

Dear Parents / Carers, 15<sup>th</sup> November 2019

Wow, another week gone. Thank you for supporting Children in Need by bringing in a Pound for Pudsey, every bit counts! The office are busy counting the donations and we will let you know what we raised next week.

I have been out on training most of the week, but I have been checking in and have heard great reports from the week. Our Remembrance service on Monday was very moving and thought provoking. A big thank you to Major Cox who came in wearing his dress uniform and spoke to the whole school, as well at Rev Kath for her input and being a great member of our team.

Mrs Attwell's class had a brilliant time at Ryde Fire Station on Tuesday, the trip was part of their hook on their Great Fire of London topic. Before the trip, they built 3D houses in their DT lesson which they took with them. At the fire station, they set up their houses just like Pudding Lane and set fire to them! The firemen then talked to the children about fire safety, and set them all homework to check they had smoke alarms in their houses.

Malta class visited Amazon World yesterday. Despite it being an extremely cold day, the children had a great time and learnt lots about the animals found in Brazil. Thank you to all staff and volunteers who supported.

Next week I am starting my 'platinum tickets', where I will be spending time with children from each year group looking at their books and discussing about their leaning and being a member of the team. The children will have two choices; they can either share their piece of work in Sharing Assembly, or they can talk about a hobby and what they would like to do in the future to **REACH FOR THE STARS** and a topic that involves this. I look forward to this starting next week, I will even provide the cake for our time together!

We have now finalised the dates for our Christmas activities, please see the dates on the second page of the newsletter. This year, we are really excited that all children in Early Years, Foundation Stage, Year 1 and Year 2 will be performing 'Everyone Loves a Baby!' on Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> December. As there is a high number of children taking part and space is tight, we will be holding two performances in the school hall, the first at 1:30pm and the second at 5:30pm. We can only allocate 2 tickets per child due to the space restrictions. Tickets will be available in the next few weeks, we will notify you when they go on sale.

Have a lovely weekend and please remember my door is always open.

Mrs Gilbert.

### Attendance - 04/11/19 - 08/11/19

Class	Attendance	Lates
Zig Zag	96.5%	1
Maldives	93.3%	0
New Zealand	100%	2
Malta	95.7%	1
Galapagos	98.5%	0
Iceland	96.8%	0
Rekyjavik	89.1%	1
Hawaii	91.4%	0

Whole school attendance for the week: **96.2%** against our target of 97%.



Flu vaccinations: For those of who have signed YES on your child's flu vaccination form, please be aware you will be required to stay with your child for the duration of the vaccination. Remember the date of this is Thursday 21<sup>st</sup>
November from 3pm onwards.

SCHOOL LUNCH	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<u>MENU</u>	18/11/19	19/11/19	20/11/19	21/11/19	22/11/19
Main	Hot Dogs	Chilli Con Carne	Roast Pork	Chicken Pie	Fish Fingers
Vegetarian	Quorn Hot Dogs	Macaroni Cheese	Mixed Vegetable	Vegetable Pie	Red Pepper and
			Loaf		Cheese Frittata
Served with	Potato Wedges	Rice	Roast Potatoes	Mashed Potato	Chips
	Sweetcorn	Garlic Bread	Cauliflower	Peas	Baked Beans
	Coleslaw	Green Beans	Broccoli	Cauliflower	Peas
		Carrots			
Dessert	Orange Drizzle	Apple Crumble	Oaty Cookie	Yoghurt and Fruit	Carrot and
	Cake	with Custard			Courgette Cake

### **Revised Recycling and Waste Collections**

Due to the sad loss of a long standing and well respected member of our waste & recycling crew, there will be no waste or recycling collections on the 19 November to allow staff to attend the funeral.

Recycling and Waste Collections will be made a day in hand as follows:

Normal Revised
Collection Day
Thurs 21 Nov Fri 22 Nov

Normal collections will resume the following week.

Don't forget to use easyfundraising next time you shop online!

It's a really simple way to raise money for The Friends of Brading School - Sandown through your everyday online shopping with retailers like Amazon, Argos, John Lewis, ASOS, Booking.com, eBay, Boden, and M&S and it's completely free!

Over £27million has already been raised for good causes in the UK by easyfundraising shoppers so please help us get our share!

https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/friendsofbrading/

Year 3 and 4 swimming at Waterside Pool			
Parent sessions Zig Zag – 2:30 – 5:30pm			
After school clubs: Girl Football, Christmas Craft, Lego 3-4pm			
September 2020 starters Open Day – between 9am & 2pm			
Athletics After School Club 3-4pm			
Zig Zag Class trip to Ryde Library			
Flu vaccinations – years R, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6			
Group of year 5 children to TJ's gym			
Mufti day for Christmas Fayre – donation to be confirmed			
Mufti day for Christmas Fayre – Chocolate Tombola			
Mufti day for Christmas Fayre – Cakes			
Christmas Fayre – 2:00 – 3:30pm			
Christmas Dinner			
EYFS & KS1 Perfomance 'Everyone Loves a Baby' – 1:30pm and 5:30pm			
Christmas Activity afternoon for all classes			
Christmas Carol Service at St Mary's church – 1:00pm onwards			
Development day – school closed to pupils			
3 <sup>rd</sup> Christmas Holidays			
February half term			
Easter Holidays			
Bank Holiday			
May half term			
Development day – school closed to pupils			
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**DATES FOR YOUR DIARY** 



## Friday 13th December 2019 2.00pm-3.30pm





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Do Join us at the next



Brading Methodist Church



Chat to Jane on 407201 for more details

Free! - donation if wished

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See the website for details on our Essay-Writing Competition – finalists to be judged by a QC, with £150 going to the winner's school! There was a meeting this week to discuss the future of the Beechgrove GP practices in both Brading and Lake. As there weren't many families in attendance, we have been asked to share the following letter with you all.



Building A The APEX St. Cross Business Park Newport Isle of Wight PO30 5XW

Date:

Name Address

### Dear xxx

As promised, we are writing to you to share the decision made on the future of primary care services for patients registered with Beech Grove Surgery.

Having received notice from the current partners that they no longer wish to carry on, NSH Isle of Wight NHS Clinical Commissioning Group (CCG) explored a range of options to ensure patients continue to get primary care services.

We considered if a new provider could be found – unfortunately that has not been possible and so had to look at other options.

After careful consideration it is felt the best decision will be to coordinate a managed transfer of patients to other practices.

This means from April 1st, 2020, services will no longer be run out of Beech Grove or Lake and you will be allocated to a new practice.

We know some of you will be disappointed with this outcome and had hoped for a solution in which the surgeries remained open.

However as this has not been possible, we need to do all we can to safely transfer your care to another GP practice.

There are six practices in the area that can take patients on. These are:

- Sandown Health Centre
- Shanklin Medical Centre
- Tower House Surgery
- St Helens Medical Centre
- Esplanade Surgery
- Argyll House Surgery

All of these practices have been rated 'good' in the recent Care Quality Commission (CQC) inspection.

The aim is to transfer you to a practice, which is close to your home and we will try to ensure families who live together/households are allocated to the same practice.

Patients will be informed by letter of their new practice details, however if you are not happy with the allocation you are free to choose whichever practice you wish to register with.

We know from engagement with patients via a drop-in session and a survey that people are concerned about travel time to an alternative location – including using public transport and parking.

All the alternative practices are within a 4.5 mile radius of Beech Grove. Two of the three practices seeking to accommodate larger numbers of patients have pharmacies on site and there is a pharmacy 1.8 miles from the third practice main site and 0.2 miles from its branch surgery.

Public transport to Ryde, St Helens, Sandown and Shanklin is available – and run regularly during the day.

There are three patient forums which you are invited – to find out more and ask any questions. The dates, times and venues are:

- Wednesday 13 November, Brading Town Hall, High Street, PO36 0DR, from 12pm to 2pm
- Wednesday 13 November, Brading Town Hall, High Street, PO36 0DR, from 6pm to 8pm
- Friday 15 November, Lions Day and Community Centre, New Road, Lake, PO36 9LA, from 6pm to 8pm.

These closed sessions are for registered patients only.

What should I do as a patient? Nothing. There is no need for you to do anything until you hear from us again.

Beech Grove will be operating its normal service at Brading and Lake until the end of March 2020, by which time you will have been informed about which surgery you have been allocated to.

May we thank all of you for your ongoing interest, particularly those who have responded to surveys, developed and signed petitions and shared your valued views with us.

Yours sincerely

Alison Smith

Managing Director

NHS Isle of Wight Clinical Commissioning Group