



# The Bolham Bullet

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Dear Parents and Carers,

You will be aware from announcements yesterday that the decision has been taken not to close schools at this moment in time. As a school however we are conscious that this could happen in the future and we want to make sure that we are prepared and can support the children's education in the best way possible. Communicating information to parents will be key in this and I would like to ask any family who **do not** have access to a computer or internet to contact the school so that we can make alternative arrangements for sending out learning packs.

'Together we aspire, together we achieve'

Denise Woodgate  
Headteacher

## ROTARY CLUB YOUTH SPEAKS

Our Youth Speaks team were due to take part this weekend in the finals of this year's events, but due to the ongoing Covid 19 situation Rotary Club have decided to postpone this event.

## Diary Dates

27<sup>th</sup> March - Winsford walk  
27<sup>th</sup> March - Last Day of Spring Term

27<sup>th</sup> March - Easter Egg Hunt  
14<sup>th</sup> April - Start of Summer Term  
20<sup>th</sup> April - Bikeability - Year 5  
28<sup>th</sup> April - Jaguar Challenge at Petroc

8<sup>th</sup> May - Bank Holiday

11<sup>th</sup> May - KS2 SATs

17<sup>th</sup> May - Exeter Half Marathon

21<sup>st</sup> May - Wilcombe Wobbler

25<sup>th</sup>-29<sup>th</sup> May - Half Term

Week of 8<sup>th</sup> June - Year 1 Phonics Screening

10-12<sup>th</sup> June - Class 4 Residential

22<sup>nd</sup>-26<sup>th</sup> June - Class 3 Peter Pan Performances

26<sup>th</sup> June - Sports Day

3<sup>rd</sup> July - Sports Day Reserve Day

9<sup>th</sup>-10<sup>th</sup> July - Class 3 Residential

17<sup>th</sup> July - Leavers Assembly

17<sup>th</sup> July - Last day of Summer Term

## EXMOOR CHALLENGE

The decision has also been taken to cancel the Simonsbath training walk this weekend and we apologise for any inconvenience this may have caused.

## CLASS 3 TRIP TO BRISTOL

Please note that this trip will be going ahead as planned, but we will be putting in extra hand washing and sanitising routines throughout the day with the children and staff. Children will need to be at school by 8.15am.

## SPORTS

Congratulations to our Tag Rugby team who played their match against The Castle Primary School. The score was very close in the end with Bolham winning by 7 tries to 6. Many thanks to Mr Simmons for his support coaching the team and to EJS Carpentry for sponsoring the new team strip. The children all looked very smart.

Congratulations goes to Emily who was player of the game after scoring loads of tries. Well done!



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## IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR PARENTS

### SWIMMING LESSONS - 17<sup>TH</sup> MARCH

Due to unforeseen circumstances there will be no swimming lesson on 17<sup>th</sup> March for Year 1 (Class 1) children.

There will be two lessons after the Easter holidays starting the 14<sup>th</sup> April to replace this session and the one missed due to the pool closure.

### BOLHAM BEES - ADVANCED NOTICE

Please note there will be no after school club on Friday 27<sup>th</sup> March.

### EASTER EGG HUNT - FRIDAY 27<sup>TH</sup> MARCH

Letters went home last week regarding the Easter egg hunt which will take place on Friday 27<sup>th</sup> March. Please can we have reply slips back by Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> March. Thanks.

### HOLIDAY SPORTS COURSE EASTER HOLIDAYS CASTLE PRIMARY SCHOOL

We have been given a limited number of application forms for the Castle School Primary Sports & Education camps during the Easter Holidays. Please visit the office if you would like one, the deadline for returning slips is Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> March.

## LEARNING LEAVES

### CLASS 1

Felix Pickering - For his fantastic work in maths and how he was able to explain what he had done to an adult. Well done!

Isabelle Ruby - For her fantastic imagination when writing about Dragon School. Well done!

### CLASS 2

Tommy Withers - Excellent quick fire multiplication facts.

Lily Warner Drew - Excellent work in maths and English, working independently.

### CLASS 3

Beau Webber - For the superb effort she has been putting into all of her work. Great perseverance and contributions!

Henry Bell - For his fantastic work finding fractions of numbers. You showed superb determination!

### CLASS 4

Isabelle Shears - Lovely vocabulary in her work on The Bell.

Lilly Davies - For her effort in maths, particularly with division.

Sophia Kendryna - For improved confidence and participation in PE. Well done! - Mr Williams (Sports Coach)



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## SPECIAL MENTIONS

### CLASS 1

Special mention to Alice Parker for listening and taking on board things that have been said. Well done!

### CLASS 2

Special mention to the whole class for their excellent biography work on Bear Grylls.

### CLASS 3

Special mention to Harry Butcher and Matthew Slade for earning their pen licences.

### CLASS 4

Special mention to Nellie Alves and Jasmine Ruby - For their collaboration in English.

## **FOBS NEWS**

I'm very sorry to have to tell you that the decision has been taken by the VoiceWorx group to postpone the 21st March concert due to Covid19.

Anyone who has booked and paid for tickets will be refunded.

It is our intention to hold the concert later in the year when the situation is clear.

Andrew Lathwell (07989 412 463)