

Have courage; be kind; shine!



Hello

The end of term is very busy! Lots of our children are working hard to complete journeys to excellence in different subjects before we break up and many of our older children are practising hard for the summer show. The children have all visited their new classes, or welcomed their new classmates, or visited their new schools and our Early Years staff have been busy making pre-school visits and getting to know the new children joining us in September.

With so much going on, time is stretched for everyone! I apologise that there is less information in this newsletter than usual.

FOBS Non-Uniform Day



WEDNESDAY 19TH JULY 2023

In exchange for wearing non-school uniform FOBS invite you to bring a filled jar for the year end-get-together where the jars will be available via the tombola. These jars can be filled with anything you like, but we ask that the items are sealed if sweets and in new condition.

The end-of-year get-together will be on Thursday 20th July on the school field from 17:30, more details to follow.

Thank you for your support. FOBS

Sponsored Walk to Bucklers Hard

We had a very special day walking and picnicking as a whole school the Wednesday before last, and were so lucky with the weather. The teachers especially loved hearing and taking part in the children's conversations as they walked together.





Esme in Year 6 said:

We're all showing our values! We're showing courage by walking all this way, especially people who don't like it, we're showing kindness to each other and helping people who are struggling and we're all shining, doing this lovely thing for our school.

We were so impressed by how resilient the children were (walking isn't every child's favourite activity!), as well as by their lovely manners and fabulous behaviour.

A few families are still raising money for the sponsored walk, but so far we have raised a staggering **£1,652.50!**

FOBS also raised a very impressive **£440** at their recent Curry and Quiz evening at the Jolly Sailor in Ashlett Creek. Huge thanks to everyone involved.

This means that we have **over £2,000** to spend before the end of term on lovely new books. Staff are feeling so supported by our families and Mrs Burt is walking around with an enormous grin on her face!!

THANK YOU!!

Please remember to visit Tesco in Dibden if you can, to put some tokens in for Beaulieu Village Primary School! (Sometimes you have to ask for them!)

Keeping Children Safe from Choking

You may have read recently about a tragic case of a young child choking at school. We have been reminding ourselves of the advice about how to keep children safe and I thought it might be helpful to share some of the key information with you.

Tips on helping a choking child

- If you can see the object, try to remove it. Don't poke blindly or repeatedly with your fingers. You could make things worse by pushing the object further in and making it harder to remove.
- If your child's coughing loudly, encourage them to carry on coughing to bring up what they're choking on and don't leave them.
- If your child's coughing isn't effective (it's silent or they can't breathe in properly), shout for help immediately and decide whether they're still conscious.
- If your child's still conscious, but they're either not coughing or their coughing isn't effective, use back blows.

Back blows for babies under 1 year

- Sit down and lay your baby face down along your thigh or forearm, supporting their back and head with your hand.
- Give up to 5 sharp back blows with the heel of 1 hand in the middle of the back between the shoulder blades.

Back blows for children over 1 year

- Lay a small child face down on your lap as you would a baby.
- If this isn't possible, support your child in a forward-leaning position and give 5 back blows from behind.

If back blows don't relieve the choking and your baby or child is still conscious, give chest thrusts to infants under 1 year or abdominal thrusts to children over 1 year.

This will create an artificial cough, increasing pressure in the chest and helping to dislodge the object.

Chest thrusts for children under 1 year

- Lay your baby face up along the length of your thighs.
- Find the breastbone and place 2 fingers in the middle.
- Give 5 sharp chest thrusts (pushes), compressing the chest by about a third.

Abdominal thrusts for children over 1 year

- Stand or kneel behind your child. Place your arms under the child's arms and around their upper abdomen.
- Clench your fist and place it between the navel and ribs.
- Grasp this hand with your other hand and pull sharply inwards and upwards.
- Repeat up to 5 times.
- Make sure you don't apply pressure to the lower ribcage, as this may cause damage.

Following chest or abdominal thrusts, reassess your child as follows

- If the object still isn't dislodged and your child's still conscious, continue the sequence of back blows and either chest or abdominal thrusts.
- Call out or send for help, if you're still on your own.
- Don't leave the child.

Call 999 if the blockage doesn't come out after trying back blows and either chest or abdominal thrusts. Keep trying this cycle until help arrives.

Even if the object has come out, get medical help. Part of the object might have been left behind, or your child might have been hurt by the procedure.

Unconscious child with choking

- If a choking child is, or becomes, unconscious, put them on a firm, flat surface and shout for help.
- Call 999, putting the phone on speakerphone so your hands are free.
- Don't leave the child at any stage.
- Open the child's mouth. If the object's clearly visible and you can grasp it easily, remove it.
- Start CPR – see [How to resuscitate a child](#).

Sharing of Learning



Our Year 1 and 2 children shared their learning outside on the field and made everyone smile!

Beaulieu Fete - Saturday 15th July from 1.30 pm

The annual Beaulieu Village Fete will be held in the grounds of Palace House a week tomorrow. 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. Money raised by the fete goes to local good causes including an annual donation to our school.

This year's fete is themed on 100 years of Disney and you are invited to come dressed as your favourite character, with prizes for the best children's fancy dress.

Adults - £2, children over 5 - £1, free car parking!

Amazing Miss Bennison

Miss Bennison joined us two years ago as a newly qualified teacher, following an interview in which she blew our socks off. During the past two years Joanna has



been an "Early Career Teacher" (ECT). She has been expertly mentored by Mrs Lawlor and her teaching has been frequently observed by a range of staff.

We were recently visited by a Hampshire inspector to moderate this process and to consider the skills and knowledge that Joanna has acquired. As anyone who knows Joanna would expect, she has passed her ECT period with flying colours, deeply impressing our inspector and even politely reminding him of one or two aspects of the standards which he may have forgotten!!

Our whole team is very, very proud of Joanna's achievements.

Marvellous Mia!

After 'Amazing Alexa' we have 'Marvellous Mia & Generous George'!



Why did you want to cut your hair short and donate it to the Little Princess Trust?

Mia – Year 1: *"Because I wanted to help people who have cancer and have lost their hair. Mummy decided to do it and then I decided to do it with her. It's not very long to brush my hair now."*

Mia has raised £354 so far and her brother George in Year 2 also wants to raise money but doesn't have the same length hair...

So, George has decided to hold a bake sale after school on **Friday 14th July** instead! Please do come along, buy yourselves a treat and support this incredible charity which

gives 'hair & hope' to children who have lost their hair.

Chestnut and Maple Children's Camping Adventure



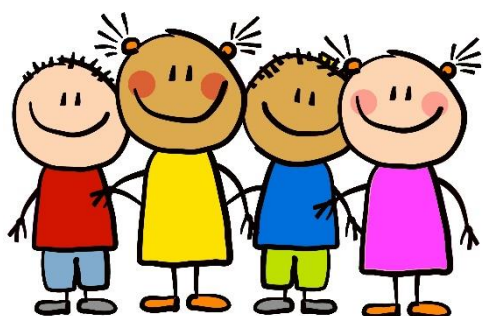


Phoebe – Year 3 We got to go down a giant slide into the pond. I felt really scared because it was so high but I loved it! It proves try something – it could be fine.

Monty – Year 3 I loved the camp fire, the marshmallows, sharing the cake for Barney's birthday and playing Hungry Hippos! It will definitely be a memory for me.

Mollie – Year 4 I pushed Miss Hayes into the water!! In our tent all you could hear was us laughing and screaming!

Molly-May – Year 4 I was nervous at first, but Rebecca supported me and it was really fun.



Headteacher Stickers

Daisy – Year 1 For independence and Heart Smart behaviour

Mason – Year 2 For fabulous progress in phonics

Keira – Year 3 For effort and independence in maths

Lucy – Year 3 For being an author and making a wonderful book about the Year 3 and 4 camping trip to share with everyone at school

Thomas and Phoebe – Year 3 For talking so enthusiastically to a governor about their geography learning

Thomas – (2!) and Lorne – Year 3 For writing and illustrating their own amazing book about a monster eating the school on a sponsored walk!

Harriet, Ruby and Paloma – Year 5 For using high level vocabulary in their writing

Bethany and Maddy – Year 5 For exceptional kindness to another child (nominated by a parent)

Evie – Year 6 For excellent mathematical reasoning and explanation

Felix, Freddie, Quinn, Esme and Evie (2!) For talking beautifully to a governor about their school and showing real depth of thought

Have a lovely weekend,

Headteacher



Diary Dates

New dates will appear in red

Day/Time	Event	Notes
Monday 10 th July	Year 5 visit to Patrick's Patch	
Wednesday 12 th July	Summer Show (starring Key Stage 2 children) – afternoon performance	In the Village Hall Details to follow, tickets will be available nearer the time NB Year 3 (Group 1) Patrick's Patch visit to be rearranged
Thursday 13 th July	2.30 Celebration Assembly Summer Show (starring Key Stage 2 children) –evening performance	Goodbye and thank you to F John In the Village Hall Details to follow, tickets will be available nearer the time
Saturday 15 th July	Beaulieu Village Fete at Palace House	From 1.30 pm Please come and support us if you can Tickets on the gate: £2 for adults, £1 for children over 5 Bring your dog along if you wish to enter the dog show!!
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
Thursday 20 th July	Celebration Assembly 5.30 pm FOBS Family Get-together to celebrate the end of the school year	2.30 pm in the Village Hall All welcome All welcome – a chance to relax with other families and for the children to play together on the school field Please feel free to bring blankets and chairs Past pupils welcome!
Friday 21 st July	Break up for the summer holiday	

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

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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