

Blakedown CE Primary School

Newsletter Summer 8



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Happy Birthday!

Happy Birthday this week 30th June – 4th July 2025 to:

Olivia who is 5;
✦ Ronnie who is 6.



On Wednesday 9th July between 3.30 p.m. and 5.30 p.m. we are holding our Meet the Teacher evening. This is a drop-in event, so no appointment is necessary. This is a time to visit your child's new classroom and teacher to become acquainted before next year.

Additionally, we will be starting with a new school lunch provider in September, who will be attending at the start of this event and will be based in the hall. I strongly recommend coming in to see and taste the food that will be on offer in the new academic year.

Also in the hall, the PTA will be having a pre-loved uniform sale, please see the individual message on this newsletter and also the attached poster.

Lots of reasons to join us on the 9th July - we look forward to seeing you!

Peter's Book Fundraising

If you feel able to help with this please take a look at our fundraising page:

<https://supportyourschool.org.uk/blakedown-ce-primary-school/new-books-for-school-libraries-graphic-novels>

Annual written reports will be handed to you on Friday 4th July. Any not collected at the end of the day will be available from the school office.

Weekly Attendance W.B.: 30.06.25

Reception:
Class 1:
Class 2:
Class 3:
Class 4:
Class 5:
Class 6:



Date Reminders:

July:
08.07.25: Y6 Pyramid Arts Day
09.07.25: Y3/4 Summer Concert @ 2.00
09.07.25: Meet the Teacher 3.30-5.30
10.07.25: Y5/6 Production 7.00 p.m.
11.07.25: Y5/6 Production 9.00 a.m.
11.07.25: Recognition Assembly with Y2 Parents
14.07.25: Y6 Leavers' Service 6.00 p.m.
15.07.25: Transition Day
17.07.25: Y6 Day2Remember
17.07.25: Celebration Assembly with Reception Parents @ 2.45 p.m.
18.07.25: Leavers' Assembly with Y6 Parents @ 9.00 a.m.

Blakedown Vision and Values

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SERVE

ACHIEVE

School Christian Values
Peace Forgiveness Trust Perseverance Respect





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- FREE events
- Stay & Play
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- Outdoor Play
- And more....



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- FREE events
- Outdoor activities
- Arts, Sports & Music
- Teen socials & classes
- And more....



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- FREE events
- Family Fun days
- Family shows
- Family Festivals
- And more...



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 BEST START
WORCESTERSHIRE

The What's on for families has been updated to include loads of activities over the summer in Worcestershire (with lots of free events too!) Family Fun and Support Worcestershire is a large directory of activities, events and sessions for families with children aged 0-16 years as well as support and classes for expectant parents. Please click on the link below to find out more, visit the website and follow the Facebook page.

<https://familyfunandsupport.com/>

<https://www.facebook.com/familyfunandsupportworcestershire>

Preloved uniform

The PTA will be holding a preloved uniform sale alongside the Meet the Teacher event on **Wednesday 9th July, 3.30-5.30pm**, in the school hall. Any remaining items will be available again to buy on **Friday 11th July** after school.

If you have any uniform that you no longer need, please drop it off under the canopy at the front of the school from now until next Wednesday. **Please make sure that items are clean and in good sellable condition.**

All funds raised will go towards buying new iPads for the school.

If anyone has any hanging rails or hangers that the PTA could borrow then please get in touch. And if you're available to help with the event, and/or sorting uniform then please let your class rep know, or drop the PTA an email at blakedownprimarypta@gmail.com.

Thank you.

Lumi Nova

Help your child build confidence over the summer holidays!

The summer holidays are a great opportunity for parents/carers to use Lumi Nova to support their children with common worries during this time.

Whether it's the start of a new school year, transitioning to a new school / class or making new friends, Lumi Nova offers a wide range of goals to support children build confidence.

Lumi Nova can be used over the summer holidays. Please see the attached letter regarding how to access this.

Summer Reading Challenge

THE READING AGENCY Summer Reading Challenge
Delivered in partnership with libraries 2025

Story Garden
Adventures in Nature and the Great Outdoors
Hagley Library

The Summer Reading Challenge starts on Saturday 5th July!

Sign up and take part in a picture hunt around the playing field on:

**Saturday 5th & 12th July.
9.30am - 12 & 2-3.30pm**

**Choose a PRIZE at the end!
For
4-11 years**

summerreadingchallenge.org.uk

THE READING AGENCY
ARTS COUNCIL ENGLAND

Well done!

Well done and thank you to Year 2 who led their class worship this week in front of the school and their families. Their increasing confidence was clear to see to all.

Y7 Uniform

We have been donated several pairs of used, good quality black trousers aged 11-12 that would be suitable for someone moving to a high school that has black trousers as part of their uniform. If anyone would be interested in these or looking at them please come to the school office.

Recognition Awards for week beginning 30th June 2025

Reception	Jacob Austin	For trying hard to recall his phonics sounds and progress with this letter formation during morning work. For setting a fabulous example to everyone with his consistently excellent learning behaviours in the classroom.
Year 1	Aria Lily Ramaiya	For working hard and believing in her herself, especially in her Maths work. For enjoying all our learning, she is always happy when working. For always being polite and kind to others.
Year 2	Eirinn Elissa	For her growing self-confidence. It is so lovely to hear her thoughts and ideas being shared so well. For sharing her ideas for writing in a sensible and mature way which has noticeably supported the learning of not only herself but her peers too.
Year 3	Daya Keeley Aurora	For a creative response to producing botanical drawings. For starting to write at greater length (especially in the time given). For adding more details to describe in her written work.
Year 4	Reuben	For his commitment to his artwork, he has worked incredibly hard when drawing images inspired by the rainforest. He has looked carefully at the details of the images and selected appropriate colours to form a mood board based on his drawings.
Year 5	Lucy	For her enthusiasm and effort when practising the songs for the summer production. She knows the songs so confidently that she is helping to lead us all into singing the right words at the right time.
Year 6	Ava B	For sustained effort across all activities.