Bawdsey CEVCP School Newsletter

'We have got God's world in our hands'

If you have any queries or you need to contact us, please use the contact details below...

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Awards of the week

Stars of the week-

Willow class: Lincoln for putting lots of effort into his phonics and making lots of progress.

Chestnut class: Dorothea for her excellent writing on her leaflet. Zara for being the bravest person in the school.

Oak class: Rafe for his growth in confidence in contributing to class discussions.

Hazel class: Joshua for his amazing writing in his persuasive letter.

Good Samaritan of the week: Lily for caring for a friend who fell off their scooter in the playground. Mikey for helping out and being a really kind friend in after-school club.

Sports award winner: Arthur for working very hard during swimming.

Reading awards for reading five times a week:

Chestnut class: Darcie and for two weeks in a row Toby, Finley, Brogan, Teddy and George.

Oak class: Eli, Jack and Sebastian.

Hazel class: Adi, Mariette, Kayden and Lily for two weeks in a row.

'I do believe something very magical can happen when you read a good book.' J.K.Rowling.

If any children have a recent award, belt, medal or certificate given to them outside of school, please let us know so we can celebrate this in school too!

Good news...

We have successfully hired an excellent Senior Teacher for September, after we have completed all of the checks the children will have a chance to meet her again and we will send an introduction from her to you all.

Have a good half term

We hope you all have a great half-term with good weather and lots of fun things to attend. The Bawdsey Village Fete and Fun Dog Show on Bank holiday Monday from 2pm at Bawdsey Recreation Ground seems like a fantastic start! We look forward to welcoming everyone back to school on Monday 3rd of June.

Governor news

Tony Gibson has recently stepped down from the school governing body. Tony served as a governor for several years, including as chair of governors and chair of the Resources committee. I am very grateful to him for all the support he has given us over the years and we wish him all the best for the future.

Our new chair of governors is Judith Mason, who recently joined the governing body and has a background in primary education and school improvement consultancy. Although we have had another Governor recently join us, Teresa Moriarty, who has experience in business and finance. We currently have three other vacancies on our governing body. We would love to hear from you if you would like to know more about being a governor, or if you know someone who might be interested- they do not have to have a link to the school. Please contact the school office if you would like to talk with a governor, Judith or another governor will be very pleased to chat with you.

Multiply Suffolk maths workshop for you and your children

This is the first Monday back after half term on 3rd June from 9-11 a.m. 'Multiply Suffolk' are running a maths workshop for your children and you. Booking is essential please on Parent Pay, without enough people we will not be able to run this workshop. The children will only get the chance to join in if there is a parent or carer attending with them.

Willow class sharing worship and book sharing session

Friday 7th June at 2.30 p.m is Willow class' sharing worship and book sharing session, we hope you can join us to see what they have been learning about during last half term.

Diary dates

New dates added or anything changed will be added in red:

27th May- 2nd June: Half term week.

3rd June 9-11: Multiply Suffolk Parent/ Carer and children math workshop. Booking essential.

 $\mathsf{5}^\mathsf{th}$ June: Suffolk School Swimming gala at Deben pool in Woodbridge for selected pupils.

 $7^{ ext{th}}$ June 2.30 p.m.: Willow class sharing worship and book sharing session.

10th June for a week: Yr 1 phonic screening week.

13th June: Yr 5 Taskmaster event with IP12 schools. This has been postponed by the hosting school until Autumn 2024

14th June: Fathers' day or significant person event.

14th June 2.30 p.m.: Oak class sharing worship and book sharing session.

18th June: WCET festival for Hazel class.

21st June 2.30 p.m.: Chestnut class sharing worship and book sharing session.

2nd July 10-1: Sports day followed by a family picnic on the field.

5th July 10-1: Back up Sports day in case weather prevents it on the 2nd.

8th July 2-3.15: KS2 performance of the Tempest.

9th July: Quadkids: For selected pupils, details TBC.

10th July 5.30-6.45 (children to be back at school for 5): KS2 performance of the Tempest.

15th July 3.15>: Optional parents/ carers evening.

17th July 2.15 p.m>: Year 6 Leavers assembly.

18th July: James Campbell author visit and book sale after school.

19th July: Last day of Summer term.

<u>For all of our term dates for this year and next, please go to our website.</u>