

WHATS COMING UP

- 20th July at 9:30am: Yr 6 Leavers Assembly followed with Tea & Cake
- 20th July - School Meal option will be picnic lunch.
- 1st & 2nd Sept - Non Pupil Day
- 5th September - School Year Commences.

MON / TUES COLLECT YOUR CHILD AT 12PM, DUE TO ADVERSE WEATHER - PLEASE SEE ESCHOOLS FOR MORE INFORMATION

AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

- Monday 18th July Out & About (Group 2) - **CANCELLED**

Stars of the Week

Certificates were presented in our celebration assembly to:

Lily - Rose (EYFS)
Alice (Yr 1)
Willow (Yr 2)
Oliver J (Yr 3)
Lenny (Yr 4)
Poppy (Yr 5)
William (Yr 6)

Message from PTSA

Unfortunately we have had to postpone the inflatable day on the 20th.

Dear Parents and Carers,

We are so close now to the end of the school academic year - and what a year it has been! I mentioned at the beginning of the year that some of the changes would be visible to you all and some of which will be about changing the way in which we teach in the classrooms. These are just some of the areas we have developed:

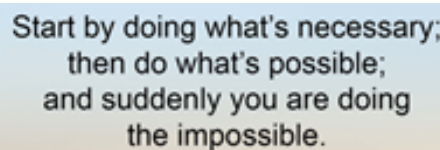
New Vision & Values, Maths Mastery - teaching maths to a deeper level of understanding, Talk for Writing - read and write independently for a variety of audiences and purposes within different subjects, Community links - whole school project for Bocking cemetery, Improved behaviour across the school with new Moving Up system, Weekly newsletter, New starter EYFS afternoons, Open door afternoons, Celebration assembly, Playground markings & equipment, New PTSA formed, Class Ambassadors, Teacher training programme, A full Governing body, Cultural Champions project in Yr 5, Phonics scheme training, Adapted curriculum to inspire and excite learners, Parent TLCs, Pupil Forum members, Heads of School, A cleaner, decluttered environment, Bocking Maye Fayre, KS2 Athletic Finals day, New handwriting presentation, Afterschool clubs, High expectations in uniform, Tops Time celebration, Houses - Darwin, Franklin, Brunel, Kinsley, New computer suite, and this list is not exhaustive!

Our House winners this year (a culmination of Star of Week points, whole school competitions and Sporting events, such as the points they collected for their houses on Sports day) is **Darwin**. This means that any child that is in Darwin will be able to come into school on the last day of term (Wednesday 20th) in Non School Uniform. Congratulations to all the children in Darwin.

I am so proud of all the children and what they have achieved this year, however, it would not be possible without the help and support from all the staff in the school so please join me in thanking all the staff at Bocking for all their hard work this year.

Thank you for all your parental support over the year.

Mrs Cagney



Start by doing what's necessary;
then do what's possible;
and suddenly you are doing
the impossible.

- Francis of Assisi

ParentPay Login Reminder.....

Our new ParentPay meal booking will go live from Wednesday 20th July. More information to follow, however please click below on the link for parent support on the new system. From September meals will be pre-booked by parents, via ParentPay. EYFS/KS1 Meals will be booked, with no payment taken. KS2 All school meals will be booked and paid for in advance through the booking system. Please contact school office if you do not have your login. You will not be able to book your child's meal without this login!

<https://parent-support.parentpaygroup.com/hc/en-gb/sections/4416632987921-Meals-and-bookings>



AR READERS

Quiz Scores:

Year 2 - Lacey, Poppy, Ann-Mary, Isobel, Kayton, James R, Skylah, Thomas, Elliot, Lia

Year 4 - Lenny Jacob

Year 5 are the word count winners with **246,038 words**

Attendance

This week's class

attendance:

EYFS: 93%

Year 1: 92%

Year 2: 93%

Year 3: 90%

Year 4: 92%

Year 5: 89%

Year 6: 92%

TIMES TABLE ROCKSTARS



Winners- **Year 6**

House - **Darwin**

Yr 2 - Skylah

Y3 - Daisy

Y4 - Charlie

Y5 - Sam

Y6 - Orla

CLASSROOM NEWS

From EYFS

We have had a fantastic week in Early Years. The children really enjoyed watching their Year 6 buddies fantastic performance of Shakespeare Rocks and were so engaged and sensible throughout. We made the character of the giant octopus from "The Rainbow Fish" during our art days and the children enjoyed getting very sticky using lots and lots of glue. The children have all shown confidence when speaking in front of the class and sharing their plans for the summer holidays. Well done Early Years Superstars!



From Year 1

This week we had the most colourful and creative one and a half days with Art Solutions. They wanted Year 1 to make sea creatures because they knew we had read the book Rainbow Fish by Marcus Pfister and Alison James. We are so proud of our beautiful wall art!

From Year 2

Year 2 have been really enjoying our recent lessons on Art, DT, Science and Computing. We made plant pictures out of vegetables to learn about the importance of plants and we studied Andy Goldsworthy's art and created our own natural sculptures in his style. We have made lighthouses in DT and the children loved using our new computer suite to type out their brilliant Jack and the Beanstalk stories



Year 6 would like to say a massive thank you to everyone who supported us this week with our performance. We were overwhelmed by the support from staff, the wonderful comments from children from different year groups and the fantastic audiences that came to watch. We had a blast preparing and performing the production and we proved that Shakespeare really does rock!

