

**Friday 26<sup>th</sup> January 2024**

Dear families,

Staff this week had a wonderful time accompanying our choir to Young Voices in Birmingham! The children were so enthusiastic about their experience when they came back to school the next day. The team said they were incredibly proud of them as a group and they represented Oakmeadow brilliantly.

Flavell house took their trip to the park this afternoon, it was lovely to see them enjoying themselves as a reward for their great teamwork over Autumn term.

We are seeing good rates of attendance in school this half term – thank you to all families with promoting the importance of education and being in school. We will be doing some further work on this with the children. If your child does struggle with coming to school in the morning please let us know and we will be more than willing to help.

Finally, I would like to say a huge thank you to Bayston Hill Juniors Football Club for donating some brand new size 3 footballs for use in school. Our children love football and it helps so much to have plenty of resources to facilitate this!

Have a lovely weekend!

Samantha Hill

Headteacher



## January 2024

Monday 29th January	Rabbits Swimming
Monday 29th January	Centipedes Forest School

## 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 2 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.

- **Year 6 Leavers Hoodies:**

Leavers hoodies need to be ordered through Decostitch by Wednesday 31<sup>st</sup> January. Unfortunately any orders after this time will not be processed. Please send your order form to [becky@decostitch.co.uk](mailto:becky@decostitch.co.uk)

- **Year 6 Arthog Trip:**

All Arthog payments will need to be made by Monday 4<sup>th</sup> March 2024 ready for them to attend on Monday 18<sup>th</sup> March 2024.

**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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