



The Bolham Bullet

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Dear Parents and Carers

Although we all came back to school after Christmas seemingly healthy, it quickly became apparent last week that the Omicron variant was prevalent within our community as both staff and children across the school were struck down by the virus. Our staff and children have however been amazing and worked hard to ensure that we have remained open and not had to swap to remote learning for any year groups. Thank you for all of your support and understanding over the past two weeks.

This week, Mr Hodge has been teaching fencing as part of our sports' enrichment work and it was clear to see that the children had great fun and learnt some new skills.

DIARY DATES

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



On Thursday, we received the news that the Young Voices concert, originally planned for January, has been rescheduled for Tuesday 3rd May. Mrs Rowe will be sending out a letter to all of our Year 4 parents with more details in the coming week. We do hope that you will all be able to still come with us and enjoy this fabulous experience.

Finally, we are celebrating the success of our young writers in Year 3 who have become published authors. Congratulations, to all of Year 3 and Miss Crang.

'Together we aspire, together we achieve'

Denise Woodgate
Headteacher



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CLASS 3 NEWS

I am very proud to say that Class 3C are now officially published poets! Last term we entered a poetry competition where the class had to write poems all about themselves. We thought only a couple of children might be chosen to be published so imagine our surprise when the letter came saying they liked our poems so much they were publishing all of them! Well done Year 3, I can't wait to see what you write next.



Miss Crang

DESIGN YOUR OWN T-SHIRT COMPETITION FOR WORLD BOOK DAY

The School Library Service are excited to announce a new competition for World Book Day 2022!! A fun opportunity for pupils, from Foundation to Key Stage 3, to get creative and demonstrate their artistic talents.

The overall winner from each age group will receive a t-shirt printed with their winning design.

Please see the flyer and t-shirt template attached in the bullet email for full details or visit their website [Babcock LDP - T-shirt Competition 2022](#)

Have fun and good luck!



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LEARNING LEAVES

CLASS 1

Zoe Stevens - For great work on her tricky words in phonics and using her phonics to help spell new words in her writing. Well done!

Kendle Weeks - For using the appropriate mathematical vocabulary to explain how she identified heavy and light objects. Well done!

CLASS 2

Alistair Wych - Excellent behaviour - completely off the chart!

Max Alexander - Excellent behaviour all week - Star of the Week twice!

CLASS 3 (C)

Myah Payne - For her brilliant effort while learning from home. I am so impressed by your attitude to learning and look forward to having you back in class.

CLASS 3 (M)

Poppy Alexander - For always putting 100% effort into all that she does. Her determination to better herself inspires others to follow in her footsteps. Well done, Poppy! Keep it up!

CLASS 4

Healey Hale-Westcott - For his excellent English work on planning an Explorers Guide to the Sahara Desert.

Paige Simmons - For her work on mapping extreme weather places around the world - creative and excellent presentation.

SPECIAL MENTIONS

CLASS 1

Special mention to Jessica Payne for her effort with learning this week.

CLASS 2

Special mention and well done to those children who made excellent maps this week.

CLASS 3 (C)

Special mention Paige Hutchings for doing her best to help her classmates when they are upset - she is a true friend.

CLASS 3 (M)

Special mention to Ollie Veen for always encouraging the class (including his teachers) to sing loud and clear every morning when doing our times tables songs. It wouldn't be the same without you!

CLASS 4

Special mention to Hannah Slade for all the enthusiastic help she gives around the classroom.



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GOLDEN MILE

It has been a fantastic week for Golden Mile. I am very happy with the progress and enthusiasm that has remained high this term.

KS1

1st - Class 1 (First time to win the trophy!)
2nd - Class 2

KS2

1st - Class 4
2nd - Class 3M
3rd - Class 3C



I would like to announce that Bolham Primary School have been challenged by Kingston St Mary Primary School. Kingston St Mary have even taken a look at your school website to see what they are up against!

For the remainder of this half term all classes and the progress they make will go to the total score and is being compared to Kingston's.

We will announce the winner the week before half term.

Mr Hodge





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KEYBOARD LESSONS CANCELLED

Due to unforeseen circumstances, our new keyboard teacher, Mandy Grant, will be unable to start lessons at the end of January. Hopefully we will be able to welcome Mandy into school in the not too distant future and apologies for any upset this may cause.



PREMIER EDUCATION TAUNTON HOLIDAY CAMP

Monday 21st February
Wilcombe Primary School, Tiverton
EX16 4AL

MULTI-SPORTS ACTIVITY DAY



Some of our Sports:

- Dodgeball**- Working as a team, children will work together to try and hit the other team with their dodgeballs!
- Nerf Games**- Children will be split into teams where they will build unbreakable forts to take cover from the other teams!
- Football**- One of the more classic sports we run. Children will be put in teams to play a 5-aside tournament.
- Team building**- Children will be put into various teams where they will work together to complete challenges.



£15 ALL DAY!

9:30am-3:00pm

Please bring lunch and lots of soft drinks!
Please wear casual clothes/sports kit.

How to book:

Online- www.premier-education.com
Call Andrew- 07776 108281



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