



## This week's events...

This week, our netball team played two matches – we won 7:2 and 6:3. Also, this week, being the end of a big term, we have had several assemblies to celebrate the hard work and effort of children. On Monday we started with our usual 'Celebration of Learning Day' where children were awarded special medals for Maths, English, Topic, Science, Arts and Sport. On Thursday, being the last day of term, we awarded special certificates to those children who have consistently shown the 5R's – Respect, Relationships, Resilience, Reflection and Responsibility.

The shop was also opened on the last day of term, so that children could spend their 5R stamps on the special items if they wished. There are now only two more 'shops' left for this academic year – one at the end of Summer Term 1 and one at the end of Summer Term 2. Some children are saving up all their stamps to do lots of spending at the last 'shops'!

With huge thanks to all who bought raffle tickets, we raised a whopping £538.10!! This money will be used to purchase plants and other items for the Environmental Area which we are developing on our ground Force Day on Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> April (10am-2pm). I hope those who won chocolate at the raffle enjoy munching their way through it!

## Diary dates:

- **Start of Summer Term 1 (for children) - Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> April**
- **Ground Force Day** – Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> April. 10am-2pm
- **After School & Lunchtime Clubs start** – w/c 29<sup>th</sup> April (Yr 6 Boosters will take place as per dates given previously to those taking part)
- **Bank Holiday** - Monday 6<sup>th</sup> May
- **Year 6 SATs** – Week commencing 13<sup>th</sup> May
- **Year 6 cycle proficiency** – 20<sup>th</sup> and 21<sup>st</sup> May
- **Year 2's visiting BJA** – Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> May
- **Summer Term 1 ends** – Friday 24<sup>th</sup> May
- **Summer Term 2 starts** – Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> June

*Please do look on our website and scroll down to the 'Forthcoming Dates' section [Diary - BranstonJunior \(branstonjunioracademy.co.uk\)](#) to find dates of all events.*



## Useful information on our website

Please go to our website:

[www.branstonjunioracademy.co.uk](http://www.branstonjunioracademy.co.uk) where you will find lots of useful information.

Under the 'Parents' tab, you will find information about:

- Information and events to support families
- Mobile phones
- Second hand uniform
- Holiday / Medical Appointments
- Useful 'Letters and Forms'
- Your School Lottery

Under the 'Curriculum' tab, you will find lots of useful information about how to help your child with their learning.

This page:

<https://www.branstonjunioracademy.co.uk/local%20events.asp> has information on a whole range of local events.

## Other items to note:

### **New Crossing Patrol – nearly here!**

I am led to believe that a new Crossing Patrol has been found! They are due to start their training after the Easter holidays, so **I will let you know when they will be starting on the road outside of school.**

### **Happy Easter!**

Today is the last day of the Spring term. We start the Summer Term with a staff training day on the Monday, which means **the children will start back at school on Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> April.** I hope you all have a lovely Easter holiday.