Bexton Primary School & Nursery Weekly Newsletter



Monday 13th May 2024 www.bexton.cheshire.sch.uk Headteacher: Mrs E Armstrong email:admin@bexton.cheshire.sch.uk

Monday 13th May: Year 6 SATs begin

Friday 17th May: Year 1 Assembly (all Y1 parents invited) Friday 17th May: FOBS BEXFEST –(ALL YEAR GROUPS)

Tuesday 21st May: Year 3 visit to Chester Zoo

Wednesday 22nd May: RMBRH visit to Lower Moss Wood

Thursday 23rd May: RRR visit to Lower Moss Wood

Friday 24th May: Year 6 Assembly 9am (all Y6 parents invited)

Friday 24th May: Whole school photo (afternoon)*

Friday 24th May: Break up for half term

Monday 3rd June: INSET day (nursery and school closed)

Tuesday 4th June: Children return

Friday 14th June: Reception Assembly (All Reception parents

invited)*

Tuesday 18th June: Year 5 Performing Arts @Knutsford Academy Friday 21st June: Sports Day refreshments – Juniors (Y3) / Infants

Thursday 27th June: Reception Forest School (on school grounds)

Friday 5th July: FOBS Summer Disco (Y2 organising)

Monday 15th July: End of term reports out. Friday 19th July: Break up for summer

Monday 22nd & Tuesday 23rd July: INSET days

Bexfest: Tickets for Bexfest are now sold out. We're thrilled with the overwhelming interest in this year's event. However, due to licencing restrictions imposed by Cheshire East, we are sadly unable to increase capacity any further. Wristbands for the festival will be sent home on Wednesday. Each family will receive the appropriate number of wristbands corresponding to the number of individuals in your family, along with any additional single wristbands purchased.

BEXFEST 2024 17th May ~ 5pm-10pm Bring a pi<mark>cnic bl</mark>anket/camping chairs and enjoy the food, Irink, fantastic bands and activities on offer for all the family

You can still purchase a £5 or £10 prepayment card which you can use to pay for food or craft stalls run by Bexton. These are available on Scopay. Please note these cannot be used for the pizza, crepe or ice-cream stalls.

Holiday Club: This is now bookable on your Scopay account.

No KS2 snacks next week: A reminder that there is no snacks until Friday this week due to Year 6 tests in the hall. Assemblies coming up: Please note the dates above for the Year 1 and Year 6 assemblies. All parents are invited and the assemblies begin at 9am and you are able to leave after the children's assembly or join us for star of the week celebrations. Whole School Photo: Please note that we're having a whole school photo taken on Friday 24th May in the afternoon. Please ensure your child is dressed in their full school uniform (including Year 6 & Year 1) and if your child is in pre-school but doesn't attend that day, you can bring them in for 1.30pm if you wish them to join in.

Mental Health Awareness Week

This week we are marking Mental Health Awareness week by learning about the work of a charity, Boys in Mind (BiM). Boys in Mind are a charity whose mission is to empower children and young people, particularly boys and young men to talk about their emotions and express their vulnerability in a safe and healthy manner; helping to create a society where everyone is accepted, regardless of their identity.

BiM strongly believe that no one should feel ashamed of talking about their feelings, asking for help when they're feeling down or struggling and being themselves. You can watch the video that we are sharing in assembly today and the children will also be talking about this in their Jigsaw lessons this week. During the assembly we will be talking about how important a good night's sleep is to your mental health. This website has some excellent support and guidance for parents. There is also some excellent advice if your child has additional needs which contribute to making bedtimes tricky.

New Deputy Head Appointment

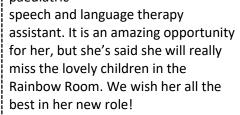
The last few weeks have been filled with shortlisting, visiting and interviewing potential candidates for the Deputy Head role at Bexton. We are pleased



to announce that we have appointed Mr. Tristram Marchington who will be taking up the post in September. He is thrilled to be joining the team and comes with a wealth of experience to continue to support Bexton's further development. We look forward to introducing him to you soon.

Mrs Giller- new <u>role</u>

At the end of this half term, sadly Mrs Giller will be leaving us for a new role as a paediatric



Happy Birthday!

A very happy birthday to Bertie and Alice! Thank you for the birthday books for your classes!





