

# **Bassingbourn Community Primary School Weekly Newsletter**

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Congratulations to our Year 5 pupils for completing their Bikeability training this week! They have done well and learned valuable life skills about bike and road safety. Thank you to the team for organising this event. We also had our first Rocksteady session in school on Wednesday. Pupils were so excited to be taking part in the lessons and performing together as a band.

It was great to welcome many Year 6 parents last week to the SATs information meeting with the staff team. We hope the session provided you with essential information and enabled you to support your children with their learning and SATs preparation.

This is also a reminder that there will be an informal drop-in session for parents to ask questions as part of the academising consultation next Tuesday  $11^{th}$  February at 3.30pm. It is not going to be a formal presentation, but rather an opportunity for the governing body to answer any questions you may have about the process.

Have a great weekend!

Ms Luu Headteacher

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## **This Week's Celebration Awards**

Charlie, Ralph, Tansy, Curtis, Jack, Nancy, Perri, Keira





Effie, Henry, Grace, Bertie, Charlie, Ben, Kataleya, Lara

## **ATTENDANCE**

Congratulations to the following classes who achieved greater than the 96% target for attendance: Week Commencing  $3^{\rm rd}$  February:

Cassatt 99.59% Whiteread 99.21% Turner 98.02% Hepworth 96.58%

## **Dates For Your Diary**

14<sup>th</sup> Feb – Year 4 West Stow Trip 17<sup>th</sup> Feb – Half Term Week 24<sup>th</sup> Feb – INSET Day 25<sup>th</sup> Feb, 26<sup>th</sup> Feb and 27<sup>th</sup> Feb – Parents Evenings 06<sup>th</sup> Mar – Year 2 Great Fire of London Day



## **REMINDER**

Due to the Parents Evenings being held on the 25<sup>th</sup>, 26<sup>th</sup> and 27<sup>th</sup> of February, after school clubs will be cancelled on those dates.

# **Parent Workshops**

20<sup>th</sup> Mar. 9-10 a.m. – Maths 22<sup>nd</sup> May 2.15-3.15 p.m. – SEND 17<sup>th</sup> Jul. 9-10 a.m. – School Development Update



## PE ROUNDUP

Please keep an eye out for some of our upcoming sports fixtures.

Mr. Mikelson

## **Year 3 News**

It has been an exciting and productive half-term for Year 3, filled with wonderful learning experiences! Our pupils have been hard at work, embracing new challenges and making incredible progress.

In History, we have been learning all about Ancient Egypt, and one topic that has really captured their imaginations is mummification. This learning has been a fantastic starting point for their English lessons, where they've been using what they learned to write their own explanation texts about mummification. It's been exciting to see them apply their historical knowledge to create informative and detailed writing!



Art has also been a highlight this half-term, with Year 3 exploring the works of renowned artists Alice Kettle and Hannah Rae. Both artists inspired the class to experiment with different techniques, particularly in water and landscape painting. After studying their unique styles, the students set to work creating their own canvas paintings, bringing their visions of nature and the environment to life. The results have been beautiful, and we're so impressed with the creativity and effort shown by all the students.





Thank you for your continued support – we look forward to more learning and fun in the weeks to come!

Warm regards, The Year 3 Team
Cassatt and Turner Class.

#### **FOBS Update**



FOBS spends Sept – Dec 2024

- EYFS welcome present £98
- Christmas gifts £307
- Crackers for all children £205
  - Santa Suit £49.99
- School Panto £680
- Tesco Vouchers
  for Food
  Technology
  £210

Cheryl, from Onset generously paid for the Children's Christmas gifts.

Maude & Bliss kindly donated £203.

Plans to support;

Read, Write, inc subscription -£315 & DT Provisions £165

THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING FOBS FUNDRAISING.

We just wanted to highlight with this poster how all our wonderful fundraising monies has been spent so far.

We really appreciate how much you have all been supporting our FOBS team. We are planning away for our Easter hamper raffle, tickets will go on sale from the 18th March and be drawn on the 3rd April.

Please remember, on Friday 14th February, from 2:40pm we will be out selling bags of popcorn for 50p each near the staff carpark (under the tree).

Best Wishes, from all of the FOBS team.

