



Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> February 2024

Dear families,

As we move into the final week of term, Year 2 are looking forward to their workshop based around the Great Fire of London, linking to their topic this term. We also have Movement Mentor training for some of our older pupils who can support with activities on the playground during break and lunch. Next week is also Children’s Mental Health Week and a range of linked activities will be taking place across the week.

In order to inspire reading, we are currently looking to build the breadth of reading materials in school for our Key Stage 2 children. If you have any chapter books in good condition, suitable for 7-11 year olds, and you no longer need them we’d very much appreciate any donations! Feel free to drop them into main reception or send them in with your child and we can add them to our library collection!

Speaking to some of the children this week about RE, they have expressed that they would like to visit other places of worship and to have speakers into school of different faiths to help their learning. If you feel you have connections or would be willing to come and spend some time with the children explaining to them about your faith, beliefs and customs in relation to this, please contact me so we can discuss further. We always like to involve members of our school community where we can!

Have a lovely weekend!

Samantha Hill

Headteacher



# February 2024

Monday 5th February	Caterpillars Forest School
Monday 5th February	Rabbits last swimming session
Wednesday 7th February	Maths Workshop for Reception Parents/Carers 9-10am Main Hall
Thursday 8th February	Maths Workshop for Reception Parents/Carers 5-6pm Main Hall
Thursday 8th February	Police visiting EYFS
Friday 9th February	Break up for Half term
Monday 19th February	PD day– Children not in School
Tuesday 20th February	Children back in School
Wednesday 21st February	Sealegs Puppet show Nursery



## REMINDERS & NOTICES:

- School Lunch Menu:**

Next week we will be on **Week 3 Menu.**

- Primary Schools Half Marathon 2024:**

Reminder you are still able to sign your child up for the Primary Schools Half Marathon 2024. The payment of £12 is available on School money until Friday 9th February. The final 1.1 mile event will take place on Saturday April 20th at the West Mid Showground in Shrewsbury.

- Reception Parents/Carers Maths workshop:**

Reminder we are running Maths workshops on 9-10am on Wednesday 7th February School Hall and 5-6pm on Thursday 8th February School Hall. Please complete the Microsoft form sent via email to confirm attendance.

- Bayston Hill Pantomime:**

Bayston Hill are holding a Pantomime of Puss in Boots from Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> February to Saturday 17th February . Wednesday Thursday and Friday performances begin at 7:30, Saturday is a matinee at 2:30 pm. Tickets are: adults £6 children £4 available from Rowlands Pharmacy Bayston hill or Daisy and Tilly’s at the Crossroads.

- Children’s Mental Health Week**

Next week is Children’s Mental Health Week. The theme is ‘My Voice Matters’ and we are encouraging children to express themselves and have a voice! Please find more information attached.

**REGULAR ATTENDANCE AT SCHOOL IS NOT JUST ABOUT ACADEMIC PERFORMANCE BUT HAS A SIGNIFICANT IMPACT ON A CHILD'S OVERALL DEVELOPMENT AND LIFELONG WELL-BEING.**



**MOMENTS MATTER, ATTENDANCE COUNTS.**

### BAYSTON HILL JUNIORS FOOTBALL CLUB GIRLS TRAINING SESSION

FOR GIRLS AGED BETWEEN 4 – 7 - (SCHOOL YEARS RECEPTION - 1)  
DATE: EVERY SATURDAY MORNING WITH FULLY QUALIFIED COACHES  
TIME: 9AM – 10AM  
COST: £2  
LOCATION: STANLEY PARKER PLAYING FIELD, (TOP PITCH) BAYSTON HILL  
COACHES: JOANNE KOLZE-JONES / SAM CLARKE / RICH WARD  
INFORMATION: PLEASE BRING DRINKS, SHINPADS, BOOTS, WARM CLOTHING



### UNDERSTANDING YOUR CHILD SOLIHULL APPROACH

Understanding Your Child

at

Oakmeadow Primary School

From 21<sup>st</sup>/02/24 to 15/05/24

Every Wednesday 3.30pm-5.30pm

Have you ever wondered what is at the root of your child’s behaviour?

Do you feel like you need some support with how to manage your child’s behaviour?

Would you like to chat with other parents and professionals to support your understanding of why children behave the way they do?

If you have answered yes to the above or just interested in joining us, then please contact either May Severn or Lisa Oliver for further information or to book your free place.

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