

# Brooklands Bulletin

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## Term Dates:

2016/2017

Spring (2) term ends 31st March  
(30th March for Nursery)

Easter break 3rd April—17th April

Summer (1) term begins 18th April

Bank Holiday Monday 1st May

Summer (1) term ends 26th May

Half term break 29th May—2nd Jun

Summer (2) term begins 5th June

Summer (2) term ends 21st July  
(20th July for Nursery)

2017/2018

Autumn (1) term begins 4th Sept

Autumn (1) term ends 20th October

Half Term Break 23rd—27th Oct

Inset Day Monday 30th October

Autumn (2) term begins 31st Oct

Autumn (2) term ends 15th Dec  
(14th Dec for Nursery)

Christmas Break 18th Dec—1st Jan

Inset Day Monday 2nd January

Spring (1) term begins 3rd January

Spring (1) term ends 9th February

Half Term Break 12—16th February

Spring (2) term begins 19th Feb

Spring (2) term ends 23rd March  
( 22nd March for Nursery)

Dear Parents/Carers,

After storm Doris had completely destroyed our football goal posts, one of parents Mr Goddard has come to our rescue and very kindly donated some new ones to us which has made for some very happy children! Therefore, we would like to say a HUGE thank you for his generosity.

Care Club and Nurture would also like to say a BIG thank you to the Palmer family for their very kind donation of a sofa and to the Hall family for helping transport it.

Last week we have raised a fantastic £813.96 from our World Book Day festivities. Well done!

We are just overwhelmed by the generosity of our Brooklands Farm Family! Thank you all very much.

Enjoy your weekend.

To report an absence please phone the school office on  
01908 760081 (option 1) by 9am.  
Alternatively, you may report an absence via the website:  
<http://brooklandsfarm.milton-keynes.sch.uk/reporting-absence/#>

## Latest News

**Please visit our website for Pin Assemblies and Tell Me Tuesday Questions.**

**NetAware:** NetAware is a parent's guide to the social networks children and young people use. Stay up to date and keep your child safe in today's digital world visit [www.net-aware.org.uk/](http://www.net-aware.org.uk/)

**FUZE Coding Workshops:** A coding workshop for 7-14 year olds will be running at the Milton Keynes Village Hall from 9am-3:30pm on the 12th and 13th of April. To book a place phone 01844 239 432 or email [contact@fuze.co.uk](mailto:contact@fuze.co.uk)

**Red Nose Day:** Friday 24th March is Red Nose Day, we would like to invite children to come to school in non-uniform, wearing anything red in exchange for a suggested donation of £1 in aid of Comic Relief. Key Stage 2 will also be hosting a bake sale on the day, this time it will be Years 3, 4, 5 and 6 turn to bake! Please will children in those year groups donate cakes for the bake sale which will take place at the end of the day?

**Red Noses are now available for £1 at the front desk.**

**Year 3 Swimming:** Thank you to those who have already contributed towards the cost of the coach for swimming. If you have not yet done so, the total amount is £42.50 which has been added to ParentPay.

3a and 3d will begin their swimming lessons when we return from Easter break.

**Holiday Club/Activity Clubs/Care Club:** Holiday club bookings for Easter and Activity Club/Care Club bookings for after Easter are now open and ready for anyone who would like to book. Also, February Holiday Club photos are now available to view on our website. Please have a look at what we got up to!

## Dates for Your Diary

**Foundation 2 Visit to Woburn Safari Park:** Tues 14th March—Fen Street, Tues 21st March—Countess Way

**Year 5d Bikeability:** Thursday 16th, Friday 17th and Monday 20th March

**Red Nose Day:** Friday 24th March—Whole school

**National Offer Day:** Tuesday 18th April 2017—Starting school for the first time.

**Silverstone 10k Championship:** The Silverstone 10k Championship for Staff, Parents and Governors will take place on Tuesday 2nd May at 7:30pm Please contact the front office for a race entry form

**Broughton Cycling Group Sportive and Family Fun Day:** Sunday 7th May 2017—Countess Way car park

**Year 6 Memory Book photos:** Monday 22nd May

**Class Photos:** Wednesday 7th June—Fen Street, Thursday 8th June—Countess Way

**Year 6 Residential:** Wednesday 28th June—Friday 30th June

**Year 5 Residential:** Monday 10th July—Wednesday 12th July