



BEARWOOD NEWS

Friday 21st June 2024

Dear Families

The weather has been absolutely glorious this week. Sunshine makes such a positive difference to everything.

Thank you to all the families who came to support the school at the Winnersh Fete on Saturday. Some of our Year Sixes opened up the fete with the traditional maypole dancing, and they were excellent. Our brilliant PTA ran their usual bottle tombola stall, which was again a resounding success. Thank you very much for all your hard work, Mrs Barker and the rest of the PTA team - you are phenomenal.

Most of our Year Sixes have been on their residential to Osmington Bay this week. They have been having such fun. Photographs can be found on the Bearwood Facebook page and the school website. We look forward to welcoming them back later today.

Yesterday, our KS2 children watched the World Refugee Day live assembly, along with other schools across the country. It was highly informative and thought provoking.

Our KS1 classes have started presenting their class assemblies to their parents. Before half-term, Beaver Class shared a brilliant assembly with their parents. Yesterday, it was Otter Class's turn, and their assembly was brilliant too. Both classes shared what they have been learning. Beaver Class sang 'London's Burning' a song about the Great Fire of London, and Otter Class sang their own version of 'Run Rabbit Run'. Rabbit Class will be sharing their assembly with parents next week.

The beautiful hot weather is forecast for next week too. Please do remember to send your child in with a water bottle and a sun hat. Also, do apply sun cream on the parts of your child's body not covered with clothing. If you do this in the morning, the sun cream should last the day. Please also do make sure your child is

dressed appropriately for the weather. When it is forecast to be 21 degrees celsius or above, they probably do not need to wear their school sweatshirts. The white polo shirts will do. They also have the option of wearing shorts or the blue gingham summer dresses.

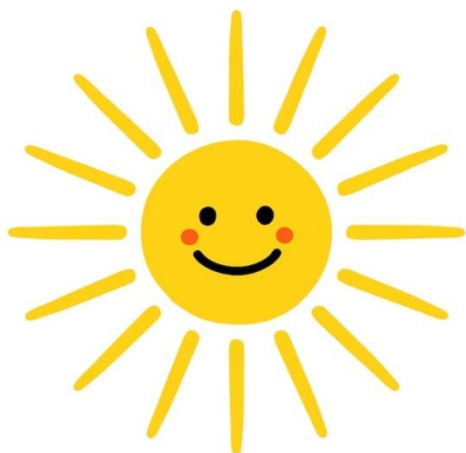
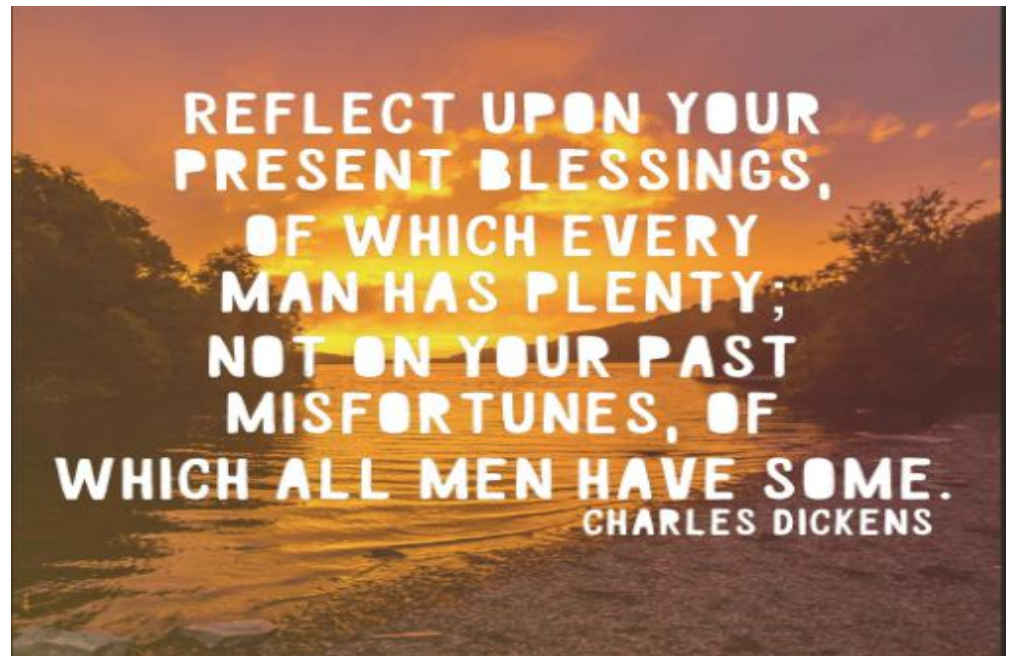
Do have a lovely weekend.

Best wishes

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Value for the term –

Thankfulness



Please send in your child wearing a **hat** and **sunscreen** during the hot weather. Please also ensure they have a **filled water bottle**.

Children are able to wear shorts during the hot weather but please remember cycling shorts are not permitted (unless they are under a blue gingham summer dress).

Thank you

Office Notices

Growth Mindset Awards

Rabbit – Jude F
Otter – Whole Class
Beaver – Karam
Red Kite – Blake
Fox – Savannah
Dormouse - Shajpreet
Red Squirrel – Jasper
Hedgehog – Karl
Pine Marten – Whole Class

Sports Star Awards

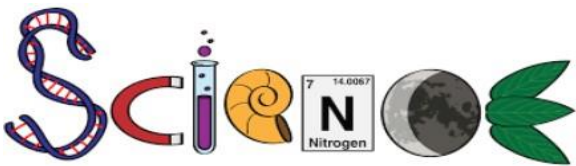
Rabbit – Vienna
Otter – Ghamay
Beaver – Ayansh
Red Kite – Emily
Fox –Olivia
Dormouse – Amber, Ziyannah + Rafael
Red Squirrel – Claire, Riley, Syon
Hedgehog – Jake
Pine Marten – Burak + Armaan



This week's winners of TTRS 'Battle of the Bands'

LKS2 Winners – Dormouse 444 points

UKS2 Winners – Red Squirrel 728 points



Scientist of the week!

KS1 – Siara

LKS2 – Omreyansh

UKS2 – Ellie-Mae



Performer of the week!

This week's performers are Tanishi, Amber and Ziyannah. At first, it was going to be Tanishi performing a solo however, she felt a little nervous (understandably) but her friends came to the rescue and sang with her! They are true 'Swifties' and performed a Taylor Swift song as a confident trio. The girls particularly projected their voices during the chorus. Well done, you smashed it!

Music Day

Friday 21st June is World Music Day. The children had an assembly on Wednesday about this event and why it is celebrated. Over the weekend, spend some time listening to your favourite music and share it with others! The children came up with some fantastic ideas for why listening to music is important - it helps to keep you calm, it allows us to highlight and appreciate our differences, it educates us, it makes us feel happy when we're sad and it brings us together. Look on the school website for the presentation shared with the children.

Bearwood Primary School

Summer Fete

Saturday 6th July
12pm-3pm

**Bearwood Rd, Sindlesham,
Wokingham RG41 5BB**

Splat the Teacher

Adopt a Teddy

Hook a Duck

Bouncy Castle BBQ

**Tombola Plus loads
more!**

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FREE ENTRY



Come along and support our school.

Please note that the event is cash only.

DONATIONS WANTED

- **Teddys & Soft Toys**
- **Childrens Books**
- **Tombola Prizes**
- **Larger Raffle Prizes**
- **School Uniform**



IMPORTANT

dates to remember

- W/C 24th June – Year 6 Secondary Transition Week
- Mon 24th June – 5pm - Reception 2024 Information Evening
- Tues 25th June – Reception 2024 Starters – Individual Meetings
- Tues 25th June – Yr3/4 Hindu Temple Trip
- Thurs 27th June – 9am – Rabbit Class Assembly
- Fri 28th June – 9am – Prospective Parents' Tour
- Wed 3rd July – New Classes
- Thurs 4th July – Bag2School Collection
- Fri 5th July – Sports Day
- Sat 6th July – Bearwood Fete
- Mon 8th July – Reports Home
- Tues 9th July – KS1 Mosque
- Thurs 11th July – 3.30-5pm – Parents' Evening Drop-in
- Fri 12th July – 9am – Prospective Parents' Tour
- Fri 12th July – Music Festival
- Tues 16th July – 2pm – Year 6 Production to Parents
- Wed 17th July – 7pm – Year 6 Production to Parents
- Thurs 18th July – End of Class Parties
- Thurs 18th July – 5pm to 6.30pm – Year 6 BBQ
- Fri 19th July – Attendance Medals Assembly
- Fri 19th July – 1pm – Year 6 Leavers' Assembly
- Fri 19th July – 10-11.30am – Reception 2024 Stay & Play Session
- Fri 19th July – 2pm finish – End of term

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Our next **Bag2School** collection
has been arranged for

Thursday 4th July

at**9**..... am / ~~pm~~

Any questions - please ask your
school collection organiser

.....**Becky Barker**.....

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**“THIS MORNING,
HE HAD A
RUNNY NOSE...
BUT LOOK AT
HIM NOW!”**

**MOMENTS
MATTER,
ATTENDANCE
COUNTS.**



HM Government

Search NHS school illness guidance to find out more.

NHS

Weekly Updates!

For pictures and information on what each class has been doing this week or enrichment activities that have taken place please click on the year group below or visit the school gallery.

EYFS

KS1

LKS2

UKS2

Gallery



School success starts
with attendance

Weekly Attendance

RJ Koda –77%

RM Orsa –88.9%

Rabbit – **100% - Winner!**

Otter –97.1%

Beaver – 93.7%

Red Kite –95.8%

Dormouse –95%

Fox –97.6%

Red Squirrel –90.5%

Hedgehog –96.5%

Pine Marten –95.7%



Please ensure you call or email each day your child is absent.

We spend a lot of time calling parents that have not called in to report an absence. Please ensure you report an absence before 9am.

BOOK NOW



Camp Starts at 9am

Drop Off From 8:30am

5-12 Year Olds to 3pm

£25 Per Day

4 Year Olds to 1pm

£19.50 Per Day

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Free School Meals



Are you entitled?

Free school meals and extra funding for your child's education

Across the UK more than 10 per cent of pupils who are eligible for free school meals do not register to get them.

We want to make sure 100 per cent of our pupils claim when they can in Wokingham Borough.

Importantly, it also means schools can get additional funding to support pupils.

To qualify, your child must be in school and you must be receiving one of the following benefits:

- [Income support](#)
- Income based [Job Seekers Allowance](#)
- Income related [Employment and Support Allowance](#)
- [NASS support](#)
- Guarantee element of [State Pension](#)
- [Child Tax Credit](#), provided you're not also entitled to Working Tax Credit and have an annual gross income of no more than £16,190
- [Working Tax Credit](#) for the four weeks after employment ends
- [Universal Credit](#), provided you have an annual net earned income of no more than £7,400

If this applies to you but your child isn't registered for free school meals, complete a form and return it to your child school.

[Download the form and apply for Free School Meals](#) on Wokingham Borough Council's website.

Wokingham

Bikeathon

Sunday 23rd June 2024

Event Hub: Cantley Park
Twyford Road, Wokingham, RG40 5TU



Refreshments
on route



Family
friendly



Sustainable
medals

Register now!

Adults £20 • Children £5 (ages 12-17)
or FREE with a paying adult!
Under 12s - FREE!



Not-for-profit
event, raising
funds for local
charities



www.wokinghambikeathon.co.uk



MOVING TO SECONDARY SCHOOL

**10 July and 17 July, Wednesdays
7.30pm to 9pm, online via Zoom**

£15 - free to those on jobseeking benefits or low incomes

Building on the information given by the schools it looks at the transition from a practical and emotional standpoint.

Particularly helpful for parents and carers whose child is anxious around the move.

The course looks at how secondary schools work and discusses issues around practical organisation, friendship issues, and managing anxiety.

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UNDERSTANDING ANXIETY IN TEENAGERS

25 June and 2 July, Thursdays, 7:30pm to 9pm,
online via Zoom

£15 - free to those on jobseeking benefits or low incomes

Aimed at parents of secondary school pupils, this course looks at how anxiety presents itself in teenagers, and techniques that can be used to reduce its impact. The course aims to help you develop a selection of coping strategies as well as giving you a better understanding of the causes of teenage anxiety and ways of building resilience.

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Sensory Maths

28 June, Friday

10am until 12pm

Rainbow Children's Centre,
Winnersh



Free

Learn how to support children's
maths learning through fun
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may find maths difficult or those
with SEND

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