

Have courage; be kind; shine!



Hello

This is our last newsletter of the year! We have just one (very busy) week left in school to finish our learning journeys and say our goodbyes.

We have been incredibly proud of our Key Stage 2 children who put on a fabulous summer show for us this week (see below!). We also said goodbye to the wonderful Father John.

Next week there will be time for children to celebrate the learning they have achieved this year and the relationships they have made. We will be saying special goodbyes to Mrs Whitren, Miss Hayes and of course to all of our incredible Year 6 children.

Please Bring a Carrier Bag to School!

Teachers would be extremely grateful if each child could bring a named carrier bag to school on Wednesday to take home school work and other belongings.

Thank you!



FOBS Non-Uniform Day next Wednesday

A reminder to please bring a filled jar for the FOBS tombola at our year end get-together. Jars can be filled with anything you like, but FOBS ask that items are in new condition and sweets are sealed, please.

Thank you!

Willow Class visit to St Barbes Museum and Art Gallery



Our youngest children visited our local art gallery/museum the week before last.

The children explored line, colour and texture around the museum and were able to create their own works of art.

Mrs Burt and Mrs Williams were very proud of the children's lovely ideas and of how polite they were.

Isabella – Year R I did printing and drawing and collage. I love art. I had a lovely time.

Benny – Year R I loved it because we got to do drawing and patterns. I liked it in the museum.



INSET days for 23/24

Our INSET days for the next academic year will be on:

Friday 1st September, Friday 20th October, Monday 30th October. Monday 26th February and Monday 3rd June.

As usual, school will be closed to all children on these days, and there will be no breakfast or after school clubs.

Thank You to Families

Thank you for your fantastic support for our school throughout the year. Teachers hugely appreciate the way you communicate with them and the way you support your children with reading and homework. We know our families encourage kindness and good manners and this is reflected in our children's superb

behaviour. We also love the way so many parents come into school to share the children's work with them.

It is always lovely to have so many families at our assemblies and we know we can rely on you to support events such as our recent author visit and art exhibition.

We have been blown away by your support for our fundraising for books. Our final total stands at **£1,730.50!**

Beaulieu Fete – Tomorrow Saturday 15th July from 1.30 pm

A reminder that the Beaulieu Village Fete will be held in the grounds of Palace House tomorrow (we are keeping our fingers crossed about the weather). Please come along to support the community and the school if you can! FOBS will be running a stall and some of our older children will be maypole dancing (1.45 pm).

You may like to come dressed as your favourite Disney character; there are prizes for the best children's fancy dress.

Free car parking on the cricket field!

Thank you to Staff

I would like to take this opportunity, on behalf of our governors, to thank our incredible staff team. The governors and I fully understand how lucky we are to have such a talented and committed staff. I have been teaching for over 30 years and I've worked with many fabulous people, but I've never known a team as strong as this one!

Teaching is a tough job, requiring curriculum knowledge, knowledge of child development, organisational skills, emotional intelligence and huge amounts of patience. Our teaching staff (teachers and teaching assistants) constantly try to improve our school and always put our children first.

Lisa and Susannah are little short of incredible in our busy office, Mrs Thorne keeps us all safe and Mr Burden, our caretaker, keeps our school looking lovely.

Thank you to every member of our team for working so hard and for the wonderful support you give to me and to one another.

Goodbye to Father John

Thank you to the families who attended our special assembly for Father John yesterday. The children shared some special memories, presented Father John with some beautiful cards and gave him a Heart Smart certificate and award.

Father John has been a fantastic supporter of our school and has made our children and staff feel valued and appreciated. He will be greatly missed by us and by the whole village community. We wish him a long and happy retirement!

Goodbye to Mrs Whitren and Miss Hayes

A final thank you to Mrs Whitren who has been such a strong, caring and professional teacher to our Year 4 children on Mondays and Tuesdays this year.

Thank you to the amazing Miss Hayes for inspiring us all and for transforming PE and sport in our school. We will hugely miss Katie's expertise and her fantastic relationships with our children, but we are extremely proud of her success and look forward to seeing her coaching career continue to go from strength to strength.



Summer Show

We are incredibly proud of our fabulous Key Stage 2 children.

In our small school every child has to step up and take on a role in the end of year show, whether they love performing or not! We think this is great for building confidence and a real opportunity to show courage. Some of our children showed they are definitely headed for stardom and every single one of them shone.

Special thanks to our highly enthusiastic audience, to all the staff across the school who supported the children and especially to Mr Toomer, our wonderful director!



We were so disappointed that Poppy very sadly broke her wrist yesterday and was unable to perform the role of Queen Rochelle, which she had been doing so beautifully in rehearsals. We all wish Poppy a good recovery.

Huge thanks to Sophie who bravely took on Poppy's role at the last moment.



Felix – Year 6 I found it a little overwhelming at the start but then it ended up being really fun!

Freddie – Year 6 It was amazing. Everyone tried their best and we all felt supported by each other. All that hard work paid off.

Daisy – Year 6 When I first heard I'd got the role I was really excited. I've been



working really hard on all my lines and I LOVED performing it!

Riley – Year 6 My mum was very proud of me – she cried!

Police Visit

Our children had an exciting visit from three police officers (with police vehicle) the week before last. Huge thanks to PC Wilshere (Alice and Amy's mum) and DS Maidment (Bella's mum)!

Felix – Year 1 I know the police can keep you safe and they sort out problems.

Vincent – Year 1 I might be a policeman when I grow up and I will help people.

Amy – Year 1 I was so proud of my Mum!

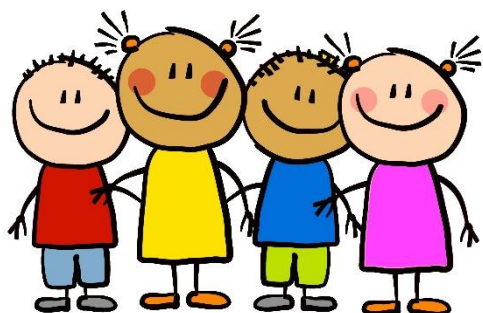
Thank You Year 6!

It is very sad for us to be saying goodbye to this lovely group of children but we know they are ready to move on to secondary school and that they have an exciting future ahead of them.

Year 6, we are so very, very proud of you. You have all shone in your individual ways and you have shown great kindness to each other and leadership to the younger children in our school.

As you move on, please remember how much we value you and how important you have been to our school. You and your families will always be part of our Beaulieu School Community – please keep in touch with us and come back and visit if you can!

It is now a tradition for us to clap our Year 6 children out as they leave school for the last time. If you have younger children but are able to stay behind, **we will be clapping Year 6 through the lytch gate from about 3.30 pm on Friday 21st July** – it would be lovely for as many members of our school community as possible to be there to wish our Year 6 children well.



Headteacher Stickers

Connie – Year R For writing and illustrating her own book at home and reading it to us with such lovely expression

George – Year 3 For outstanding homework, which included writing a beautiful poem and undertaking some expert welding!

Stephanie – Year 3 For designing and making a beautiful wind catcher for her homework challenge

Thomas and Lorne – Year 3 For writing and illustrating the next book in their series about Beaulieu School

Monty – Year 3, Jack and Nathan – Year 4 For fantastic teamwork and creativity in Breakfast Club

Rebecca – Year 4 For creating a fabulous bird box for our school grounds

Seb – Year 4 For wonderful art work and kindness in making a card for F John

Indy – Year 6 For clever mathematical thinking

Riley – Year 6 For thinking scientifically

On behalf of all our staff and governors, I wish you a lovely summer holiday with your family,

Headteacher



Diary Dates

New dates will appear in red

Day/Time	Event	Notes
Monday 17 th July	Lord Montagu's Summer Party in the grounds of Palace House	The children will be back in school by 3.15 pm
Wednesday 19 th July	Non-uniform day	Please donate a jar for the end of year family get-together
	Bring a bag to school	Please send your child in with a named carrier bag to help

	Beaulieu's Got Talent!	<p>them bring home their work – thank you!</p> <p>End of year fun with the whole school together and a chance to celebrate hidden talents...</p>
Thursday 20 th July	<p>Leavers' Assembly (to celebrate and say goodbye to our Year 6 children)</p> <p>5.30 pm FOBS Family Get-together to celebrate the end of the school year</p>	<p>2.30 pm in the Village Hall All welcome</p> <p>All welcome – a chance to relax with other families and for the children to play together on the school field</p> <p>Please feel free to bring blankets and chairs</p> <p>Past pupils welcome!</p>
Friday 21 st July	<p>Break up for the summer holiday</p> <p>3.30 pm Clapping out of Year 6 children</p>	<p>Please stay and help us clap the children out, if you can</p>
Friday 1 st September	INSET Day	School closed for whole staff safeguarding training joint with staff from William Gilpin School
Monday 4 th September	<p>Children in Years 1 – 6 return to school</p> <p>Week of home visits and Stay and Play sessions for our new Year R children</p>	
Friday 20 th October	INSET day	School closed for whole staff reading training led by Mrs Burt
Monday 23 rd October – Friday 27 th October	Autumn half term holiday 2023	
Monday 30 th October	INSET day	School closed for whole staff curriculum training with other New Forest schools at New Milton Junior School
Monday 18 th December – Monday 1 st January	Christmas holiday 2023	
Monday 12 th February – Friday 16 th February	Spring half term 2024	
Monday 26 th February	INSET day	Whole staff curriculum training with Waterside schools
Friday 29 th March – Friday 12 th April	Easter holiday 2024	

Monday 27 th May – Friday 31 st May	Summer half term 2024	
Monday 3 rd June	INSET day	Whole staff curriculum planning
Wednesday 24 th July – Friday 30 th August	Summer holiday 2024	

Recycle your aluminium drinks cans to raise money for FOBS



What you need to do....

- Rinse empty drinks cans
- Post them in the can recycling bin in the school playground

Located in the bin store in the corner of the playground next to the Twinning Garden



These will be collected weekly and stored off site until we have enough to take for recycling



UK Health
Security
Agency

Enjoy the outdoors but 'be tick aware'

Being tick aware by using the following information can help to reduce the chance of tick bites and risk of Lyme disease:

- ticks can transmit microbes that cause infections such as Lyme disease
- you could be exposed to ticks whenever you spend time outdoors, including when in your garden or the local park
- ticks mainly attach to animals, but sometimes they may bite you or your family
- you can reduce the chance of tick bites by walking on clearly defined paths, using insect repellent and performing **regular tick checks**
- some tick bites can result in infection, so it is important to remove ticks safely and as quickly as possible
- the safest way to remove a tick is by using a pair of **fine-tipped** tweezers or a tick removal tool
- if you begin to feel unwell with flu-like symptoms, or develop a spreading circular red rash (which usually appears within 1 to 4 weeks after being bitten), **contact your GP or NHS 111 promptly**. Mention if you were bitten by a tick or have recently spent time outdoors

Tick sizes compared to a one penny coin



Tick in the environment



Tick attached to skin



Lyme disease bullseye rash



Tick found under hair



For more information, search for the phrases 'ticks' and 'Lyme disease' on these websites:

www.nhs.uk www.gov.uk www.nice.org.uk/guidance

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