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## Newsletter 15



Headteacher  
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23<sup>rd</sup> June 2017

Dear Parents and Carers,

### School Gateway

If you are having problems accessing your app and/or are not receiving emails, please use the following steps to resolve the issue.

Apps: Log out and log back in again. If you have forgotten your pin you can request a new pin using the 'Forgotten your pin?' link.

Emails: EE and Orange users may find they are no longer receiving emails. If this is the case, please advise the school office confirming your email address and we will help you to resolve the issue.

### Open Evening

Our annual Open Evening will take place on Wednesday the 5<sup>th</sup> of July from 5pm until 7pm. This is an opportunity for you to visit your child's new teacher and hopefully have any concerns and queries answered. The children's books will not be out in trays, as this only happens at parents' consultation evenings.

### Sunscreen reminder

With the current hotter weather and in the weeks ahead, you may wish to put some sunscreen on your child before he/she comes to school or you may wish to provide your child with a sun hat. We will always provide shade for the children if the weather is particularly warm, but we are unable to apply creams to children.

### School Dinners and Free School Meals

Please note that from September the price of a school dinner will increase by 5 pence to £2.40. This follows an increase by our catering company Hertfordshire Catering Limited.

For parents and carers of children going in to Year 3, if you feel that your child is still entitled to free school meals from September, please make a new application at [www.hertsdirect.org/freeschoolmeals](http://www.hertsdirect.org/freeschoolmeals).

### Bottle Line for our School Fete, 7<sup>th</sup> July

On the 3<sup>rd</sup> of July we will be having a non-uniform day when we would ask you to bring in a bottle for our bottle line, as opposed to a donation. The bottles will then be sold on the bottle stall at the school fete.



### **Military Parade by the Royal Anglian Regiment – 2<sup>nd</sup> July**

Broxbourne Borough Council granted Honorary Freeman status to the Royal Anglian Regiment. On Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> July, the Regiment will be exercising their new right to march through the Borough with colours flying, bands playing, drums beating and bayonets fixed.

Approximately 100 soldiers, accompanied by a marching band, will march at 10am from The Spotlight, Hoddesdon to Hoddesdon High Street where they will take the salute from the Mayor of Broxbourne and the Regimental Colonel at the Jubilee Shelter. They will then march to the Hoddesdon War Memorial before returning to the Spotlight for a VIP reception. Please see the attached poster.

### **Benefit concert at Cheshunt Country Club – 27<sup>th</sup> July**

There will be a benefit concert, for Christina Thomas, (a four year old girl with a brain tumour and the daughter of 1990s Soul Singer Kenny Thomas), featuring one of our parents, at Cheshunt Country Club on July 27<sup>th</sup>. There will be a host of singers from Kenny Thomas, X Factor's Andy Abraham to TV's Strictly Come Dancing singers and other special guests. Please see the attached flyer for details.

### **School Library – Help us to win £5000 worth of new books**

National Book tokens are giving away the ultimate prize to one lucky school - £5,000 of National Book Tokens. All you need to do is nominate the school via this link:

<https://www.nationalbooktokens.com/schools>

If your nomination is selected, you will receive £100 worth of book tokens to spend on yourself.

### **Broxbourne Food Bank**

We have had an urgent request for food (the usual tins and dried foodstuffs) as stocks are running very low at our local foodbank. This is a vital lifeline for a number of families in severe hardship. If you have any foods that you would be happy to donate, we will be collecting until the 30<sup>th</sup> of June. We will then arrange for your donations to be sent to the foodbank. Please place all food in the box inside our front entrance door. Thank you.

### **Lost Property**

As usual, we have significant amounts of unnamed uniform that will have to be disposed of at the end of term if left unclaimed. Please check our lost property before buying new items.

*Yours sincerely,*

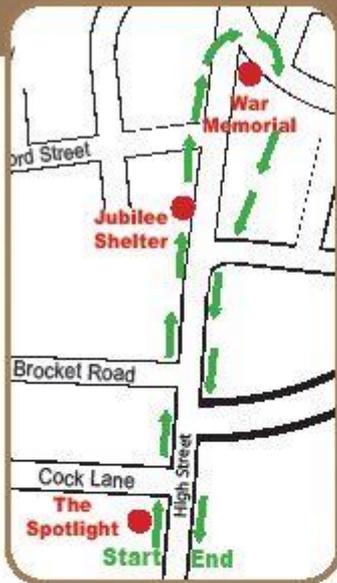
*Mr G. Gaidoni*  
Headteacher



# Freedom of Entry March



by the Royal Anglian Regiment



## Sunday 2 July at 10am Hoddesdon town centre

(Starting at the Spotlight theatre)

Soldiers and a marching band will exercise the Regiment's right as an Honorary Freeman of the Borough to march through the area with colours flying, bands playing, drums beating and bayonets fixed!



*Join us at this special event and wave your union flags in support of our Borough's army unit.*

For full details on the march route and planned road closures visit [www.broxbourne.gov.uk/FreedomofEntry](http://www.broxbourne.gov.uk/FreedomofEntry)  
Printable flags are also available for download.



**BOROUGH OF  
BROXBOURNE**  
2017: Year of the Centennial



# SOUL GROOVES 'LIVE'

This is a LIVE concert night with quality artists raising funds for Christina Thomas  
TOP MUSICIANS WITH GUEST SPOTS FROM:-

**KENNY THOMAS, JUNIOR GISCOMBE, ANDY ABRAHAM,  
TOMMY BLAIZE, MICK WILSON, ANDREA GRANT  
LOUISE WARREN, HANNAH WHITE + GUESTS**

**THURS 27th JULY**

**ALL PERFORMING CLASSIC TRACKS**

**CHESHUNT COUNTRY CLUB**

Lieutenant Ellis Way , Cheshunt, Waltham Cross , Hertfordshire , EN7 5HW

Advance tickets £20 available from 01992 505550  
or online at <http://buytickets.at/soulappreciationsociety/103073>

**7.30pm Start Late Bar Finish 1am**  
**DJ's Mr.Flip, Tony Fernandez**

Admission £25.00 on the door ~ Tickets available online ~ for more info call 07889 156051

