



Bexton Primary School & Nursery Weekly Newsletter

Monday 17th April 2023

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Monday 17th April: Children return to school
Tuesday 18th April: Y5 Bikeability (both classes)
Wednesday 19th April: Y5 Bikeability (both classes)
Wednesday 19th April: Y2 visit to Blue Planet
Thursday 20th April: Year 5 Parents invited in for a talk about Conway 2.45pm (online)
Friday 21st April: Y3 Roman Day
Tuesday 25th April: School Development Plan Live Online Session 6.30pm
Thursday 27th April: Y6 & Buddies photographs
Monday 1st May: School Closed for Bank Holiday
Friday 5th May: Dress down for King's Coronation celebrations
Monday 8th May: School closed for King's Coronation
Friday 19th May: OPAL stay and play (Y2 coordinating refreshments)
Monday 22nd –Wednesday 24th May: Y5 @Conway
Friday 26th May: Break up for half term

Monday 5th June: INSET day- school and nursery closed
Tuesday 6th June: Children return to school
Friday 16th June: Summer Ball (separate committee)
Monday 19th June: Sports Week (details to follow)
Friday 23rd June: Nursery, Reception, KS1 & KS2 Sports' Day (details to follow)
Friday 23rd June: Refreshments at Sports Day (Y4 coordinating)
Thursday 29th June: KS1 Performance 9.30am & 5pm
Thursday 6th July: KS2 Performance (not Y6) 9.30am & 5pm
Friday 7th July: Ice-cream & healthy treats after school (Nursery parents coordinating)
Friday 14th July: Summer discos (Reception coordinating)
Thursday 20th July: Y6 Leavers Concert & Disco (6-9pm)
Friday 21st July: School breaks up for summer

Need to know:

Bexton Bubble: This week the School Council are launching their Bexton Bubble project. They will be presenting in assembly, encouraging children to walk, scoot or cycle to school. For those children who cannot walk the entire way we will be encouraging them to park outside the bubble (see map below) and walk a little bit of the way for the first two weeks of term. At the end of the two weeks we will send a survey home for families to let us know how they travelled to school.

Sickness & Diarrhoea: Please can we remind parents that if your child has sickness or diarrhoea, they must stay off school for 48 hours after the symptoms have ceased. This is to stop bugs spreading amongst other children and staff.

Nurses: This term Year 2 are doing a history project about nurses. If any parents are or have been working as a nurse and would be happy to come in and talk to the children, please get in contact with them via the school office. Many thanks in advance.

School Development Plan Live Online Session: A reminder we're running an update for all parents on Microsoft Teams on Tuesday 25th April at 6.30pm. We hope lots of parents will be able to join us to hear about what has gone well this year and what we're currently working on.

Medium Term Plans –Summer 1

You can find out what your child is learning about this half term by clicking on their class page of the website. Each plan has more detail about the topics below. It's always good for children to extend their knowledge through extra reading.

	Science	History/ Geography
Year 1	Animals & Body Parts	Holidays in the past
Year 2	Living Things & their Life Cycles	Nurses from the past
Year 3	Plants & Animals	Rainforests
Year 4	Electricity	Mountains
Year 5	Properties & Changes of Materials	Investigating Coasts & Colwyn Bay
Year 6	Human digestive system & Skeletons	Knutsford Fieldwork project

Feedback from Parent Survey

Thank you to all the parents who completed the parent survey last term. We are very pleased with the positive feedback and the comments about where the school is doing well.

Where there were comments on what the school could improve with, we will survey parents more widely through the question of the month.

61 responses	Strongly agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Neutral/ Don't know
When I have raised concerns with the school they have been dealt with properly.	47%	27% (95%)	5%	0%	22%
Does your child have special educational needs and/ or disabilities (SEND)?	Yes 13% No 87%				
If yes, how strongly do you agree with this statement: My child has SEND, and the school gives them the support they need to succeed? (10 responses)	50%	10% (90%)	10%	0%	30%
The school has high expectations for my child.	52%	42% (99%)	2%	0%	5%
My child does well at this school.	64%	33% (100%)	0%	0%	3%

Happy Birthday

A very happy birthday to Oskar and Emma who had their birthdays before Easter. Thank you for the lovely birthday book!



Extra Curricular Clubs

This year Mr Evans, has worked hard to increase the number of extra-curricular activities available to all the children. He has worked hard with staff and external providers to organise a good range. We're delighted to say, over five terms, he has managed to organise a total of 83 clubs!

YR	Y1	Y2	Y3	Y4	Y5	Y6
6	8	8	13	15	17	16

If any parents are interested in running an extra curricular activity after school, then please contact the office and they will forward your details to Mr Evans. Please note a DBS check will need to be completed before any club will start.