

Have courage; be kind; shine!



Hello

While most of our children have been enjoying the sunshine and plenty of lovely outside learning, our Year 6 children have been sitting their SATs tests this week.

We have been so proud of the maturity they have shown and of how kind and supportive they have been of each other.

Well done, Year 6!

INSET Days 25/26

Our INSET days for the next academic year have been approved by governors and will be as follows:

Wednesday **3rd September 25**

Monday **3rd November 25**

Monday **23rd February 26**

Friday **27th March 26**

Our 5th INSET day will be confirmed a little nearer the time, to enable Mrs Hale to arrange staff training once she is in post.



Nail Polish

Just a reminder that **children should not wear nail varnish to school**, please. Following this reminder, teachers will speak to any child wearing nail varnish at school to ask them to remove it by the next day.

Thank you for your support.



Piano Concert

Mrs Farmer, our piano teacher, has arranged for her children to play in the school hall for their families at **2.30 pm on Friday the 20th of June.**

Please come along and support the children if you can.



Mrs Stevens

Mrs Stevens will be returning from her maternity leave after half term to work for two days a week across the school. We can't wait to have Amy back with us. However, very understandably, Amy has decided that continuing her teaching role, alongside bringing up two such young children, is not going to be right for her family long term.

Therefore, sadly, Amy will be leaving Beaulieu at the end of the summer term.

Amy is a lovely teacher, and she will be a loss to our school, but we are going to enjoy working with her for her final half term.



Mrs Thorne

After an incredible 25 years at Beaulieu Village Primary School, Mrs Thorne has taken the decision to retire at the end of this summer term.

Kerry joined our school initially as a parent, before becoming a teaching assistant, then a higher-level teaching assistant, and later a Health and Safety Officer and Family Support Officer. She is a former chair of FOBS and a long-standing member of our governing body.

Kerry is a trained counsellor and ELSA (emotional literacy support assistant), as well as a Designated Safeguarding Lead. She is also our Attendance Officer!

Kerry has worked with many, many Beaulieu families over the years. She combines huge skill and experience with outstanding commitment to our school. Children and staff know her as a person who always keeps them safe.

Staff, governors and families trust Kerry – they know she always has your back and will always tell you exactly what she thinks!

Kerry is irreplaceable and will be hugely missed but we are going to make sure we create a few more “unique memories” for her before she goes...

Awesome Athletics



These lovely children took part in the New Forest Junior Athletics club quad kids' athletics competition last week.

Mr T reports: *We had a great time competing against other local schools in long jump, vortex throw, 75m sprint and 600m sprint.*

I loved to see the great team spirit and encouragement with children cheering each other on. Everyone pushed themselves and showed great resilience.

*Special mentions to: **Oscar** for winning his sprint race; **Ewan** for winning the 600m; **Madison** for fantastic jumping (nearly 3 metres!) and **Barney** for his contagious smiles and positivity.*

Thank you to all the parents for supporting. I look forward to next year's event.



Brilliant Behaviour

Several neighbours and visitors have commented recently on how quietly and sensibly our children cross the road for lunch.

The children know voices must be off for safety reasons, but they have such good manners that they find it hard not to say thank you to the adult who is crossing them or to anyone who waits for them. They compromise beautifully by smiling and giving a "thumbs up!"

A Message from our neighbours at the CET...

We are holding a fundraising event at the Countryside Education Trust next week. There will be a live cooking demonstration, and the event is aimed at parents with school aged children to talk about healthy food choices and encourage and inspire healthy, home cooked meals made from scratch.

The aim is to show how eating well can be easy and achievable on a busy schedule, especially a school night!

The event itself is £5 and the ticket includes wine or a soft drink, free gifts and a raffle ticket to win a Thermomix worth £1500.

This kitchen appliance can do everything from weigh out ingredients to chopping, peeling and grating.

*Tickets can be purchased from our website:
[Healthy Cooking with Thermomix Fundraiser](#)*

Please see poster below...



Year 6 SATs

We were incredibly proud of our Year 6 children this week. They took their tests seriously and each tried their best but were also warmly supportive of each other. Here's what some of the children thought during the week...

Chaneya – Year 6 I always feel nervous at the beginning, but once you start to flick through you think "I can probably do this!"

Jayden – Year 6 I quite enjoyed the arithmetic, but that reading paper was sooo long!

Bella – Year 6 It's been better than I thought. The teachers are really encouraging – they keep smiling at you!

James – Year 6 I actually feel very confident... I think it's the Jelly Babies!!

Seb – Year 6 I'm still alive! Overall, I'm finding them OK. The adults are so kind. I'm glad we're getting them over with and then we will have all the fun things to come, which I've been looking forward to.

Huge thanks to our children's families who supported them so well. Thank you to our governors: Sarah, Joy, Serena and Andrea who gave up their time to verify that the tests were correctly administered and thank you to the staff and volunteers, led by Mrs Cunningham and Mrs Lawlor, who made sure SATs Week ran smoothly and the children felt as calm and positive as possible.

Also, a big well done to the children in Years R, 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 who managed to be so extremely quiet in the corridors and toilets during the tests!



A Message from our neighbours at New Forest Activities...

For all Beaulieu Primary pupils and their families, we are offering 20% off our open activities (these can be booked online via www.newforestactivities.co.uk or by popping us a call on 01590 612377).

Just use the code - BEAULIEU20 in the discount code box when booking. Please note this is for bookings of 6 people or less.

For any kids parties (8 children or more), we offer a separate discount - quote BIRTHDAYTREAT25 to get the birthday child free.

Amazing Art

Mrs Buckmaster, our Art lead, has been especially proud of the lovely work produced recently by our Year 1 and 2 children. The children have studied the work of 17th century artist, Maria Merian, and explored pattern, shape, texture and symmetry. Their journey to excellence involved creating their own collages and comparing their art with the work of other artists, including illustrator Eric Carle.



Alba – Year 1 People thought butterflies were evil monsters which came from underground, but Maria Merian hatched them and studied their life cycles. She thought they were fascinating. I had lots of different colours in my design.

Alan – Year 1 I loved learning about this art. Symmetry is when it's the same on both sides. My design has parts that stand out and parts that blend in more.

Max – Year 2 I enjoyed making my design symmetrical. Symmetry is when one side is like looking in the mirror of the other side. My design is unusual and I'm proud about it.



Marvellous Minstead

Our Year 1 and 2 children visited Minstead Study Centre today to support their science learning. Here are some quotes from the children hot off the press. Photos to follow in the next newsletter!

We did lots of learning. **Leah - Year 1**

We did lots of fun activities, like cocktail making (to smell). **Ned - Year 2**

I liked having lots of fun and we made potions. **Brooke - Year 1**

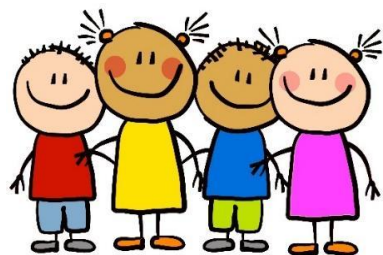
My favourite bit was when we tasted the plants and flowers, like fennel. **Hunter - Year 2**

Everything was my highlight, especially getting to taste plants that I wouldn't normally eat. **Lucas - Year 2**

I liked tasting the peas, they were so sweet. **Henry - Year 1**

I liked mixing up the flowers and herbs to make a potion. **Alan - Year 1**

We made a colour rainbow out of flowers and leaves. **Connie - Year 2**



Headteacher Stickers

Archie, Tabitha, Jack, Leah, Cassie, Niyah and Kai – Year R For taking so much time and care with their observational drawing

Oleta – Year R For superb independent writing

Bodhi – Year R For working incredibly hard in phonics

Kai - Year 1 For confidently doubling numbers above 10

Connie – Year 2 For fantastic halving and doubling

Rory – Year 3 For helping another child in maths who found him “very encouraging”

Alice – Year 3 and Millie – Year 4 For fantastically detailed designing in DT

Brin – Year 4 For writing a breathless account of a chase scene which was exciting to read

Henry – Year 4 For reading mathematical problems carefully and even spotting a mistake Mrs Sabo had made!

Molly-May – Year 6 For superb independent editing

Alice, Oscar, Sadie, Bella, Lily, Nathan, Seb, Molly-May, Tayla, Robbie, Jayden, Mollie, Jack, Chaneya, James and Rebecca – Year 6 For the fantastic attitude, personal courage, and kindness to others they each demonstrated during SATs Week



Diary Dates

New dates will appear in **red**

We do our best to stick to our dates, but inevitably a few will need to be changed. Where this is the case, we will let you know as soon as possible.

Day/Time	Event	Notes
Monday 26 th May – Friday 30 th May	Half Term Holiday	
Monday 2 nd June	INSET Day	
Wednesday 4 th June 6.30 pm	Induction meeting for new Year R parents	Letter to new parents to follow
Thursday 12 th June	Celebration Assembly	2.30 pm Village Hall
Wednesday 18 th June	School Sports Day	Family Picnic on the school field from 12.00, races begin just after 1.00 pm
Thursday 19 th June	Reserve Sports Day	In case of bad weather on the 18th
Friday 20th June 2.30 pm	Piano Performance	In the school hall Children who have been working with Mrs Farmer will perform a short piece they have been practising Families very welcome
Thursday 26 th June	Celebration Assembly	2.30 pm Village Hall
Friday 27 th June	INSET Day	
Thursday 3 rd July	Celebration Assembly	2.30 pm Village Hall (We have assembly 2 weeks in a row due to having an

		event with the old folk on 10.7.25)
Friday 11 th July 1.45 pm and 6.00 pm	Summer Show	Featuring children from Key Stage 2 (Years 3, 4, 5 and 6) Our Summer production takes place in the village hall and is ticketed to avoid over-crowding. There will be an afternoon and an evening performance on this day at 1.45 and 6.00 pm
Monday 14 th July 6.00 pm	Summer Show	Additional evening performance at 6.00 pm
Tuesday 15 th July	Whole school Sponsored Walk to Bucklers Hard	More details to follow
Thursday 17 th July	Final Celebration Assembly	
Friday 18 th July	FOBS' end of year "goodbye"	On the school field All families welcome (past and present!)
Monday 21 st July PM	Leavers' Assembly	On the school field if fine – a chance to celebrate and say goodbye to our lovely Year 6 children All welcome
Tuesday 22 nd July 2025	Break up for Summer	
Wednesday 3rd September 2025	INSET Day	
Thursday 4 th September	Year 1-6 children return to school	
Monday 27 th – Friday 31 st October	Autumn HALF TERM Holiday 2025	
Monday 3rd November 2025	INSET Day	

Monday 22 nd December – Friday 2 nd January	CHRISTMAS Holiday 2025	
Monday 16 th – Friday 20 th February	Spring HALF TERM Holiday 2026	
Monday 23rd February 2026	INSET Day	
Friday 27th March 2026	INSET Day	
Monday 30 th March – Friday 10 th April	EASTER Holiday 2026	
Monday 25 th – Friday 29 th May	Summer HALF TERM Holiday 2026	
Thursday 23 rd July – Monday 31 st August	SUMMER Holiday 2026	

AN EVENING OF LIVE COOKING
WITH ANNA KACZMAREK

Live Cooking Demonstration

plus practical cooking tips, free gifts and Q&A

Wednesday 21st May, 7pm

Countryside Education Trust
Palace Lane, Beaulieu
SO42 7YG

Tickets: £5
www.cet.org.uk/events



Ticket includes wine or a soft drink and a raffle ticket to win a Thermomix

There will be further opportunities to purchase more raffle tickets at the
event




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May Half Term Multisports

Venue:

Gang Warily Recreation Centre SO45 1GA

Date:

Tues 27th - Fri 30th May

Ages:

5 - 11

Time:

8:30am - 5:00pm

BOUNCY CASTLE
on Fri

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on Weds

**Kidz
Super
Sportz**

Early Bird: Early bird ends 26th May!
All Week - £90.00 | Day Price £25.00

Normal Price
All Week - £100.00 | Day Price £27.50

Email: kidzsupersportz@aol.co.uk
www.kidzsupersportz.co.uk

Turn over
for the
sports we
cover!

May Half Term Multisports

SPORTS TO INCLUDE:

Dodgeball | Capture The Flag | Soft Archery
Razer Carts | Athletics | Benchball | Football
Kwik Cricket | Tennis | Basketball | Uni-hoc
Ultimate Frisbee | Nerf Wars | Badminton

Plus Many Other Fun Games!

Payment - Bank transfer, payments made to:
Kidz Supersportz, Lloyds Bank
ACC Num 62467954 SIC 20-88-79 Ref your child

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**Kidz
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Sportz**

Flare Gymnastics Club is a very friendly general gymnastics club based at Blackfield Primary School. We offer classes to all ages and abilities, and we pride ourselves on giving each and every child the opportunity to thrive and to develop as a gymnast.

We use floor, trampette, vault, air track and trampoline to teach a wide range of skills.

We currently have spaces in our beginners Tuesday 5-6pm class, please get in touch if you would like your child to join our club, either email enquiries@flaregymnastics.co.uk or call 07818662799.

