Broad Heath Parents Coffee Morning



Tuesday 18th July 2023 @8.45am (Science Pod)

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Items Discussed/Questions asked	<u>Responses/Outcomes</u>
Welcome to the parents and explanation for new parents	Parents were welcomed the coffee morning.
Office by Year 1 Blue: Times 8.25am-9.00am-School uniform and advise.	Office was shown to the new parents that attended. Parents were informed of what is available.
Reading: <u>https://www.broadheath.coventry.sch.uk/7-</u> <u>steps-parents-can-take-to-help-their-children-</u> <u>succeed/</u>	Shared the importance of hearing children read, including talking with children and developing their comprehension skills. Video and link were also shown.
Breakfast Club: https://www.broadheath.coventry.sch.uk/broad- heath-breakfast-club-2022/	RRK shared what is available at breakfast club. A parent shared the benefits of the Breakfast Club and how their child has made friends with other children from different year groups. Hanford gates open from 8:00-8:10. RRK shared Reception children will be able to start attending from Autumn 2.
Accessibility Plan-Please inform school if you are aware of any problems/issues with access to areas of the school	If there are concerns regarding accessibility to the school site, please speak with us. RRK shared parents cannot park on site due to staff using the area but we will support where we can.
Lateness-8.45 start am:	RRK shared the timings of school. When parents bring children in late this has an impact on attendance and learning. BH are happy to help but children should be sitting in class by 8.45. Reminder that main gates open at 8.30am.
Parental support for new resources:	RRK shared about the new course RWI. Parent support is needed. RRK shared resources are still arriving and we would like parents to help. Volunteers signed up to support.
Safe to Talk Coventry Email: <u>referrals@coventryhaven.cjsm.net</u> .	Helpline on 0800 111 4998 The helpline was shared if support is needed over the break.
Broad Heath Variety Performance: <u>https://www.broadheath.coventry.sch.uk/broad</u> <u>-heath-variety-performance/</u>	RRK shared the timings for Friday. Parents reminded about attending to say their goodbyes to Mrs Frankish. Children will be performing. The blog was shown to parents.

AOB:	
Trip moneyPolicies	 RRK shared the date was the 14thJuly. Some parents asked if it was still possible to pay. Parent were shown where to find the policies <u>https://www.broadheath.coventry.sch.uk/key-information/policies/</u>
• Summer Fair	 Parent shared the amount of litter there was from the hampers etc was unfair and staff had to clear up. Parents were reminded to use the bins. Summer Fair timings – Friday or Saturday. Parents prefer Saturday rather than Friday due to Mosque.
Sports Days	 Sports day date shared and for parents to attend to support their children.
• New Head Teacher	 Parents asked about Mr Andrews, RRK shared he is still employed by the other schools. He is aware of the opportunities that BH offers and has shared that this will continue. Parents concerned that things would change and the school ethos, fear of the unknown. RRK reassured the parents that meetings have taken place and Mr Andrews is happy to continue the work with parents and to meet them.
Key Dates:	 End of term: School Closes-Tuesday 25th July 2023 School Commences- Tuesday 5th September 2023 Teacher Days: Friday 1st September 2023 Monday 4th September 2023