

Friday 13th October 2023

Dear families,

This week is Inter Faith Week of Prayer for World Peace. We discussed how this is an event which encourages all faiths come together to send out prayers and heartfelt wishes for peace. All classes have reflected on this and have written their own prayers – see Owls class one below.

Year 5 have visited the Telford Gudwara today – a trip to enhance their RE curriculum for this half term. The children really enjoyed the experience and came back talking out the opportunity to meditate and try new foods.

Our community hub has taken big strides forward this week with the timber frame going up! We will have the availability for this space to be hired out by local groups. Soon we will be able to communicate availability and so if any groups you know would like to hire the space for an event or on a regular basis please contact admin. It's very exciting to see the building taking shape!

Many of our Year 6 children have visited local secondary school on their open events this week; just a reminder that applications for secondary places need to be made by 31st October.

Finally, a polite reminder that children should not be riding bikes or scooters up Beeches path on arrival or at the end of the day. We have had some near misses reported this week so it's important we remind the children of this

Best wishes for the weekend,
Samantha Hill
Headteacher



October 2023	
Monday 16th October	Reception walk to sensory garden
Tuesday 17th October	Year 6 SATS Bootcamp meeting for Parents/Carers
Wednesday 18th October	Year 3 and 4 Diwali Dance Workshop
Friday 20th October	Break up for Half term
November 2023	
Monday 6th November	PD Day
Monday 6th November	Fireworks event
Tuesday 7th November	Children back in School
Tuesday 7th November	Year 5 on trip to Christchurch for life exhibition
Monday 13th November	Heads Tea
Tuesday 14th November	Parents Evening
Tuesday 14th November	Reception vision screening
Thursday 16th November	Parents Evening
Friday 17th November	Children in Need
Tuesday 21st November	Reception 2024 Open day 10am and 5pm
Thursday 23rd November	Scholastic Book Fair starts
Thursday 30th November	EYFS Panto trip 9am-12pm
Thursday 30th November	Year 6 Christmas Ukele Performance 9.15am Main Hall

REMINDERS & NOTICES:

- On Thursday 5th we had a special Winter warmer menu. All children who had a school dinner on that day were in with a chance to win lunch with Pip our School dinner mascot! The children that found a raffle ticket at the bottom of their plate have been made aware they have won and we will let them know when Pip is joining them for lunch!



102,000 children starting school in England are at risk of catching measles

Check your child is up to date with their MMR vaccinations

Inter Faith Week of Prayer for World Peace

A prayer written by Owls

Dear Gods of all faiths,

In this world, we pray that people of different religions can **respect** each other and value each other's beliefs,

In this world, we pray it can be a world free of **violence**, where people get along in friendship,

In this world, we pray it is a world free of **racism**, where different colours and cultures come together in celebration,

In this world, we pray all have access to free **education** and **medicine**,

In this world, we pray that **technology** provides access to services and to allow communication,

In this world, we pray there is **freedom** for all to express themselves and choose what they want to do,

In this world, we pray for human rights and **equality**,

In this world, we pray for **peace**.

BAYSTON HILL FIREWORKS

MONDAY 6TH NOVEMBER
Oakmeadow School (Beeches Gate)
5.30pm-7pm

BBQ, bar, stalls, food, fairground rides and more!

ADVANCE TICKET PRICES
Adult: £6
Child (aged 5 and over): £4
Under 5s: FREE
Family tickets also available

Online tickets available at www.jumblebee.co.uk/baystonhillfireworks2023

