

COMING UP AT BROOKLANDS FARM...

Date	What, Who, When, Where	The important bits parents need to know
4th Sept - 15th Jan	Online application open for children starting school for the first time in September 2018	For children born between 1st Sept 2013 and 31st August 2014 you will need to apply for a school place by 15th January 2018. https://emsonline.milton-keynes.gov.uk/CitizenPortal_LIVE/Account/Login?ReturnUrl=%2fCitizenPortal_LIVE%2f (National offer day is 16th April 2018)
13th-17th Nov	Children In Need Week Countess Way and Fen Street	Children will have the opportunity to throw wet sponges at willing staff members, 3 throws for £1 (old pound coins welcome). Please do not send in more than £2/day for this activity.
13th Nov	Children In Need Bake Sale Hometime, Countess Way and Fen Street	We will be hosting a bake sale in aid of Children In Need at both Countess Way and Fen Street. May we ask parents of Early Years and Key Stage 1 children to donate cakes? Don't forget to bring your loose change on the day!
14th Nov	Foundation 2 Parents Evening Fen Street 3.50-6pm Countess Way 4-5pm Lantern Making Workshop for Parents Fen Street 9:00am, 10:30am and 1:30pm	To book your slot please visit https://www.schoolinterviews.co.uk/ and enter event code v437a for Fen Street or event code fedqm for Countess Way. Come along to work alongside your child/children to create a lantern for our Brookmas festivities. To book a workshop please email: office@brooklandsfarm.milton-keynes.sch.uk
16th Nov	Deadline to Return School Photograph Orders	Orders may also be placed online using the Photo ID and Photo Key printed on the back of your child's photograph proof card.
17th Nov	Children In Need Pyjama Day Countess Way and Fen Street	Children are invited to wear their pyjamas to school in exchange for a suggested donation of £1 in aid of Children In Need (old pound coins welcome). Please keep in mind they will need to wear sensible shoes and wrap up warm for outdoor playtime.
21st Nov	Lantern Making Workshop for Parents Countess Way 9:00am, 10:30am and 1:30pm	Come along to work alongside your child/children to create a lantern for our Brookmas festivities. To book a workshop please email: office@brooklandsfarm.milton-keynes.sch.uk

22nd Nov	Birthday Breakfast 8.30 at Countess Way	Those children at Countess Way whose birthday falls in November will have received an invitation to join Miss Low to celebrate along with their parents.
23rd Nov	Birthday Breakfast 8.30 at Fen Street	Those children at Fen Street whose birthday falls in November will have received an invitation to join Miss Low to celebrate along with their parents.
24th Nov	Brookmas! Countess Way and Fen Street 2.30pm-7pm	Please mark your calendars for our Brookmas Christmas Fayre! 2.30pm-5pm - Stalls and games 5pm-7pm - Outdoor fun including lanterns and disco
28th Nov	Foundation 2 Visit to Rushmere Fen Street	<u>Tuesday 28th November 2017</u> F2a (Mrs Roberts) and half of F2b (Miss Thame) Children must be dressed in full school uniform and also have a warm, waterproof coat, sensible footwear, a hat, scarf and gloves as it will be cold.
29th Nov	Cafe Conversation 7-8pm, Fen Street Hall	This is an opportunity for everyone in the local community to come and listen and be heard enabling us to see new ways to make a difference in our lives and work. It is a way of capturing collective knowledge, this meeting will cover current topics to include funding and roads.
30th Nov	Foundation 2 Visit to Rushmere Fen Street School Nurse Appointments Countess Way	<u>Thursday 30th November 2017</u> F2c (Miss Fox) and half of F2b (Miss Thame) Children must be dressed in full school uniform and also have a warm, waterproof coat, sensible footwear, a hat, scarf and gloves as it will be cold. Appointments are available to speak to the school nurse about any concerns you may have regarding your school aged child (Foundation 2 to Year 6). To make an appointment please speak to the front desk.
1st Dec	Foundation 2 Visit to Rushmere Countess Way	Children must be dressed in full school uniform and also have a warm, waterproof coat, sensible footwear, a hat, scarf and gloves as it will be cold.
13th Dec	Chartwells Christmas Lunch Countess Way and Fen Street	Orders must be placed via ParentPay by midnight Thursday 7th December.

15th Dec	Christmas Jumper Day Countess Way and Fen Street	Children may wear their Christmas jumpers (non-uniform) in exchange for a suggested £1 donation in aid of Save the Children.
9th Jan	Foundation 2 Prospective Parents Open Evening 5-6pm Countess Way	An information evening for parents of children starting school for the first time in September 2018.
10th Jan	Foundation 2 Prospective Parents Open Evening 5-6pm Fen Street	An information evening for parents of children starting school for the first time in September 2018.
15th Jan	Deadline for Applications for Children Starting Foundation in September 2018	Online applications for school places for those children starting school for the first time in September 2018 close at midnight 15th January 2018.
6th Feb	Foundation 1 (Nursery) Prospective Parents Open Evening 5-6pm Countess Way	An information evening for parents of children starting Nursery in September 2018.
7th Feb	Foundation 1 (Nursery) Prospective Parents Open Evening 5-6pm	An information evening for parents of children starting Nursery in September 2018.
1st March	Secondary School Place National Offer Day	For children in Year 6 moving up to secondary school in September 2018, Thursday 1st March 2018 is national offer day.
16th April	National offer day for children starting school for the first time in September 2018	For children born between 1st Sept 2013 and 31st August 2014, starting school for the first time in September 2018 - national offer day is Monday 16th April 2018.
23rd June	BrookFest 2018! Countess Way	More details to follow.