Bawdsey CEVCP School Newsletter

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

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Awards of the week

Stars of the week:

Willow class: Lyla for her curiosity and consideration at the beach. Chestnut class: Lincoln for his perseverance with his handwriting.

Oak class: Eli for his kind and helpful behaviour.

Hazel class: Kayden for his maturity with all aspects of school life.

Sports people of the week: Ellie-Mai for her enthusiasm in Sports day practice.

Good Samaritan of the week: Teddy for helping set up the Sports day practice equipment without being asked to.

Other Sporting achievements: Great work by Kayden, Rupert, Noah, Ed, Barnaby and Eli for their tennis skills which secured Bawdsey School a Silver overall at the county competition.

Readers of the week: Olivia, Jack H, Isabella R, Nikolaj, Atreus, Leo, Lincoln, Toby, Marta, Brogan, Bella B, Patti, Finley, Levi, Dorothea, Ed, Sophie, Aurelia, Noah, Eli, Zak, Bella L-M, Lily, Rupert, Kayden, Rares and Mariette. Well done to Mia A for receiving her Bronze Bawdsey Bookworm award, India for achieving her Gold award and Sebastian for being the first to succeed in getting his Diamond Bawdsey Bookworm Award.

Hazel class achievements: Hazel class, yr 5 and 6 received a certificate for their participation in the WCET-music festival. They all also received a certificate for their achievements at their residential stay at PGL. There were awards given to Rares, Hector, Kayden and George for their teamwork while they were there. The children received points for all they did while they were there and Lily came 3rd, Zak came 2nd and Jack came first. Rupert received a special award for his perseverance, Kayden for his helpfulness and Sebastian for his overall enthusiasm while they were away. Very impressive Hazel class.

Parent and Carer Survey

Dear all Parents and Carers, please could you fill in this short survey about us. We have our fingers crossed lots of people will appreciate all we are trying to do for your children. This can be anonymous if you do not fill in the start, if you do though we can contact you with any answers to queries you may have. This is collated by Tilian for us. We have tested that it works on mobile devices too. Thank you in advance for your support of us. Mrs Butler and the Bawdsey School team.

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Willow Class Beach Visits

Please send Willow class in with the things they need for their beach visits every Tuesday until the end of term, thank you.

Transition day next Monday

On Monday 30th June- next week- we are having our transition morning. **Year 6 will be going to Farlingaye for the day leaving school at 8.25am** returning to Bawdsey for the end of the school day. Please make sure they are in full school uniform, they have a packed lunch, some snacks and a water bottle for the day. All other children (Nurs- yr5) will come into school and go into their present classes as normal and then go up to their new class with their new teacher for September. In the morning they will have fun

activities in the class to get to know each other. The teachers will be in the same classes and with the same year groups as they have been this year. Mrs Williams with Nursery and Reception, Mrs Stone with Years 1 and 2, Mrs Briggs with Years 3 and 4 and Mrs Moffatt with Years 5 and 6.

Sports day and Strawberry fair

Next Friday 4th July at 1.30 we are having the racing part of sports day, Parents, Carers and Friends are invited to join us for this. **We would love the children to be wearing a t-shirt in the colour of their team** as it makes it much easier to score for the colour team totals, In previous years we have had some children coming in white t-shirts that have been coloured in with their colour, wearing a colour ribbon, or hair band in that colour too, when they did not have a t-shirt of the correct colour. We are pleased to announce that straight after the races, the BSA will be running our Strawberry Summer Fair. If you can donate anything for it we would really appreciate this, also any offers of help on stalls would be fantastic. Please spread the word to anyone else you think who would like to come, the starting time we estimate to be about 2.30 pm. Please note there will be no After School Care provided on the Friday 4th July, as all staff that can, will be helping with the fair. We hope you can join us.

Unprecedented amount of un-named lost property

We have so much lost property that we are now struggling to house it. At the end of each day, we will put it on the outside benches and on the playground steps for footwear. We will do this until next Friday when there will be a second-hand uniform sale at the Strawberry Fair. Anything unclaimed from these items will then be for sale. These items are not named, the children have no idea whose is whose, we hope you do. We urge people to get their child's items back from school, and please label all items of clothing and footwear for their children. Thank you for your help with this.

Year 6 Leaver's sleep over

On Friday 18th Year 6 pupils are invited to sleep over at school. The evening will start at 7 pm. In the morning if the children could bring the tent they are going to be in (or that they are sharing with their friends) to put up in the day that would be helpful. A massive thank you to the staff volunteering to do this with them, it is a fantastic event which runs only with the kindness of staff. Thank you to the BSA for offering to pay for the food for the event too.

Suffolk Philharmonic Musicians Visit

On Friday 4th July we are delighted that the Suffolk Philharmonic Musicians have offered to come and play for the children.

KS2 Performance

Oak and Hazel class will be performing 'The Jungle Book' on 8th July starting at 1.30 and on 9th July the children will need to be back at school for 5.30 please. There will be two tickets for each performance for Hazel class Parents and Carers and one ticket for each performance for Oak class Parents and Carers (who do not have the main parts). These will be bookable via Parentpay (no cost). Any additional tickets will then come free for anyone wanting any more. We hope you can come.

Diary dates

30th June: Year 6 transition day at Farlingaye High School.

30th June: Whole school transition day, all classes move up morning.

1st July: Rev. Cake assembly.

4th July: Suffolk Philharmonic Musicians visit.

4th July: Sports afternoon, parents and carers welcome for the races at 1.30.

 4^{th} July: Strawberry fair- run by the BSA- starting straight after the races estimated for a 2.30 pm start.

4th July: No after school club provided.

8th July 1.30: KS2 performance of their play.

9th July 5.30: KS2 performance of their play.

11th July: Hazel class Oscar award ceremony.

14th – 18th July: Optional Parent/ Carer meetings with Teachers following reports going home.

18th July: Sports afternoon back up date.

18th July 7pm- Yr 6 Leaver's sleepover on the field.

21st July 2.30pm Year 6 Leaver's assembly with Parents and Carers.

22nd July: Last day of term.

22nd July: No after school club provided.

For our term dates please look on our website.