



BOCKING NEWS

I am Ambitious, Respectful, Responsible, Engaged and I Persevere.
Bocking Primary School Weekly Round Up

Friday 14th July 2023

WHAT'S COMING UP

July

- **17th Transition days for each year group in school, children onl.**
- **21st Celebration Assembly 9am**
- **Friday 21st July at 9:30 Year 6 Leavers Assembly**

AFTER SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

Thu - SCS Football Y4-Y6

Friday - Miss Lemon
Drama

NO SCHOOL CLUBS W/C 17/7

Dear Parents & Carers,

The highlight of the week has to be the Year 6 performance on Monday and Tuesday. If you did not get to see it you certainly missed some memorable moments.

The Year 6 children have blown us away with their acting abilities as well as their sheer determination and perseverance throughout the whole show. Throughout the previous weeks the children had been rehearsing as much as possible and their hard work certainly paid off. The comic timing, the solo singing and the way they 'ran' the show was just superb. A huge well done and thank you must go to Mrs Champney and Mrs Reid who put the show together and made it happen. In other Year 6 news, we were absolutely delighted to receive our year 6 SATs results this week, above national average in Reading - 82%, Writing - 75% and Maths - 75%. Whatever their individual result, we are so proud of every child in our Year 6 cohort for their commitment and perseverance they have demonstrated towards their learning this academic year.

Thank you goes again to Mrs Champney and Mrs Reid for preparing, supporting and challenging the children this academic year. Children's individual results will be told to the children next week and in their school reports.

Our final visit of the term from our School Improvement Advisor was also this week. Here are some of the comments made during their visit:

"Good progress has been made against the schools' priorities for the academic year."

"Behaviour was strong"

"The work of the Cultural Champions has led to increased participation in all year groups with opportunities available to them."

We will now look to form our new School Improvement Plan objectives for next academic year and will share these with you via our website in the autumn term.

The overall House winner this year is Brunel. Any children that are in Brunel may come to school next Friday 21st July in non school uniform. Well done to all the children that have worked so hard towards getting House points across the year. There has been plenty of challenges and competition in TT Rock Stars, Sports Days and other competitions across the year. I wonder who it will be next year!

As we go into the final week of school, I would like to thank all the parents and families for their support to the school over the year. As a community we will work together to guide our children to a successful and happy future.

Have a lovely weekend,
Mrs Cagney



STAR OF THE WEEK

Certificates were presented in our celebration assembly to:

- Jodie (YR)
- Huxley (Yr 1)
- Millie H (Yr 2)
- Olivia B (Yr 3)
- Ellie (Yr 4)
- Jasmine (Yr 5)
- Hollie (Yr 6)

AR READERS

Quiz Scores 100%

Year 2 - Levi

Year 3 - Olivia H

Year 5 - Reuben, Max

Year 6 - Oliver

Words Read

Year 6 - 3,046,281

TIMES TABLE ROCKSTARS



WINNER - Brunel HOUSE - Year 3

Year 2 - Millie C

Year 3 - Katy

Year 4 - Aaron

Year 5 - Lenny

Year 6 - Remi

ATTENDANCE

84% - Year EYFS

93% - Year 1

94% - Year 2

86% - Year 3

87% - Year 4

89% - Year 5

96% - Year 6

Attendance should be 95%

CLASSROOM NEWS...

YEAR EYFS

This week, we have been continuing to learn to retell the story of 'Pirates Love Underpants'. We even made our own story maps and a pirate sea shanty! Within our Ocean Adventures topic, Miss Freeman taught us all about the seaside too, and we looked at days out to the seaside now and in the past. We were able to spot lots of things that were different about the seaside in the past, and many things that are the same. We were very interested by the bathing carts, that looked a bit like horse carriages.

YEAR 1

It has been another great couple of weeks in Year 1. The children have been very busy with their Non-Chronological reports on plants. In ICT we have begun to explore programming and used the Bee Bots which the children have really enjoyed. We had our last Music session today and the children demonstrated how much they learnt over the year.

YEAR 2

Year 2 have been studying a beautiful poem called, 'If I had wings' and next week, we will be writing our own poem by imagining what we would do if we could fly. We have enjoyed playing many games in Maths to practise our adding and subtracting skills and we have really loved our PE lessons on dance and circuits. We are almost ready to answer our enquiry question in History as we have learned all about seaside holidays in the past and we have become experts in taking and editing photographs.

YEAR 6 PERFORMANCE!

