



# The Bolham Bullet

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Good afternoon and welcome to this week's Bullet.

Our NSPCC assembly was successful this week, and all of our children have been taught the 'Speak out, stay safe' message. We will also have information up around school to remind children how to ask for help should they need it.

Well done to our Y5/6 tennis players who attended a training session at Tiverton High School yesterday. They were the first pupils to wear our new kit, kindly donated by Safesmart - we definitely looked the part, and their behaviour was impeccable. Well done to them all and their captain, Jenson.

Next Tuesday, our Year 3s will travel on the minibus to Westpoint Arena which is hosting the annual Farmwise event - this is always a really fun day where children can see farm animals and machinery, and develop a greater understanding of where their food comes from and how it is produced.

Next Thursday, we have a trip for all of our Year 5s and 6s to Blundell's School. This was postponed from last term and promises to be an exciting day of science and PE! Children are required to wear smart PE kit, and lunch / transport will be provided by Blundell's.

Next Friday, we have our Harvest celebration, and from Monday, we are asking for any donations towards the CHAT foodbank please. The following link gives ideas of what is needed:  
[Donate Items | CHAT \(chatmid.org\)](https://www.chatmid.org)

Following on from our Harvest celebration in the morning, we will be holding our first ever Apple Day. In their house teams, children will be able to have a go at apple pressing, making apple cakes, apple printing and autumn art inspired by Andy Goldsworthy. (PE will continue as usual in the afternoon for KS2).

It sounds like an action-packed week ahead!

Have a lovely weekend!

Mrs Sarah Milne  
Headteacher

## DIARY DATES

- Farmwise Trip (Year 3) -**  
10<sup>th</sup> October
- Blundell's Trip (Year 5/6) -**  
12<sup>th</sup> October
- Harvest Festival (children only) -** 13<sup>th</sup> October
- Parents Evening -** 16<sup>th</sup> October
- Bovington Trip (Year 5/6) -**  
18<sup>th</sup> October
- Parents Evening -** 18<sup>th</sup> October
- FoBS Halloween Disco -**  
19<sup>th</sup> October
  
- October Half Term -** 20<sup>th</sup>-  
27<sup>th</sup> October (Non pupil day  
Friday)
  
- Tempest Photography -**  
24<sup>th</sup> November
- Christmas Fayre -** 8<sup>th</sup>  
December
- Christmas Performance  
(Evening) -** 14<sup>th</sup> December
- End of Term -** 15<sup>th</sup>  
December
  
- Spring Term Starts -** 4<sup>th</sup>  
January 2024
- FoBS Valentine Disco -** 8<sup>th</sup>  
February
- February Half Term -** 12<sup>th</sup>  
-16<sup>th</sup> February 2024
- End of Spring Term -** 28<sup>th</sup>  
March 2024
- Start of Summer Term -**  
15<sup>th</sup> April 2024
- May Half Term -** 27<sup>th</sup> May  
-31<sup>st</sup> May
- End of Summer Term -**  
24<sup>th</sup> July 2024



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## BUILDING LEARNING POWERS - FOR ABSORPTION

### CLASS 1

Matthew

### CLASS 2

Freya

Caleb

### CLASS 3

Rose

Harrison

### CLASS 4C

Aria

### CLASS 4

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## SPECIAL MENTIONS

### CLASS 1

Special mention to Roxy for being fantastic this week - helpful and kind to both adults and children, trying hard and encouraging others.

### CLASS 2

Special mention to Kendle and Caleb for helping with the lunch menu.

### CLASS 3

Special mention to Alice for quietly looking after her Year 3 peers by reminding them of instructions and next steps.

### CLASS 4C

Special mention to Charley-Mae for her brilliant presentation in all her books.

### CLASS 4

Special mention to Josh for the excellent progress he has made with his writing.



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## MATHS 99 CLUB

Congratulations to those children who achieved the following badges this week:

33 Club
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George
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## SPORTS KIT

I am delighted to say that Bolham has won a set of Sports kit, kindly donated by Safesmart (our health and safety compliance operator).

Mr Gareth Hughes visited our older children in assembly, and our sports leaders can be seen modelling the new kit! Thank you very much, we will look very smart at the events that we attend!





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## CLASS ONE

In Class One we have been developing our fine motor skills. We painted a swirly pattern with small/fine paintbrushes and had to be really careful when we came to the black lines. It took us 3 days as we didn't want the paint to run into each other. We think they look great and Mrs Worthington is going to put them up on the wall outside Class One.



## DEVON SCHOOL ADMISSIONS

A reminder that the secondary school applications for Year 7 places **closes on the 31<sup>st</sup> October.**

The Devon County Council webpage with more information can be found here:

[www.devon.gov.uk/admissionsonline](http://www.devon.gov.uk/admissionsonline)

The easiest way to apply is online by visiting [www.devon.gov.uk/admissionsonline](http://www.devon.gov.uk/admissionsonline) If you don't wish to or can't apply online, you can also complete a hard copy application form which can be obtained by calling 0345 155 1019.

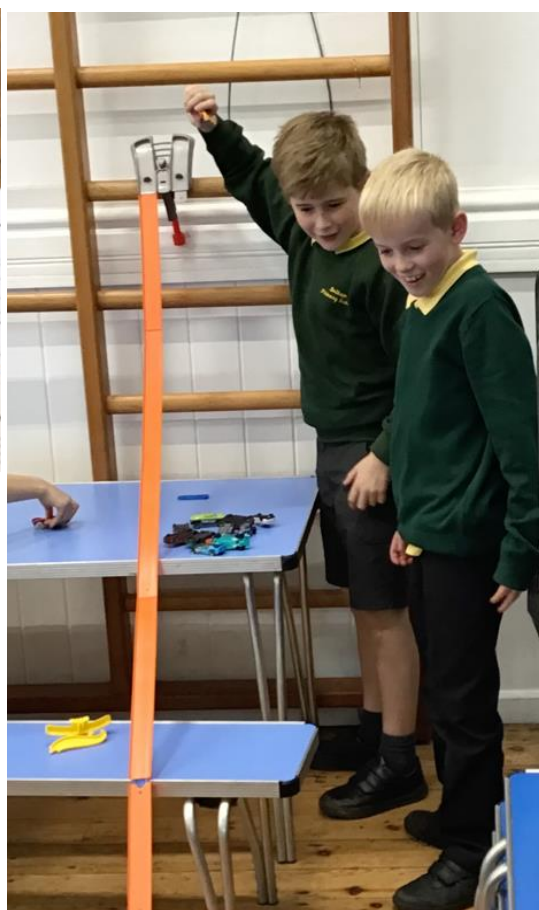


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## BOLHAM BEES AFTER SCHOOL CLUB

This week at Bolham Bees after school club we have been making pizzas, making autumn crafts and enjoying playing with the toys.





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Willow Tree   
**DANCE & THEATRE ARTS**  
 presents  
**SHREK**  
**The Musical**  
 Based on the DreamWorks Animation Motion Picture  
 and the book by William Steig

**The New Hall**  
**BARRINGTON STREET, TIVERTON**  
**17TH - 22ND OCT**  
**2023**

ADULTS £14. CONCESSION £9  
 FAMILY 2 X ADULTS 2 X KIDS £40  
 TICKETS AT TICKET SOURCE [WWW.TICKETSOURCE.CO.UK](http://WWW.TICKETSOURCE.CO.UK)  
 AND TWYFORD PRINT BAMPTON STREET.

PERFORMANCES  
 TUES TO FRI 7.30PM  
 SAT 2.30PM & 7.30PM. SUN 1PM & 5 PM

INFORMATION@WILLOWTREEANDTHEATREARTS.COM  
 WWW.WILLOWTREEANDTHEATREARTS.COM  
 TEL: 07476 917416

Book and Lyrics by David Lindsay-Abaire. Originally produced on Broadway by DreamWorks Theatricals and Neal Street Productions.  
 Music by Jennie Tesori. This amateur production is presented by arrangement with Music Theatre International  
 All authorised performance materials are also supplied by MTI [WWW.MTISHOWS.CO.UK](http://WWW.MTISHOWS.CO.UK)



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## Newsletter

### LET'S FACE SOME ISSUES!

Wednesday  
18th Oct  
18:30 - 19:30  
FREE



**FREE SESSION**  
Family Meetings:  
Why and How

Monday  
2nd Oct  
18:30 - 20:30  
£24



**Understanding  
the Teenage Brain**  
Why teens think, feel and behave  
differently from adults

Monday  
23rd Oct  
18:30 - 20:30  
£24



**Understanding Anger**  
Yours and theirs - what is anger, why  
do we feel it and how can we manage  
it?

Thursday  
26th Oct  
18:30 - 20:30  
£24



**Supporting a Child with ADHD**  
interactive session explaining what ADHD is  
and offering a range of interventions that can  
make lasting differences.

[facefamilyadvice.co.uk](http://facefamilyadvice.co.uk)

[info@facefamilyadvice.co.uk](mailto:info@facefamilyadvice.co.uk)

## Anxiety Explained

Do you, or your children (especially your teens) suffer from anxiety?  
Would you like to know what anxiety is and gain some  
understanding on how to manage it?



A two-hour online talk delivered by  
Jane Keyworth, Lead Facilitator at FACE  
on 19th October (6:30pm to 8:30pm) £24

**Available to book now [facefamilyadvice.co.uk](http://facefamilyadvice.co.uk)**