

Friday 14th June 2024

## Mrs Perry-Hodge's weekly update

Continuing our 'Looking Forward, Looking Back' termly theme, this week our EYFS have continued their pre-historic learning, finding out about stegosaurus, diplodocus, fossils (what they are and what we can learn from them) and volcanoes. Their week has been very much dinosaur themed with 'Drawing Club' and 'Book Club' all based on dinosaur stories. Ask your children what they have learnt and you might be surprised at their knowledge!

Year ones have continued their medieval learning, inspired by their trip last week. They have read stories set in castles; learnt about tournaments and knights, and produced some fantastic writing recounting their trip and learning; writing diary entries as knights and invitations to tournaments. As well as medieval history, they have learnt about some significant local figures: the cricketer, W G Grace, the Cave and the Fry families.

Our year twos have been discovering history slightly further afield in Bristol with a fantastic trip to the M-Shed to begin this learning. At the museum, they enjoyed a practical workshop on 'Ships and Sailors', including learning about the jobs on ship and testing skills, such as knot tying as well as walking around the museum and viewing various exhibits. Some of these related to ships and voyages from the port of Bristol and some related back to learning in the autumn term, such as the section on slavery and seeing the Colston statue, now in the museum, as well as exhibits and footage of Bristol during the two world wars. Thank you again to our parent helpers.

**Please remember that next week is sports week and children need to be in PE kits each day. Friends of School have purchased coloured bibs so this year, there is no need to look for a T-shirt to represent your child's team. Thank you FOS!**



### Our Three Golden Rules

*We are respectful.*

*We are ready to learn.*

*We walk proudly.*

**Our 'Star Learners' are selected each week for outstanding behaviour and attitudes**, having demonstrated our three rules at all points and been 'the best that we can be'. A huge well done and thank you to -

**Finley W (Dolphins)**

**Lylie (Leopards)**

**Emmie (Penguins)**

**Beau (Lions)**

**Georgia (Zebras)**

**Jacob T (Giraffes)**

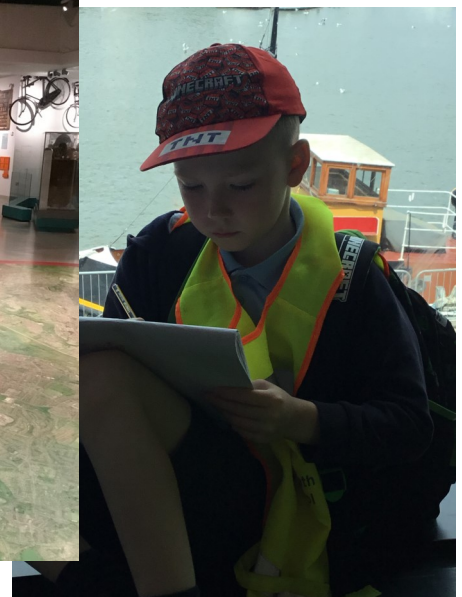


The following children have been recognised as having been working especially hard this week to be 'the best that we can be'. Our Bromley Bears support children in developing personal attributes, with the aim of making successful lifelong learners.

| <u>Giraffe class</u>      | <u>Zebra class</u>               | <u>Lion class</u>         | <u>Penguin class</u>          | <u>Leopard class</u>      | <u>Dolphin class</u>              |
|---------------------------|----------------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Ibrahim<br>Work Well Bear | Euan<br>Understand Others Bear   | Samuel<br>Improve Bear    | Bo<br>Challenge Yourself Bear | Amber<br>Concentrate Bear | Emily D<br>Understand Others Bear |
| Rosie<br>Improve Bear     | Timmy<br>Challenge Yourself Bear | Darcey<br>Keep Going Bear | Jasper<br>Work Well Bear      | Edie K<br>Work Well Bear  | Elliot Ri<br>Concentrate Bear     |



*Year two trip to the M-Shed*





## SPORTING SUCCESS!

### *Festival of Youth Sport*

A HUGE thank you to the children who took part in the Festival of Youth Sport on Saturday; your team work was highly praised and many of you have attended multiple sports festivals, representing your school proudly each time. Thank you also to the ever-dedicated Mrs Warren and Mrs James who organised and attended.



### *Mangotsfield and Downend (MAD) Olympiad*

Yesterday, our year twos competed at the MAD Olympiad against twenty other teams. We were very proud of the great teamwork, effort and skill that all of the children showcased.

As will be the case on 'Sports Day', they started with a round-robin of activities, needing different skills, to score points for their team. Both classes scored the maximum marks available. After the team event, there were individual races. Our Dolphin relay team won a very close silver medal (the gold and silver final leg runners crossing the line a millisecond apart); Elliot Ru made the sprint final; Isaiah won gold for the 'Egg and Spoon', and Solly won silver. Points were awarded and then added to the earlier scores and we all waited hopefully for the final prizes ... Leopard class took overall bronze and Dolphin class won gold!



## Wrap Around Care

Koala club is available for booking for all year groups - please use the Arbor app to book (if full, there will be no option to book and in this instance, please contact the school). This runs from 7:45 for breakfast and until 6pm for tea club.



## After school clubs for term six are available now to book

Tuesday: Rec, Year 1 & 2 = Ball games

Wednesday: Rec, Year 1 & 2 = Multi-Sports

Thursday: Rec, Year 1 & 2 = Summer Games

Friday: Rec, Year 1 & 2 = Dance



Please note that Tues/Wed/Thurs Signature Sports clubs will start first week of term. Fri Dance Club will start second week back due to the inset on Friday 7th June.

All bookings can be made via our website [www.signaturesportscoaching.co.uk](http://www.signaturesportscoaching.co.uk)



Our Art club, run by local artist Catherine Williams, takes place on Mondays, starting 3rd June, for children in year one and two, and will run for seven weeks.

The cost for the club is £5 a session so £35 for the term for seven sessions (this cost includes all materials).

There will be a maximum of 15 children for this club, and they will take part in a different project each week that they will complete and take home; these change each term.

To book, please contact Catherine Williams using the following email:

[catherinewilliamsprintmaker@gmail.com](mailto:catherinewilliamsprintmaker@gmail.com) address or by calling 07966 328525 for details.

Her website is <http://www.catherinewilliams.co.uk/the-artist/>



Robotics Club will start again in Term 1 for Year 1 and 2 children—more details to follow closer to the end of Term 6



**Fun Science After School Club at Bromley Heath Infants - Term 6 23/24**

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[bath@fun-science.org.uk](mailto:bath@fun-science.org.uk) or call 07708214840.

*Please visit <https://fun-science.org.uk/fun-science-terms-and-conditions/> to view our terms and conditions before booking.*



Many thanks,  
Fun Science



## DATES FOR DIARIES

|                           |                                                                                                                           |
|---------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>Friday 14th June</b>   | <b>Friends of School Summer Fayre</b><br><br><b>3.30pm until 6pm</b><br><br><b>NEW DATE TO BE CONFIRMED IN DUE COURSE</b> |
| <b>Monday 17th June</b>   | <b>Sports week</b><br><br><b>Tuesday 18th (PM) - sport day; reserve - Wednesday 19th June (PM)</b>                        |
| <b>Tuesday 25th June</b>  | <b>Lion class to 'Vintage Adventure' - community event</b>                                                                |
| <b>Thursday 27th June</b> | <b>Reflection spaces (theme of transition and change) - Y2 with the Christchurch Team</b>                                 |
| <b>Wednesday 3rd July</b> | <b>Committee and Full Governing Board Meetings</b>                                                                        |
| <b>Tuesday 16th July</b>  | <b>Year two performance</b>                                                                                               |
| <b>Tuesday 23rd July</b>  | <b>End of T6</b>                                                                                                          |



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