

The Bolham Bullet

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Dear Parents/Guardians,

Green team are writing to you about this year's Christmas performance. This year instead of having paper carol service programme we are having an electronic one; to help the environment you can download it onto your phone from our website as on Tuesday 18th December! We recommend downloading before the play on Thursday 20th December.

Thank you

Alexander Brameld (Green Team Chair)

Gethin White (Green Team Vice Chair)

Diary Dates

20th December - Church Rehearsal AM
and Carol Service 6.30PM
21st December - Last Day of term
7th January - Non Pupil Day
18th - 22nd February - Half term
5th - 23rd April - Easter holidays
13th May - KS2 SATS week
27th - 31st May - Half term
10th June - Phonics test week Year 1
only
13th - 14th June - Class 3 Residential
19th - 21st June - Class 4 Residential
5th July - Sports Day
12th July - Reserve Sports Day
18th July - Class 4 performance
19th July - Leavers Assembly
19th July - Last day of term



REMINDER - CHRISTMAS CAROL CONCERT REHEARSAL - THURSDAY 20TH DECEMBER



We have a Christmas Carol Concert Rehearsal from 9am - 11am at the church on the day of the performance (Thursday, 20th December). If your child normally travels to school by bus, we have arranged with DCC Transport for the coaches to drop the children straight to St Peter's for 9am on the day. For those of you who bring your children to school, we would ask that you take them directly to the church for 9am and not to the school on the day please. If your child would normally attend the school Breakfast Club, you will be able to drop your child/children to Miss Waterman at school as normal and the children will be taken to the church by minibus

A HUGE THANK YOU

I would like to say a HUGE 'thank you' to all the children, parents, governors and staff for the all the wonderful leaving gifts and cards that I received last week. Your kind words and generosity have been overwhelming. It has been an absolute privilege to have spent the last 15 years at Bolham School and I shall miss you all. Thank you so much.

Abbie Pilling



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SPECIAL MENTIONS

Class 1

Special mention to the whole of Class One for their fantastic behaviour when our P.E visitor came in on Monday (he said he really enjoyed it and had fun!)

Class 2

Special mention to Matthew Slade for showing a caring attitude towards others especially if they are upset.

Class 3

Special mention to Max, Hugo, Healey and Brodie for great acting in our rehearsals.

Class 4

Special mention to Alex Brameld for improved learning mind-set.

LEARNING LEAVES

Class 1

Eden Hubery - For her amazing unaided writing about our P.E visitor.

Year One Boys - For some fantastic writing about our P.E visitor. No help from Mrs Worthington needed! Well done!

Class 2

Isabella Ng - Excellent colour writing and the use of full stops.

Holly Chappell - Excellent colour writing this week.

Class 3

Winnie Halsey - For a confident term of learning and making some good progress.

Lana Smith - For always having a great attitude to learning and being prepared to have a go.

Class 4

Autumn Frye - For showing improvement with her written work.

Seb Harvey - For accurate coordinate plotting.

Brodie Roberts for a fantastic 'can-do' attitude in P.E and gaining independence with a smile. Well Done! (Nick Williams, Sports Coach)

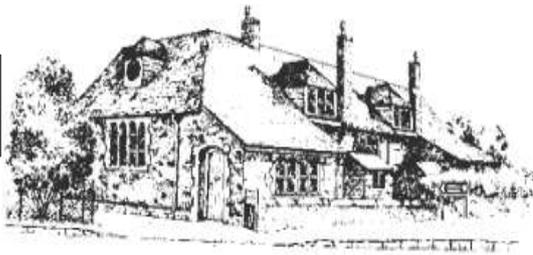
IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR PARENTS

TEACHERS2PARENTS

Teachers2parents have now launched their app in which you can read the messages sent by the school and know the school term dates. It is very quick and easy to set up.

NO AFTER SCHOOL CLUB

Next Friday there will be no after school club as school will be closing at 3:30pm.



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FOBS CHRISTMAS FAIR

On behalf of the FOBS team I would like to give a huge thanks to all parents, carers and friends for supporting the FOBS Christmas Fair. We raised almost £700 on the day, plus a further £300 from the sale of children's Christmas cards, an amazing achievement for a small school. The proceeds will fund equipment and learning experiences that will benefit every child at Bolham Primary.

Many thanks to the FOBS team who helped make the Fair a success, in particular our resident DJ, Paul for providing the disco, I think all the children loved it. Plus, a further mention in despatches to Michelle who did a fantastic job in organising the Christmas cards and bumping us up to £1,000 - well done everyone.

I am also pleased to report that FOBS received a donation of £100 from a charitable trust to go towards the purchase of a 3D printer for the Jaguar Challenge.

Best wishes for Christmas, Andrew Chair of FOBS.

CAR PARKING

At the end of the summer term the school received a number of complaints about cars parking on road junctions and blocking access to local houses. We appreciate that parking can be a challenge for everyone at key times during the day, but please can I politely request that you park safely and with due consideration for local residents. Thank you for your support with this matter.