

The Bolham Bullet

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Dear Parents and Carers,

3C and 3M led the whole school Harvest Assembly this morning. It is the first time in nearly two years that we have managed to celebrate this festival together and the children did a brilliant job in leading the service. I know that CHAT (Churches Housing Action Team) will be very grateful for your generous donations. We will post some photos on our website for you to look at after half term.

During Celebration Assembly I also presented a number of children with certificates for successfully taking part in the Wild World Heroes Summer Reading Challenge run by the Tiverton Library Service. Congratulations to Arthur Atkins, Holly Atkins, Poppy Alexander, Max Alexander, Ava Johnson, Olivia Johnson, Isobel Lesiter, Jacob Lessiter and Toby Alves. You certainly read a lot of books between you.

Thank you to everyone who returned their Young Voices forms so promptly. We are now in the process of making the necessary arrangements and will be able to finalise details after half term, subject to any further Covid -19 restrictions.

Finally this week, I would like to welcome Mr Coutts to the Governing Body as a new parent governor and Mrs Lyndsey Frank to the role of Chair of FOBS.

'Together We Aspire and Together We Achieve'

Denise Woodgate
Headteacher

DIARY DATES

October Half Term - 25th -
29th October

Online Parents Evening -
8th & 9th November

Flu Immunisation - 11th
November

Tempest School Photos -
25th November

End of Term - 17th
December

Spring Term Starts - 5th
January

February Half Term - 21st
-25th February

End of Spring Term - 8th
April

Start of Summer Term -
25th April

May Half Term - 30th May
- 3rd June

End of Summer Term -
22nd July



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OUT OF HOURS

If your child has been in school and you or a member of your household has possible COVID -19 symptoms or test positive for Covid-19, please **contact the school** on **01884 253576** during school hours or text a message to **07513 299444** after hours and at the weekend. A member of staff will then contact you for further information as the school has a Public Health England procedure to follow.

YOUNG VOICES

We are sending home today the form for ordering tickets for parents of children in 3M to attend the Young Voices concert on the 11th January, please make sure they are filled in and returned on Monday 1st November with payment if you wish to attend, school will then order the tickets. Thank you.

BOLHAM BEES BREAKFAST AND AFTER SCHOOL CLUB

Due to the clubs reaching capacity during the week, please can we ask that if you no longer need your child's place at Breakfast and After School club that you let us know as early as possible so the place can be offered to others.

PARENTS EVENING

We are sending home parents' evening slips for our online consultations which will take place on Monday 8th November and Tuesday 9th November.



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LEARNING LEAVES

CLASS 1

Mollie Wedgery - For her fantastic effort and concentration in all her lessons this week. Well done!

CLASS 2

Felix Pickering - Excellent writing about worms and all the extra work on worms during independent learning.
Beth Philpott - Excellent non-fiction writing remembering capital letters, full stops and finger spaces.

CLASS 3 (C)

Lily Warner-Drew - For the amazing progress she has made with her swimming this half term. Mrs Raven has been really impressed with your attitude and effort.

CLASS 3 (M)

Thomas Head - For all his quiet confidence in all subjects. No matter the topic, he pushes on steadily and carefully. Well done Thomas, keep it up!

CLASS 4

Alfie Criddle - For his excellent standard of homework over the last 2 weeks particularly his WW2 timeline.
Beau Webber - For all her hard work which has been reflected in her excellent assessment results.

SPECIAL MENTIONS

CLASS 1

Special mention to the whole of class 1 for a fantastic start to the Autumn Term.

CLASS 2

Special Mention to Elliot Walford and Harrison Cooke for using imagination and knowledge of non-fiction when thinking about the layout of their worm writing.

CLASS 3 (C)

Special mention to Isabelle Ruby for showing kindness to her friends and working on how to solve arguments.

CLASS 3 (M)

Special mention to Sienna Hutchings for helping a peer with his maths this week. She took it upon herself to coach her learning partner step-by-step until he was off! Thank you for being such a positive role-model and member of our class.

CLASS 4

Special mention to Isobel Lessiter for increased confidence and working more independently.

BOLHAM BEES

Special mention to all of after school club for creating some amazing Halloween lanterns.



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AUTUMN POEMS

Autumn is the round the corner

By Jack Snell Year 4 3M

Autumn is round the corner, leaves all different colours are falling from the trees, gold, brown and red leaves are flying in the gentle wind. Pumpkins are grown, blackberries are picked.

Juicy red apples ready to be eaten, smooth conkers dropped on the floor, big green pears waving on the branches, leaves fall down making a blanket on the ground acting as cushions so the pears don't get bruised.

Cosy Fires and comfy beds look out of the window Autumn is coming the trees shed golden leaves, the leaves drift off into the wind and they fly high like a bird until the morning when Autumn is outside.

Autumn is Here

By Thomas Head Year 4 3M

As summer draws its final breath to prepare its curtain call, and paints the trees upon the hill with its artists brush,

Catching gold, brown leaves on a hill, tiring but fun,

Prickly conkers falling from the trees, popping on the floor.

The northern wind breathes out it's chill as songs begin to hush.





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GATES OPEN FROM 4:30PM

BONFIRE LIT AT 7PM

**FIREWORK DISPLAY TO MUSIC
7:30PM**

FIREWORKS

at Tiverton Golf Club

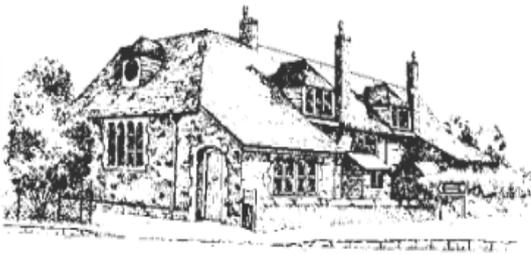
FRIDAY 5TH NOVEMBER

OUTDOOR BAR & FOOD

**TICKETS AVAILABLE FROM THE BAR
OR FROM EVENTBRITE:
[FIREWORKS-TGC.EVENTBRITE.COM](https://www.eventbrite.com/e/fireworks-tgc)**

**£7.50 ADULTS
£2.50 CHILDREN
£15 - FAMILY OF 4**





Meet or walk a Shetland pony!



**Launch of all-new Tiverton Farmers Market
Tiverton Pannier Market
Saturday 6 November (9am to 2pm)**

- Walk Butterscotch (pictured left) or Herbie (pictured right) for £5 (includes rosette)
- **SPECIAL OFFER** – Quote the name of your school/nursery for a reduction to £4

Other ways to support Munchkins on the day...

- Lucky dip
- Buy a rosette
- Sponsor a pony and receive a lovely sponsor pack

Tiverton Farmers Market | A showcase of local food, drink, producers and makers | First Saturday of every month | www.facebook.com/TivertonMarket



Munchkins rescues and rehabilitates ponies that have suffered abuse, abandonment and neglect. The charity currently has 40 ponies in its care at its centre in East Devon and rehomes them within a 50-mile radius. Since launching in 2014, it has rehomed over 60 ponies. Its running costs are around £60,000 a year.