

The Bolham Bullet

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Dear Parents

Congratulations this week go to Oliver Slade, who as a result of his achievements last weekend in Taunton, will be representing Devon in the national finals of the Pony Club Triathlon 2019. As part of the triathlon, Oliver will be shooting, running and swimming with only a thirty-minute break between each event. He says that he is very excited and can't wait for the big day in March. I am sure you would like to join me in wishing Oliver every success.

Diary Dates

18th - 22nd February - Half term

15th March - Red Nose Day

8th - 22nd 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

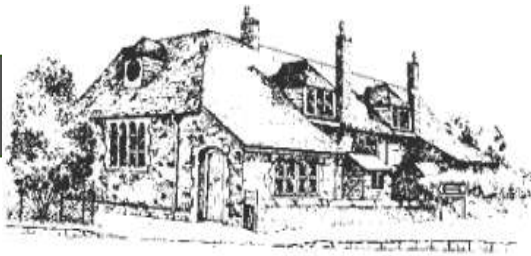


I must also congratulate all the children this week on the way they have dealt with our recent outbreak of Scarlet Fever. They have taken responsibility for personal hygiene in school and have accepted changes to the timetable with maturity. I would also like to thank staff and parents for their support. The number of cases in the past twenty-four hours has diminished and we are hopefully over the worst of the infection.

Finally, can I once again highlight **parking**. The Hartnoll Hotel generously allow us **to use** their **overflow car park** before and after school. Please **do not** use the main car park, as guests are finding it hard to park. Thank you for your support with this on-going issue.

BOLHAM PRIMARY SCHOOL 20% DISCOUNT ON SCHOOL UNIFORM STARTS SAT 16TH FEB INSTORE WHILE STOCK LASTS

Tony Pryce, Tiverton, have informed the school that they will be shutting their Tiverton store this summer. The school are currently trying to find a new provider for Bolham Primary School uniform and as soon as we have a new contract in place we will send out the relevant information to all of our families.



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GREEN TEAM

Dear Parents/Carers

Green team would like your help. Please could your child bring in some small plant pots or cardboard centres from toilet rolls so we can grow some vegetables. We will be growing squashes, courgettes and other vegetables to sell and raise money for this year's Jaguar Challenge.

Thank you

Alexander Brameld. Green Team Chair

FOBS UPDATE

Help raise money for Bolham School when you shop

FOBS have set up a page with 'The Giving Machine'. The idea is very simple, when you make purchases from major retailers, Amazon, Waitrose, Trainline, Ebay etc through the Giving Machine website a small percentage is donated to FOBS at no extra cost to you.

Please have a look at the short video:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4lrUbdXuAQo&list=PLznWclwyIYNHuPXIPi8GSoQilj3AohLpN>

The FOBS Just Giving page:

<https://www.thegivingmachine.co.uk/causes/bolham-primary-school/>

This will raise money for equipment and learning experiences that will benefit every child at Bolham.

Thank you for your support.

SECRETARY ROLE REQUIRED FOR FOBS

Is there anyone who would like to help FOBS raise money to fund equipment and learning experiences for Bolham pupils by being Secretary. For further details, please contact Andrew (Hugo's Dad). 07989 412463 or andrew@lathwell.com

SPECIAL MENTIONS

Class 1

Special mention to the whole of Class One for their fantastic behaviour this week.

Class 2

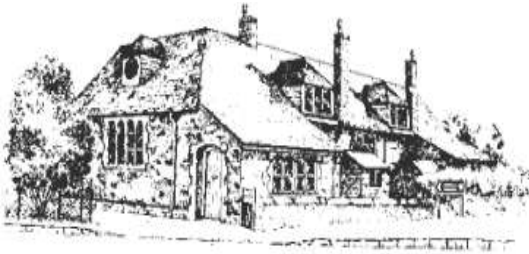
Special mention to Class Two for working hard all week despite being attacked by a variety of illnesses!

Class 3

Special mention to the whole class for making fantastic Greek clothes.

Class 4

Special mention to Nicole Connors and Seb Harvey for exceptional progress in recent assessments.



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LEARNING LEAVES

Class 1

Max Frank - For his fantastic attitude to learning in Maths and Literacy. Well done!
Morgan Broadbent - For his self-motivation when completing classroom tasks. Well done!

Class 2

Elliot Broadbent - Excellent 'Stuck' story with a great ending.
Holly Atkins and Claudia Dent - Writing great 'Stuck' stories.

Class 3

Hugo Lathwell - For always working hard and remembering to ask questions when unsure.
Bertie Dent - For very careful design work, stitching and leading his group well.

Class 4

Dylan Tron - For sustained achievement in his maths assessment.
Cara Leslie - For her achievement in her maths assessment.