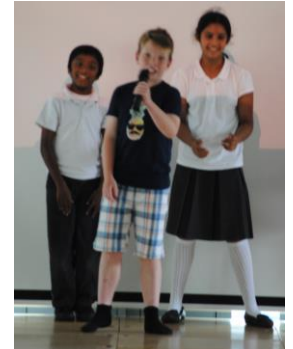




Boxgrove
Primary
School
& Children's Centre



NEWSLETTER
7 July 2017



AN UPDATE FROM MRS FITCH AND MRS STACEY

Our focus for this week has been for 'Showing a love of learning'. We are sure that when you read your child/ren's report this evening, you will celebrate their achievements this year with them.

SWAP UP MORNING AND MEET THE TEACHER OPPORTUNITY – The children will have an opportunity to meet their new classteacher during the morning of **Wednesday, 12 July 2017** and parents/carers can also meet the teachers after school (3:30pm – 5:30pm) on this day. You will find your child/ren's new teacher in the classroom they will be based in for the Academic Year 2017 – 2018. Notification of which class your child/ren will be in, will be sent home via your child on Tuesday evening.

DISTRICT SPORTS - Monday saw our Key Stage 2 sports team compete at Guildford Spectrum in a range of track and field events. The children gave their all and showed great sportsmanship, not only to each other, but also to the other local schools they were competing against. Well done everyone on achieving second place. Thank you also to our Sports Team in preparing the children for this event and also to all our parents/carers who came along and cheered the children along.

VOLUNTEER THANK YOU ASSEMBLY - It was lovely to see so many of our volunteers join us to celebrate all they do in school to support the children. We hope you enjoyed it. On behalf of the staff and children **THANK YOU.**

YEAR 3 ACTIVITY DAY AND SLEEPOVER - On Friday the children had a great start to their special 'in school' activity day and sleepover. They spent time in our Forest School making fires and den building. The highlight for them however is their sleepover at school this evening. The staff are hopeful of an early night!

BOXGROVE'S GOT TALENT (BGT) – Well done Finlay, JJ and Toby on being the first of our BGT's winners. The standard of performances was equal to that of Britain's Got Talent and each and every one of the finalists should feel proud of making it to the final. Special thanks to Oli; Mrs Fitch is still singing Pineapple, Apple, Pen! We look forward to our Early Years, Years 1 and 2 and Years 3 and 4 performances next week.

YEAR 6 FIVER CHALLENGE - The Year 6's have risen to the challenge of raising money for charity from an initial start-up of £5. Friday saw the school turn into an entrepreneur's paradise. The children competed against each other to see who could raise as much money as possible. There was a wide range of stalls/activities which the wider school could visit. A particular favourite was the ice cream smoothie stall – we wonder why. We will let you know next week how much money they raised.

BPTA BBQ – We hope you enjoyed the BBQ on Friday evening. Thank you to Clare and her merry team of helpers. What a lovely relaxed evening and thankfully the rain didn't materialise.

SOCIAL MEDIA – Please can we remind all parents/carers that if you take any photographs, at any of our school events, that these should not appear on any social media sites. We thank you for your support in this matter.

BPTA CIRCUS – We look forward to sharing this event with many of you next Thursday, 13 July 2017.

Next week our focus will be for 'Challenging Yourself And Others'

STAR LEARNERS OF THE WEEK AWARDS

For Showing A Love Of Learning

Year 1:	Tilly G, Isaac H, Daniel A, George P, Naomi L, Lucas L
Year 2:	Thomas T, Alise L, Philip T, Sophie C, Sofia W, Marco D
Year 3:	Flora B, Jack T, Alana A, Eva K, Mattie J, Isabella A
Year 4:	Daisy P, Ben F, Richard D, Sophie F, Harry E, Isabelle B
Year 5:	Isabel K, Ben C, Charlotte A, Pia C, Michael L, Anya K
Year 6	Ben A, Sophie VDW, George W, Malika K

EVENTS NEXT WEEK

Week Commencing: **10 July 2017**

NO SCHOOL RUN CLUBS ARE ON

Monday:

Tuesday:

Reception performance for new Reception intake 2017 – 9:30 – 10:00 – Kent Hall

Wednesday: Swap Up Day

Early Years, Year 1 & Year 2 – BGT Finals – 1:30pm – 3:00pm – Kent Hall

Meet the Teacher – 3:30pm – 5:30pm

Thursday

BPTA Circus – picnic from 3:30pm – tent opens at 5:30pm

Friday:

Years 3 & 4 BGT – Final- 9:30am– 11:00pm – Kent Hall

UPDATES FROM THE CHILDREN/CHILDREN CENTRE

KEY STAGE 1 / Children's Centre

Children Centre

What's on at the Children's Centre?

As the end of term approaches, with all groups in full swing, thoughts start to turn to the programme of activities for the Summer Holidays. We offer 5 weeks with a range of activities for 0-4year olds. The programme will be published later this month on the website and sent to our registered families. If you know of a family with children under 5 who may benefit from our service, please pass on our contact details. Please note that the baby weighing clinic will still take place on Tuesdays 11:00am - 12.30pm. On the website, we also put up flash announcements of group closures or changes, notably due to weather or staff sickness, so do check before you set out. We look forward to welcoming some of you at the Centre soon. Please visit our website (www.boxgrovechildrenscentre.co.uk) or call the Centre on 01483 540818 for full details of our services.

KEY STAGE 2

Year 5

This week in Year 5 we have continued our English work on Street Child and have been written diary entries from the perspective of Jim, Emily and Lizzie. We have worked hard on making sure our writing has lots of emotive language. We looked at factors and prime numbers in Maths and had a wonderful time being entertained at the BGT KS2 final.

MESSAGE FROM GROVERS

Grovers would like to remind all parents / carers that all payments due should be made by Monday, 10 July 2017. If payment is not made by Monday, Grovers will assume your child(ren's) place for September is no longer required and the place will be given to someone else.

HOLIDAY CLUB AT CHRIST CHURCH

You are invited to 'Treasure Seekers'- A Pirate Holiday Club for Years Reception to Year 6 from Wednesday, 26 July – Sunday, 30 July. The club is for 5 days of High Seas Adventures, games, crafts and fun! Please visit www.christchurchguildford.com for more information and to sign up on line. Christ Church, Waterden Road, Guildford. ALL ARE WELCOME!

MESSAGES FROM THE SCHOOL OFFICE

LETTERS / EMAILS SENT OUT

All – Thursday weekly communication
All – Details regarding School Reports
All – School Reports

PAYMENTS DUE/OUTSTANDING PAYMENTS:

Please all outstanding payments be paid as soon as possible. Any queries please contact the School Office.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

If dates are in red – they are new dates

If dates are in green – they are amended or deleted dates

2017

11 July Reception performance for new 2017 intake – 9:30am – 10:00am – Kent Hall
12 July Early Years, Year 1 & Year 2 – BGT Finals – 1:30pm – 3:00pm – Kent Hall
12 July **Meet the Teacher – 3:30pm – 5:30pm**
13 July BPTA Circus – picnic from 3:30pm – tent opens at 5:30pm
14 July Years 3 & 4 BGT - Final- 9:30am– 11:00pm – Kent Hall
17 July **Reception performance for current Reception parents – 1:30pm – 2:30pm – Kent Hall**
19 July Rock Steady Concert – 10:30am – 11:00am – Kent Hall
19 July Year 6 Leavers Assembly – more details to follow
21 July School Closes at 1:10pm for Summer Holiday
4 September Inservice Day – School Closed for Pupils
5 September Inservice Day – School Closed for Pupils
6 September School Re-opens for Pupils
23-27 October Half Term
19 October **Individual School Photo**
15 November Years 1, 2, 3 & 4 – Nasal Flu Vaccination
25 November BPTA Christmas Fair 12midday – 4:00pm
20 December School Closes at 1:10pm
21 December Inservice Day – School Closed for Pupils

2018

4 January Inservice Day – School Closed for children
5 January School Re-opens for Pupils
12-16 February Half Term
14 March **Class photos**
29 March School Closes at 1:10pm for Easter Holidays
16 April School Re-opens for pupils
25 April **Whole School photo**
7 May Bank Holiday – School Closed
28 May – 1 June Half Term
4 July Inservice Day – School Closed for children
20 July School Closes at 1:10pm for Summer Holidays
23 July Inservice Day – School Closed for children