

BOWSLAND GREEN PRIMARY SCHOOL

'Building the Foundations for Lifelong Learning'

Newsletter 21st May 2010

HEADTEACHER'S MESSAGE

International/Science Week begins 7th June

We are very much looking forward to our international/science week straight after the holidays. Science investigation will be the focus of the week and the children will be involved in a range of experiments based around food. Celebration assembly at 10.00am on Friday that week will be open to all parents as usual and the children will be reporting back and sharing some their work.

In addition, to celebrate how lucky Bowsland Green is to have a wide range of cultural heritage in our school (did you know we have at least 15 different countries represented and 18 different languages spoken) we will be holding an International Food Fayre called

'Taste The World' on Friday 11th June at 2.00pm.

We would like as many families as possible to donate some cold food, either sweet or savoury, that reflects their cultural heritage. The food will then go on sale for a nominal price in taster size portions so that children and their families can try a new culinary experience, and have a cup of good British tea of course!

This is a new venture for us and to ensure it's success, we will need as many families as possible to take part. So please, put the date in your diary and look out for the letter with more details that will be coming out next week.



Dates for your diary

Monday 24th May: Yr 6 Camp begins
Wednesday 26th May: Yr 5 Class Assembly
Friday 28th May: term 5 ends

Monday 7th June: term 6 begins with International/Science Week

Friday 11th June: Int./Science Week Celebration Assembly
for parents at 10.00am
Taste the World International Food Fayre
At 2.00pm

2010/11 Academic year

Wednesday 1st September: term 1 begins (INSET Day-welcome back to staff and training)
Thursday 2nd September: Welcome back to the children
Friday 22nd October: term 1 ends

Hooray for Year 6! SATS over and now off to Camp!

As usual Year 6 have 'done us proud' with their effort and maturity during the KS2 SATs week. Although our school joined most other local schools in boycotting the SATs in terms of sending tests to be marked externally with levels reported to the government, the children completed the tests this week as usual. We will now mark the tests ourselves and use the levels attained, alongside our teacher assessment of their day to day class work to determine their overall level in reading, writing and maths, just like we do with all other year groups. So, well done to Yr 6 for surviving SATs and have a great time at Camp next week!

Parent Coffee Morning

Apologies for the last minute cancellation of the Parent Coffee Morning. We were also holding teacher interviews that day and due to last minute staff absences were unable to staff the coffee morning, as everyone was involved in the interview process or teaching! We have set a new date which is provisionally Monday 28th June at 9.00am. I will confirm with you once the Sure Start Centre booking is confirmed to us.

Stay and Play sessions at the Sure Start Centre

From the 21st June there will be some changes, and an increase, to the stay and play sessions. From this date they will be as follows:

Mondays: 1.15-3.15pm

Tuesdays: 9.30-11.30

Thursdays: 1.15-3.15

If you have children under five and would like to join in a free, quality play experience why not try out one of the current sessions (Tuesdays 1.15-3.15 and Thursdays as above) and come and meet the Sure Start play workers- Vicky, Claire and James.

**RECOMMENDED IN ASSEMBLY
GOLDEN LEAVES**



Sam Grotzke
Jacob Hughes
Ahti Kupari
Chloe Baguley
Holly Stephens
Caitlin Dyke
Sam Smith
Joe Swales
Joshua Harding
Jack Joyner
Cole Blunden
Alvari Kupari
Anais Elezi
Thomas Bennett
Ayesha Mustajab
Alex Ford



**Door Monitors' Award for
best class in and out of hall**

14/5/10 Mrs Ashitey's class

GOING FOR GOLD

14/05/10

Georgia Marchant

Finlay Thompson

Kathryn Miller

Ethan Anderson

William Redwood

Natalie Rosser

Tom Shortman

Milind Kamath

Macie Richardson

ATTENDANCE

W/E	07/05/10	14/05/10
Oak 1 - Th	97.8%	93.3%
Oak 2 -	97.7%	98.8%
Chestnut - A	99.6%	98.1%
Holly - P	99.3%	100%
Birch - Wi	99.3%	95.9%
Willow - Gi	99.2%	97.7%
Fir - C	100%	97.0%
Ash - W	99.4%	99.7%
Sycamore - Sp	100%	98.1%
Overall	99.6%	97.8%

Well done Mrs Conlin and Mr Pow's class

Stars of the Week



Jenny Douglas
Chloe Blunden
Chloe Nelson
Klaudiya Briedyte
Luke Van-De-Burgt
Holly Curry
Callum Taylor
Hollie Bleaken

HOUSE POINTS

Winners for week 14/05/10
Dragon



W/E	14/05/10
Dragon	358
Griffin	354
Hippocampus	302
Phoenix	279
Unicorn	327



**Best Class Voted by Our
Lunch Break Supervisors is:**

W/E	Class
14/5/10	Mrs Conlin
21/05/10	Mr Pow

**'TOP TABLE'
Award for Good Manners at
Lunch Time**

14/05/10	Dominic Peynado Emily Dulston Lewis Oxenham Matthew Watkins
21/05/10	Shaden Alobaid Lara Carnell Joe Swales James Thorne

BIRTHDAYS

Mohammed Farouk
Callum Finn
Haya Al Naimi
Alvari Kupari
Katelyn-Renay Watts
Zoe Tonks
Benjamin Callaghan
Fynley Sanderson
Chloe Thompson
Hollie Bleaken
Ricardo Talbot
Oluwabumola Adegboro
James Nelson
Jayden Baguley



Happy Birthday