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## Bexton Primary School Weekly Newsletter

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### Dates for your diary:

**Monday 24<sup>th</sup> April:** FOBs meeting @7.30pm – all welcome

**Monday 24<sup>th</sup> April:** Mrs Allen's class visit to Lower Moss Wood

**Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> April:** Miss Chadwick's class visit to Lower Moss Wood

**Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> April:** Miss Goddard's class visit to Lower Moss Wood

**Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> April:** Y3 Begin swimming lessons. These continue until 4<sup>th</sup> July. (new date)

**Friday 28<sup>th</sup> April:** Football Tournament in aid of Ethical Enterprise (postponed to Friday 9<sup>th</sup> June)

**Monday 8<sup>th</sup> May:** KS2 SATs Week A free breakfast club will be available to all Year 6 children Monday 8<sup>th</sup> May to Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> May

**Friday 12<sup>th</sup> May:** FOBs Disco £5 per child 3.30-4.15pm Preschool  
4.30-5.30pm KS1  
5.45-6.45pm KS2

**Monday 15<sup>th</sup> May:** FOBs Starlight Clothing collection

**Friday 26<sup>th</sup> May:** Sports Day KS1 10am-11.30am  
KS2: 1.30pm-3.00pm

**Friday 26<sup>th</sup> May:** School closes for half term

### Infant May Day

On Friday 5<sup>th</sup> May we will be hosting our annual Infant May Day procession. Children from Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 can dress up for a procession around the school grounds and watch the 'crowning' of the Bexton May Queens.

The children are also looking forward to dancing around the maypole. Photographs to follow - keep an eye on our Facebook and Twitter page next week!



### Summer Holiday Club

Following the success of the Easter holiday club, we will be running our summer holiday club from 24<sup>th</sup> July to Friday 25<sup>th</sup> August, weekdays only. Wrap around care will be available for all children from Nursery to Y6.

The staff have already planned plenty of fun and exciting activities to keep the children busy throughout the day and Mrs Griffiths will send out application forms in the next few weeks.

Please can we ask you to register your interest as early as possible so we can ensure we are appropriately staffed for the demand?

Many thanks in advance.

### Football Kit Sponsorship

Would your company be interested in sponsoring our KS2 football kit? The team are doing incredibly well against all the other schools in the Knutsford cluster and they are desperate to have their own Bexton football kit to celebrate their success!

If you are able to contribute, we would be more than happy to ensure your company logo is included on the sportswear. Please contact Miss Hossack (PE coordinator) via the office to discuss.

[reception@bexton.cheshire.sch.uk](mailto:reception@bexton.cheshire.sch.uk)

### FOBs Meeting

**A reminder that there will be a FOBs meeting in the staffroom tonight at 7:30pm.**

**We have lots to discuss so if you would like to join us, we'd love to see you!**

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### Dates for your diary:

**Monday 5<sup>th</sup> June:** School opens

**Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> June:** Parent Forum 7pm

**Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> June:** Whole school photo 9.30am

**Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> June:** Year 6 New Intake Evening @Knutsford Academy 7pm

**Friday 9<sup>th</sup> June:** Reserve Sports Day & Football Tournament

**Friday 16<sup>th</sup> June:** Primary Schools Ball

**Monday 19<sup>th</sup> June:** Y5 Numeracy Day @Knutsford Academy 9.15-2.30pm

**Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> June:** Y6 Literacy Day @Knutsford Academy 9.15-2.30pm

**Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> June:** Y5 Parent and Pupil Tours @Knutsford Academy (time to be confirmed)

**Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> July:** End of term reports out

**Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> July:** Y5 PE day @Knutsford Academy

**Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> July:** Summer Fair 2pm (Children must be accompanied by an adult)

**Monday 19<sup>th</sup> July:** Y6 New Intake Day.

**Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> July:** KS2 Concert 1.30pm

**Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> July:** KS2 Concert 6.30pm

**Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> July:** Y6 Leavers Concert

**Friday 21<sup>st</sup> July:** School Closes for summer. Dress down day in aid of Ethical Enterprise. £1 donation.

### Last Chance for After School Clubs

A reminder that today is the last chance to book after school clubs for this term. Bookings can be made via the [website](#) until lunchtime today.

### Bike Safety

It has come to our attention that a number of our children have been seen cycling around the local area *without* helmets.

We will be focusing on road safety in assemblies over the next few weeks and ask you to reinforce with your children the importance of wearing a helmet whilst on a bike.

### Crossing News

Following weeks and weeks of pestering (thank you to all parents who wrote to Knutsford Ward councillors!), the council have agreed to conduct another survey to investigate our crossings concerns. We are also hopeful that due to an increase in pupil numbers when we took on the Pre-School, we may now also qualify for a Lollipop crossing patrol!

### Blondie

Unfortunately we have had to say 'goodbye' to Blondie, one of our much loved chickens. She had been poorly for some time and despite some wonderful TLC from Mrs Snook, she passed away just before the holidays.

### Holiday Requests

We are receiving an increasing number of holiday requests this term. Any absence, even if it is only a few days, means that the children will miss out on key concepts being taught in class. Please remember that we are only able to authorise absences if there are exceptional circumstances.