

27th May 2022



Dear Parents/Carers

Firstly, I would like to thank the 'Friends of Bacton' for all of their hard work and putting on such a lovely Jubilee event on Thursday afternoon for our children and families. It was brilliant to see everyone back together again and having such fun- the cakes were amazing! Thank you to everyone who attended!

On Tuesday, Reception, Year 1, Year 2 and Year 5 all went on their school trips. They all had a fantastic time and were even complimented about how well behaved they were by staff at the different venues. It was so lovely to see them all returning to school with big smiles on their faces. While these year groups were out enjoying their trips, Years 3, 4 and 6 participated in a Jubilee themed day where they worked together in teams to complete different activities, and went out to celebrate the Torch Relay, cheering as the torch passed through Bacton.

Thank you for your ongoing support this term- I hope you have a wonderful, restful half term and we look forward to seeing you all back after the break.

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Head of School

Lost Property Sale

Thank you to all who supported our lost property sale. If you have not already done so, we would be grateful to receive a donation.

Extreme Reader Display

The children (and staff) are now proudly displayed in the library. It would be lovely to see this extended over time. If your child would like to be part of it, please send a photo in to the office.



Redgrave & Lopham Fen

On Tuesday, Year 5 had a fantastic trip to Redgrave and Lopham Fen.

We explored a variety of living things and their habitats; from creating our own nature reserves to capturing and identifying lots of different insects and even pond dipping!



Sports Tokens EADT

During half term there will be bonus tokens in the East Anglian Daily Times/Ipswich Star on Friday 3rd June there will be 8 and further 8 on Saturday 4th June. Please look out for these and ask family and neighbours to collect these for the school.



Jubilee Display

The children have taken part in making a display in the Church. Please visit and see the wonderful work the children have completed.

Year 2

Year 2 have loved watching the caterpillars pupate and become butterflies. They released the painted lady butterflies and watched them fly away, after writing some fantastic explanations about the life cycles of moths and butterflies.

Did you know that Eric Carle got it wrong when he wrote about the 'Very Hungry Caterpillar'? Only moths make a cocoon.

Banham Zoo

Reception thoroughly enjoyed their trip to Banham Zoo this week. We saw lots of different species and even got to hold some too! The children were all extremely well behaved and were a credit to the school. Well done Robins!



House Points

The total house points for this term are as follows:

- 1st – Red - 125
- 2nd – Blue - 96
- 3rd – Yellow - 74
- 4th – Green - 71

Congratulations

Red Team for being the winners this Week

Times Tables Rockstars

The most improvement in speed this week is: -

- 1st – Mason - 2.48 seconds
- 2nd – Layla – 2.32 seconds
- 3rd – Riley – 2.26 seconds
- 4th – Aiden – 2.18 seconds
- 5th – Charlie & Leo – 2 seconds

A big WELL DONE to Mason for all his hard work on speeding up. Keep up the good work.

Can you beat Mason next week?

Lunch Menu

Week Commencing 6th June 2022

Monday Monday

Traffic Light Pizza/Vegetable Chilli & Nachos/
Jacket Potato
Jam Roly Poly & Custard

Tuesday

Beef Lasagne/Macaroni Cheese/Jacket Potato
Apple Pie & Ice Cream

Wednesday

Roast Gammon & Pineapple/Roasted Summer
Vegetable Gratin
Ice Cream

Thursday

Smokey Joe Chicken/Vegetable & Bean
Loaf/Jacket Potato
Eton Mess Cheesecake

Friday

Battered Fillet of Fish/Vegan Sausage Roll
Chocolate Brownie

Super Learners

Our Super learners this week are: -

- Reception – Connor
- Year 1 – Rebecca
- Year 2 – Zoe
- Year 3 – Ivan
- Year 4 – Mason
- Year 5 – Emily
- Year 6 – Mia

**Congratulations to you all
keep up the good work**

Super Learner Bacton Behaviours Certificates

- Reception – Freddie
- Year 1 – George
- Year 2 – Tommy
- Year 3 – Amiah
- Year 4 – Riley & Kacie
- Year 5 – Logan H
- Year 6 – Ewan

Well done to you all for being kind to others.

Key Dates: 21/22

Year 3 to Stowmarket Food Museum: 9th June

Year 6 Bikeability: 14th to 17th June

Sports Day: Wednesday 22nd June @ 1:00pm

Class Group Photos: Monday 27th June

Year 6 Residential: 6th to 8th July

Leavers Assembly: Thursday 21st July @ 9:30am

Last Day of Term: Thursday 21st July

Pupils Back in School: Monday 5th September

Attendance This Week

As we know, good attendance at school supports pupils' attainment and well-being, this is especially important following the year of partial school closures.

- Robin: 94.8%
- Finch: 98.5%
- Kingfisher: 94.4%
- Woodpecker: 88.1%
- Kestrel: 97.5%
- Owl: 89.2%
- Eagle: 85.8%

Congratulations

Well done Finch Class for the best attendance this week