



# BLETCHINGDON PAROCHIAL CE PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

8<sup>th</sup> June 2018

Dear Families

## Quad Athletics

Alice (a member of our Sport Council) interviewed three of our Under 9s squad:

"We had a lovely time at the event. There were lots of different and exciting sports and activities. It was a good chance to be healthy and active." (Lola)

"The sports included throwing, long jump and distance running. The Y5/6 teams ran 600m. Our team ran 400m. We were tired at the end." (Martha)

"We were exhausted after the race as it was so long – the track was much bigger than our field." (Sam J)

"The children were remarkable – they were supportive, determined and willing to try everything. A teacher from another school commented on the sportsmanship shown by all at Bletch. Mrs Walker and I were so very proud" (Miss Follen)

## PTA update

Thank you to everyone who helped organise a fabulous May Day Spring Fayre, including Jane Mullane, Kate Ransome, Sue, Owain & Carl Davies; Grace Williams & Barney; Fiona & Adam Mason; Vikki and Dan Robins; Rebecca and Jamie McNaught; Julie Fenn; Julie Benton; Vix Walton; Sinead Bushnell; Kelly Whitehead; Monica Franke; Vanessa Hughes; Mark Wyatt; Sarah Batkin; Donna Horwood; The Bickley family; Jane Radley; Natalie Roberts; Alice Burley; Louise Cheriton; Donna & Daniel Tweddle; Vinnie Barrett; Dance 10; Bletchingdon Silver Band; Caron of Cakes; David Plested; Utterley Scrumptious ice creams; House to Home; and all the lovely bakers who donated cakes.

All feedback about the day would be gratefully received to [rachel\\_pirie@hotmail.com](mailto:rachel_pirie@hotmail.com) to help us make next year's event bigger and better!

## School Uniform and PE Kit

Please can you ensure your children are wearing the correct school uniform (including footwear) and that they have their PE kit in school EVERY day.

## Key Dates for your Diaries

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|----------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Thursday 14 <sup>th</sup> June         | KS2 trip to Christ Church Cathedral                                        |
| Wednesday 20 <sup>th</sup> June        | Nursery Parents 'Stay and Play'                                            |
| Monday 25 <sup>th</sup> June           | School nurse with Y5/6                                                     |
| 2 <sup>nd</sup> – 6 <sup>th</sup> July | Keeping Healthy Week                                                       |
| Thursday 5 <sup>th</sup> July          | Years 1 – 6 to Hill End                                                    |
| Friday 6 <sup>th</sup> July            | Sports Day<br>11am – Robins<br>Midday - family picnic<br>1pm – Years 1 - 6 |
| Tuesday 10 <sup>th</sup> July          | Whole school 'Move Up' day                                                 |
| Wednesday 11 <sup>th</sup> July        | Kingfisher trip to Chedworth Villa                                         |
| Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> July           | Whole School End of Year Performance @ 6pm                                 |
| Monday 23 <sup>rd</sup> July           | Year 6 Leavers' Service in church                                          |
| Tuesday 24 <sup>th</sup> July          | Leavers' Assembly in school                                                |

## Kingfisher and Owl Trip to Christ Church Cathedral

Our children in Years 3, 4, 5 and 6 will be visiting Christ Church Cathedral in Oxford next Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> June. Jackie will be sending out a letter via Parent Mail asking for your consent. Thank you

## Kingfisher Trip to Chedworth Villa

I hope you have all seen the letter concerning the Y3/4 trip to Chedworth Villa on 11<sup>th</sup> July. Payment of £13.50 should be paid via +pay. Thank you.

## Health Week

During the week beginning 2<sup>nd</sup> July, we will be holding a 'Health Week' in school. We would love to hear from any of you who feel that you could spend an hour or two with our children, perhaps sharing what you do as a profession to promote health and well-being. Maybe you work within the social care industry, are a well-being practitioner, a fitness instructor, a nutritionist, sport player, doctor or nurse?

If you feel you have skills and/or knowledge you would be happy to share with us to help promote the importance of health and well-being, please do come and see me or Miss Follen. Many thanks.

## \*\*\*\*Cafe update for June and July.\*\*\*\*

The Wednesday cafe is proving very popular and will continue to run 9.30-12.30 each week until the end of term. Sadly the Monday cafe has had to stop owing to not enough interest.

Please do come along on a Wednesday for homemade cakes, bacon rolls, Costa coffee, hot and cold drinks, magazines, toys for the kids and great company

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