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Kitchen update



Your views...Your school

# BRADY bulletin

ALL CHILDREN CAN LEARN MORE THAN THEY THINK THEY CAN

THOUGHT FOR THE YEAR:

*"I don't aspire to be like others, I aspire to be UNIQUE in my own way"*

## FINAL COUNTDOWN

I can hardly believe that we are entering our final half term for this academic year, in the words of Brady Bulletin 2, "Time Flies when you're having fun!"

The past month has been a busy one at Brady with pupils on school trips, formal assessments being taken, and the wider community rolling up their sleeves and taking part in our DIY Saturday.

It has been lovely to see pupils in Year 6 working really hard in their SATS preparation and during the SATS week, they are superstars all of them. The pupils in year 6,1 and Reception have been out on trips over the past month and comments from their teachers further showed how proud Brady is of our behaviours and learning that extends beyond the classroom.

Why not take a look at the school website to see the photos and read the reports of some lovely trips? I would like to make a special mention to the team of volunteers who helped on our DIY Saturday. Jet spraying, painting, sanding, chopping... the list goes on. Thank you to you all for your hard work and help in transforming the outdoor environment.

In this edition of the Brady Bulletin read all about the new Kitchen, launching on the 15th June! Don't forget to start buying your dinner tickets via the Parent Payment Line prior to the 15th. We are celebrating the launch with a Fathers Day breakfast for all dads/granddads on the 19th June at 8am... it should be an exciting week!

Lots of advance notice is given regarding the end of term events, including our Annual Sports Day. Please check the dates and put them in your diary.

Have a fabulous last half term,

Jon Bishop



### ASPIRE:

definition: direct one's hopes or ambitions towards achieving something

synonyms: desire, aim, hope, long, yearn, want, expect, dream, seek, pursue.



### YOUR VIEWS, YOUR SCHOOL

Over the past school year, we have been asking for your views on a wide variety of topics ranging from home-school learning, to afterschool clubs, and music tuition to name a few. Thank you so much for your comments they have helped shaped Brady into a learning community that best represents the needs of the community it serves. As we approach the end of the Summer Term I am putting out a survey for parents, pupils and staff to gauge views on progress made this academic year, and potential improvements/suggestions for 2015/16. Keep an eye on the website and respond to the email when this is created. Thank you.

### NEW SCHOOL KITCHEN



We are launching the new kitchen on 15th June 2015 with the new full menu cycle to be available to all pupils (sent home today with pupils).

Lunch tickets can be purchased via Parent Payment line on 01708 433119, which is open Monday to

## JUNE highlights

*Reflecting on the past, looking towards the future...*  
*Brady continues on its journey to strive for excellence*

Friday from 9.00 am to 5.00 pm. This service accepts DEBIT or CREDIT CARD. Please be aware that credit cards are subject to 1.5% handling charge. No tickets will be given on a daily basis at the school office (as we are running a cashless system). Parents can see if they are eligible for free school meals by contacting 01708 433929 or check the following webpage:

<http://www.havering.gov.uk/Pages/Services/Free-School-Meals.aspx>

PLEASE remember to check (even if in Reception—Year 2 classes), as this will have a significant financial impact for the school (over £1000 per pupil per year). Any further questions or problems please contact the school office before the 15th June. We are aiming to reach the dizzy heights of over 100 pupil meals per day by the end of the Summer Term, increasing to 150 in the Autumn Term.

### SPORTS DAY

Please put the date in your diaries

**9th July 9am - 3pm**

We have booked the Chaffords school playing field for our annual sports day this year, with running, jumping, and throwing competitions which the children will take part in. Come prepared to join in the adult race at the end of the day. Please bring a picnic for the lunch hour which you will be able to share with your child. A letter with full details and arrangements will follow later this month.

### LEAVERS 2015

ADVANCE NOTICE regarding Year 6 leavers events this term (put them in your diary!)

29th—3rd July Isle of Wight trip  
13th (1.30pm) KS2 'Oliver'  
14th (6pm) KS2 'Oliver'  
16th FOB Prom  
22nd (10am) Leavers Assembly  
(1.45pm) Send off

**DATES  
FOR YOUR  
DIARY:**

**JUNE**  
(Please see the website for more information)



**8th June**  
FOB - Photos  
**10th June**  
Stunt Bike Show  
FOB Disco  
**11th June**  
Reception Parents assembly (9.15am)  
**12th June**  
BRICS (mini-beasts)  
**15th June**  
Hot Meals begin at Brady  
**16th June**  
Year 5 parents meeting:  
Secondary Transfers  
(3.30pm)  
**19th June**  
Fathers Day breakfast  
(8am)  
Year 1 Parents assembly  
(10am)  
**29th—3rd July**  
Year 6 Isle of Wight trip



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## FATHERS DAY breakfast

**19th June 2015 8am**

We would like to invite you to our Father's Day celebration, and launch the new kitchen with the wider community. Kick start your morning with a cooked breakfast for both yourself and your child/grandchild. Breakfast will be served from 8am. The cost will be £2 per adult, £2 per child. It is essential that you pre book breakfasts by 10th June.

### **OFFICE COMMUNICATION:**

#### ATTENDANCE POLICY—update

Section 2.1 of our policy has been updated to read as follows:

Authorised absences are mornings or afternoons away from school for a legitimate reason and the school has received notification from a parent. For example, illness, medical/dental appointments (for which an appointment letter or card will need to be produced), religious observance and bereavement. Medical certificates may be requested for absences of 5 days or more, long-term or repeated patterns of non-attendance due to illness.