



Bromesberrow News

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Dear Parents,

Sheep!

Some of you may have noticed a stray fibreglass sheep in the entrance hall! Our sheep is one of nine travelling around the Diocese of Gloucester at the moment. The Diocese has chosen the sheep as it is the most referenced animal in the Bible and Jesus referred to himself as the Good Shepherd. The whole idea is to share a sense of community, creativity and belonging within the 118 schools that the sheep will be visiting. The children at Bromesberrow have voted to call our sheep Bob and he will be 'joining' the children in activities for the next two weeks before moving on to Redmarley School. We will keep you updated on Bob's time with us on the school website under the 'Enrichment' tab.

Ledbury Poetry Festival

Today we were lucky to have Inua Ellans, a poet visiting us to share poems with the whole school and work with Class 3. We are indebted to Ledbury Poetry Festival for funding this **Ledbury Poetry Festival** which is such a great enrichment opportunity for the children.

John Masefield High School Open Morning

John Masefield High School have an Open Morning for prospective parents on Wednesday. To find out more please go to :

<http://www.jmhs.hereford.sch.uk/alert/open-morning/>

The older children have lots of opportunities to see the High School at work and they would normally come into Primary School on this day.

Mr Wyatt from John Masefield will be visiting Class 3 on Friday afternoon alongside some of our former pupils, so there will be a great opportunity to ask lots of questions.

Afterschool Clubs

Unfortunately we are having to cancel Tinkering and Woodwork Club and Bromesberrow Rocks club next week, (23rd & 24th Jan) due to both members of staff being out at training sessions on these days. We are sorry for any inconvenience this may incur.

BFG

We are aiming to have several activities going on during our fundraising February – Watch this space.

Attendance This Week:

Class 1 – 99 % Class 2 – 91 % Class 3 –88 % Whole School – 92% National Expectation – 96%

Dates for the Diary:

Wednesday 23 rd January	John Masefield High School Open Morning (9am for 9.15am tour)
Wednesday 23 rd January	No Bromesberrow Rocks Club
Thursday 24 th January	No Tinkering & Woodwork Club
Friday 25 th January	Achievement Assembly - 2.40pm
Wednesday 30 th January	BFG Meeting in school – 2.30pm
Tuesday 5 th February	Bags for Schools out (recycling clothes)
Thursday 14 th February	‘Counting Sleep’ Day
Friday 15 th February	Last Day of Term
Monday 25 th February	First Day of Term
Monday 4 th March	Bags for Schools +collected.
Tuesday 26 th March	Last Swimming Lessons for Year 5 & Year 6
Friday 5 th April	Last Day of Term
Tuesday 23 rd April	First Day of Term
Monday 6 th May	May Day – School Closed
Friday 24 th May	Last Day of Term
Monday 3 rd June	First Day of Term
Friday 19 th July	Last Day of Term
Wednesday 4 th September	First Day of Term