **End of Term Service**

At the end of each half term we will be attending a Service of Celebration at St Blasius Church. The service this term will be on Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> at 10am. Everyone is welcome to join us.

### **Junk Modelling**

We need your empty boxes! We would be grateful for any packets, containers or boxes suitable for 'junk modelling'. Thank you

### **Attendance**

Whole School attendance from 1<sup>st</sup> September: 95.7 % =

= : same as last week ↑: higher than last week ↓: lower than last week
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Individual Year Group attendance for the week ending 9<sup>th</sup> May:

**Congratulations to Year 3 for the best attendance with 100%**

**WELL DONE YEAR 3!**

### **School Photographer**

On Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> June Cardwells photographers will be here to take Class photos and a photo of the whole school. So please make sure everyone is extra smart for the photo!

### **Menu - week commencing 19th May**

(Please note all menus are subject to change)

- Monday: Chicken and broccoli Pasta/Quorn pitta pocket (v), sweetcorn, carrots, cucumber and tomato salad, pineapple upside cake with custard
- Tuesday: Cottage pie/Cheese and tomato pizza with Cajun wedges (v), peas and vegetable sticks, mixed salad, ice cream bar or ice cream with fruit
- Wednesday: Roast turkey with crisply roast potatoes and gravy/Cheesy hotpot (v), cabbage and carrots, apple and celery salad, shortbread
- Thursday: Turkey burger in a bun/ Quorn bolognaise with rice (v) with new potatoes (v), coleslaw, roasted vegetables, chewy muesli fruit bar and milk
- Friday: Battered fish with chips/, baked beans and peas, tomato and cucumber salsa, chocolate and apricot brownie.

### **Important Dates for 2014**

- Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> May 2014 - Family Breakfast
- Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> May 2014 - End of Term Service at St Blasius Church, 10am
- Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> May 2014 - Sunday 1st June Spring Half Term
- Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> June 2014 - Whole school photos
- Monday 9<sup>th</sup> to Friday 13<sup>th</sup> June 2014 - Year 6 to Shorefield
- Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> June 2014 - Baylink Games
- Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> June 2014 - Opening evening 6 - 7pm for September 2014 Reception Class parents
- Monday 16<sup>th</sup> June 2014 - Staff development day - school closed to children - CHANGE OF DATE from 27/6
- Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> and Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> June - New Intake parent meetings
- Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> June 2014 - Sports Day
- Friday 27<sup>th</sup> June 2014 - Family Breakfast
- Friday 27<sup>th</sup> June 2014 - Summer Fete
- Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> and Friday 4<sup>th</sup> July 2014 - Induction morning for New Reception Intake
- Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> and Friday 4<sup>th</sup> July 2014 - Year 6 Transition day
- Monday 14<sup>th</sup> July 2014 - Cricket Festival at Shanklin Cricket Ground - details to follow
- Friday 18<sup>th</sup> July 2014 - Family Breakfast
- Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> July 2014 - last day of summer term 2014 (Change of Date)
- Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> July 2014 - Staff development Day - school closed to children