



Bexton Primary School & Nursery Weekly Newsletter

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Tuesday 27th & Wednesday 28th June: Y6 Enterprise
Friday 30th June: Ice-cream & healthy treats after school (Nursery parents coordinating)
Monday 3rd July: Swimming Pool arrives for KS2 lessons
Monday 3rd July: Y1 trip to Formby Beach
Wednesday 5th July: Y6 trip to Harry Potter World
Thursday 6th July: End of Year Performance (not Y6) 9.30am & 5pm
Friday 7th July: Summer discos (Reception coordinating)
Tuesday 11th July: Cygnets Graduation 9.30am/ Swan's Graduation 2.15pm (change of date)
Wednesday 12th & Thursday 13th July: Knutsford Academy transition days
Friday 14th July: Reports sent home*
Tuesday 18th July: Y3 visit to Chester Zoo
Thursday 20th July: Y6 Leavers Concert & Disco (6-9pm)
Friday 21st July: School breaks up for summer

Key Dates for 2023-2024
4th & 5th September: INSET day (nursery & main school closed for training)
Wednesday 6th September: Children return to school
Friday 20th October: Break up for half term
Monday 30th October: School returns
Wednesday 20th December: Break up for Christmas
Monday 8th January: School returns
Friday 16th February: Break up for half term
Monday 26th February: School returns
Thursday 28th March: Break up for Easter
Monday 15th April: Children return
Friday 24th May: Break up for half term
Monday 3rd June: INSET day (nursery and school closed)
Tuesday 4th June: Children return
Friday 19th July: Break up for summer
Monday 22nd & Tuesday 23rd July: INSET days

Need to know:

Sports Week: We'd like to say a huge thank you to Mr Evans for organising a fantastic sports week last week. The children had a memorable week, enjoying Quidditch, Olympian athletes, a sponsored run-walk and an incredible sports day. A big thank you to all the staff who helped with the events. Please see the photos and videos of all the fabulous activities he has shared on our Facebook, Twitter and new Instagram page (bexton_primary)! We're looking forward to sharing regular updates about the school's future sporting achievements.

Sponsorship Money: Thank you for the generous donations we've already received for the sponsored run-walk. On Friday we raised an amazing £2336.70 through sponsorship donations, the refreshments and the uniform sale. A big thank you to everyone who helped coordinate this. Please send in any remaining money to the office in an envelope by Friday 30th June. Many thanks in advance.

Enterprise: Enterprise activities will take place on Tuesday and Wednesday this week. Please send your child with money on each day. We recommend no more than £5 per day. If you do not want your child to have any face paint, hairspray or nail varnish, please can you inform their class teacher via a note in your child's diary.

PE Kits for September: In September we have decided that the children will wear their PE kits to school on their PE days. We wanted to give parents enough notice before buying new uniform for September. The children will wear PE kits for at least one day and the other days in their normal school uniform. We believe this will have three main advantages: less lost property, more time in their PE lessons and that their normal school uniform will last longer.

Change of infant school times: We wanted to give advance notice that there will be a slight change in the times of the school day as from September. There will be no change to the junior times, but the infant classes (reception, Y1 & Y2) will open their doors at the same time as the juniors. The doors for all classes will open at 8.40am with the register being taken at 8.50am. Any child that arrives after 8.50am will receive a late mark. The school day will end for all main school children at **3.20pm**. Nursery hours remain unchanged. We hope that this will ease traffic around the school and reduce the amount of time parents are waiting for infant doors to open.

Roof Update

You will be pleased to see that the scaffolding has finally been removed from the infant roof!

After much negotiation, the roofing company have completed the roof and we are now confident that the quality of work has been completed to the high standards expected. As a thank you to everyone for their patience with the project over the last 11 months, BBR roofing have kindly donated a defibrillator to the school. This is much appreciated and we are thrilled to have our own defibrillator back in the building! We are also very excited to announce that we have been successful with a further Condition Improvement Fund (CIF) application which will allow us to replace the roof above the junior department. This is brilliant news but... work starts this summer! Apologies in advance for yet more scaffolding and disruption!



Happy Birthday!

A very happy returns to Kiru who celebrated his birthday last week! Thank you for the lovely birthday book! If it's your child's birthday, and they donate a book to the class, we'll share their picture here.



Sports News

We're thrilled to announce that the netball team have won the local league! Congratulations to them all! Well done to the children who played in the rounders tournament last week. A well-deserved victory!

