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Boreham Primary School A Friendship School



'Daring to aim high, scale new heights, spread our wings and fly far'









This morning, our children have taken part in their sponsored silence event and it was eerily quiet walking around the school! All money raised will go directly towards further improving the outdoor learning facilities for our children. Please send in all monies raised in a clearly marked envelope with your child's sponsorship form by **Thursday 15**th **July**. The boy and girl who raise the most money will be given the honour of being Head Teacher's for the day. **THANK YOU ALL** for your continued support.

Next Friday we shall be holding the second half of our school Sports Day which unfortunately had to be postponed last Friday. The track races will take place in the morning and all children need to wear their PE kits to school with a coloured T-Shirt to represent their house.

Also, on Friday, we will be sending annual reports home with your child. Included within the envelope will be a slip informing you of your child's new class teacher for next year and an additional letter explaining our reporting and assessment formats for this year.

Our Year 6 class enjoyed their trip to Madison Heights on Wednesday for ten-pin bowling and lunch followed by a stroll along Maldon Promenade and fun on the adventure pirate ship.

Today, one of our parents, Mrs King, who is an airstewardess, kindly gave up her time to come into our Reception class. The room was transformed into the inside of an aeroplane and the children were given their own boarding passes.

If you would be available and willing to help me paint some of our outdoor fences, I will be painting on Monday 19th July. There are a lot of fences and panels that require re-painting so any help would be greatly appreciated! Please contact me directly if you can help.

Finally, I would like to commend our Year 5 class for their brilliant maturity during their Year 5 Sex Education talks yesterday.

Have a great weekend everyone. Mr Bowyer



HEADTEACHER AWARDS

Reception: William
Year 1: Nicolas
Year 2: Julia
Year 3: Bobby & Charlotte
Year 4R: Finley
Year 4BU: Carter
Year 5: Emily & Jamie
Year 6: Temperance





CLASS ATTENDANCE AWARD

The class with the best attendance for week beginning the 21^{st} June 2021 is: **Reception** class with **98.6%**. Well done!



HOUSE POINTS

Ben Nevis: 144 Everest: 139 Kilimanjaro: 192 Olympus: 91

HEALTHY HEROES TIP OF THE WEEK

Mindset Warrior says...

Relax and be happy - make sure you sleep enough, don't get too worried about things and taking time to enjoy healthy hobbies will help your heart.







ONLINE SAFETY TIP OF THE WEEK

Encourage your children to use child friendly search engines such as 'Kiddle' or 'Swiggle' to make it less likely for them to stumble across inappropriate content.



EXTRA-CURRICULAR CLUBS ARRANGEMENTS FOR END OF TERM

Please be advised the last week of booster group sessions will be Monday 5th July.

The clubs will finish on the last week of term (12^{th} July 2021) apart from Basketball (years 3-6) & Rugby Tots (Rec, Year 1 & Year 2) which will finish on the week commencing 5^{th} July.

Pyjama Drama club for our Reception Class will be finishing the week commencing Monday 5th July.

SCHOOL SWIMMING POOL UPDATE

This week, our classes have been talking about what they would like to replace our outdoor swimming pool with. Mr Smith has started the process of clearing the current site and in September we will begin a massive fundraising campaign to raise funds for our replacement project. We will also be applying for any available grants too.

Ms Stephens has been working very hard behind the scenes to secure swimming lessons for our new Years 3-6 pupils at Witham Leisure Centre from September. Our intention is to start with our new Year 5 cohort for 10 sessions during the Autumn term. More details to follow soon.

These are some of the great ideas that our children have suggested as an alternative to the swimming pool.

- Shaded play area
- Reward area
- Outdoor eating area
- Multi-sports games area.
- Basketball court or somewhere for sports clubs
- Rest/relaxation area
- Tennis/Sports area that has fences to stop the ball from rolling away
- A campfire to cook over
- Quiet area with outside water fountain/benches/small garden area
- Outdoor classroom but with fixed tables and chairs, this area could also be used for lunches Outside rather than having to sit on the floor on the field
- Climbing area/ new outdoor equipment like the trim trail
- Pond/ nature reserve
- Sensory garden with water feature
- DIY area for arts and crafts
- Science lab!
- Life size chess board, using people as pieces
- Parkour area!
- Climbing wall
- Statue with all the names of the students and staff
- Trampolines!
- Outdoor art area
- Sand pit area
- Mini golf!
- Athletics area sand for a long jump
- Water fountains

YEAR 6 FLATFORD MILL INFORMATION TALK FOR PARENTS

A reminder to our <u>current</u> Year 5 parents that Mr Bowyer will be leading an information session straight after school on Thursday 8th July. This will take place in the main school hall. Please make every effort to attend this 15 minute meeting with your children as important details will be shared regarding the Year 6 residential in September. This will include pupil kit lists.

VILLAGE 'APPLES' PROJECT

You may remember that earlier this year, Planet Art were commissioned by Bloor Homes to lead on an art and design projection which our school were involved in. Lots of designs were considered and an apple seat was eventually decided upon.

Planet Art have been working hard over the past couple of months to create work for the Bloor homes site. After planning permission was granted, final designs accepted by Bloor homes, we are pleased to announce we are working on the designs chosen unanimously by the residents of Bloor homes, Boreham residents, Boreham Primary school and the Parish council. The Apple seat will be located at the edge of the playground area, looking across the field, and the apple trail of cast plaques will be dotted about the development. It should hopefully be installed by September 2021. Photos show work in progress.



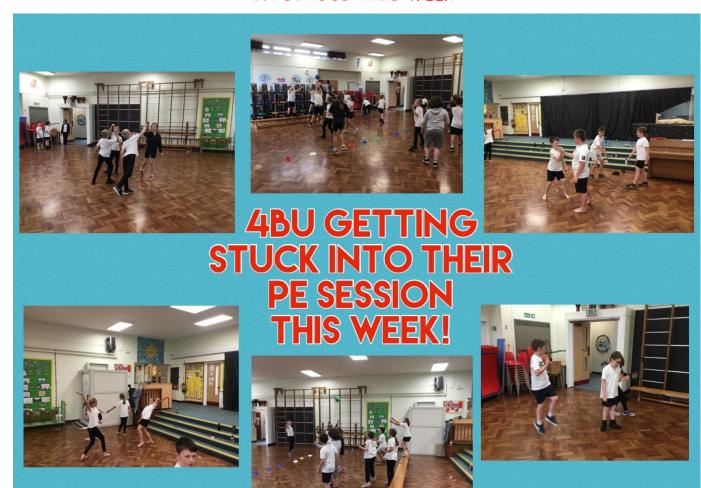


IN SCHOOL THIS WEEK









'WHERE OH WHERE IS BOREHAM BEAR?'

This week, Boreham Bear joined Year 6 at Madison Heights for some ten-pin bowling!





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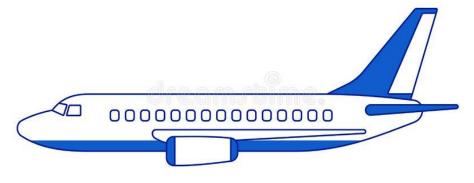








THANK YOU MRS KING FROM ALL OF THE CHILDREN AND STAFF IN RECEPTION CLASS - WE HAD SUCH A GREAT TIME!



SPORTS DAY REMINDERS



SCHOOL SPORTS DAY FRIDAY 9TH July





All children will be required to wear a PE kit to school with trainers. We would ask where possible that your child wears the correct colour T-shirt to represent their house team. All children in Year groups 2-6 have been reminded of their house team by their class teacher. Our children in Reception and Year 1 classes have now been allocated a house to represent and your child's class teacher will confirm what house your child is in via seesaw.

House Team Olympus: Yellow T-Shirt
House Team Everest: Blue T-Shirt
House Team Ben Nevis: Green T-Shirt
House Team Kilimanjaro: Red T-Shirt

Please ensure that your child comes well prepared for the day. This includes; a sunhat or cap, water bottle and sun-cream. Staff are not permitted to apply sun-cream to children so please make sure you apply sun-cream to your child in the morning before they arrive. All children with long hair must ensure that it is tied back and no earrings should be worn.

DIARY DATES

Thursday 8th July 2021

Year 5 Flatford Mill Information Talk 3:15-3:45pm (This is for our current Year 5 class)

Friday 9th July 2021

Whole School Sports Day - Track Races - 9:30-11:45am

Tuesday 13th July 2021

Year 6 Production to parents at 1:45pm

Wednesday 14th July 2021

Children to meet their new class teachers

Year 6 Production to parents at 1:45pm

Year 6 Family Fun / Picnic Night on the school field 6:00-8:00pm

Thursday 15th July 2021

Year 6 Leavers Awards Assembly at 9:30am

Friday 16th July 2021

Last day of term! Break for summer holidays at 1:30pm.

Monday 19th July - Wednesday 21st July are all INSET Days

