



## *'Buckminster Bites'*

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### Dates for your diary

Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> March -

Swimming Year 1 2 & 3

Easter Service Buckminster Church 2.15 pm

Please bring a flower for the cross. All children not in After School Club to be collected from the Church.

End of Term. Returning April 9th

Monday 9<sup>th</sup> April -

**NO BOOK BAGS TOMORROW PLEASE**

School opens

### **Goodbye Mrs Thompson**

This week we say goodbye to Biba Thompson. Biba has worked in school as a teaching assistant for nine years and has been a valued member of staff and a great support to so many children. We will all miss her and wish her well as she embarks on the next chapter of her life.



You are amazing Mrs Thompson, thank you for everything.



### Speed - Kick

Thank you to everyone who has brought back their sponsor form and money. The final total has not been counted yet but we are incredibly appreciative of the amounts you have been bringing into school.

The children (and staff) had a great time trying to beat each other's speeds; all winners will be presented with medals in a special assembly after Easter along with trophies being awarded to those who raised £25 or more.



Our Chair of Governors, Jon Watchorn



Keian giving it a good go!

### **Easter Bonnet Parade and Vehicle Races**



Well done to everyone who took part in the Bonnet Parade; there were so many colourful and creative hats.

The vehicle races were a hit in the afternoon. Children had obviously put a lot of time and thought into their creations. Well done to everyone who took part and to the winners from each class.



*Please can we ask for each  
child to bring in a flower to  
lay at the cross for the  
Easter Service, Friday 23<sup>rd</sup>  
March*

### School Nurse Drop In

Unfortunately due to staff shortages, the School Nurse Drop in afternoons will be cancelled until further notice. If you have any questions, please contact the Advice Line 0300 3000 007, call the team direct on 0116 215 3252 or in an emergency only call 999

Thank you

#### **Date for next term:**

- 17<sup>th</sup> April - Year5/6 Tag Rugby Tournament in Oakham
- 2<sup>nd</sup> May - KS1 Athletics afternoon in Melton
- 9<sup>th</sup> May - Carl Smith (Principal at Casterton College) to meet Yr4 & 5 parents and children 3.20pm
- 11<sup>th</sup> May - Whole Class Photos
- 12<sup>th</sup> May - Foundation Stage 1&2 Family Assembly 2.45pm
- 14<sup>th</sup> May - Year 6 SATs week
- 22<sup>nd</sup> May - Year5/6 Netball Tournament
- 22<sup>nd</sup> May - Year 2 Residential to Rand Farm (one night)
- 24<sup>th</sup> May - Year 5&6 to BMFA (Model Flying Club) for a DT day
- 25<sup>th</sup> June - Year 3&4 Family Assembly
- 8<sup>th</sup> June - Year 1&2 Family Assembly
- 20<sup>th</sup> June - Year 3&4 Mini Olympics (Inspire+)
- 22<sup>nd</sup> June - Year 5 Family Assembly
- 23<sup>rd</sup> June - Summer Fete
- 29<sup>th</sup> June - Vale Sports Day - TBC
- 3<sup>rd</sup> July - Sports Day
- 10<sup>th</sup> July - Reserve Sports Day
- 11<sup>th</sup> July - Year 6 Leaver's Evening 6.30pm

From all the staff, we wish you a happy and peaceful Easter break.



We received this from Belton Woods if anyone is interested please contact them directly:-

Dear Parent/Guardian

We are going to run a couple of **FREE JUNIOR GOLF SESSIONS** at the Belton Woods Golf Academy during the Easter School holidays. The first one is on **Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> April at 11am – 12pm** and the second on **Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> April at 11 am to 12pm**

I would like to invite your child/children to take part in this fun introduction to golf and as we'd love for as many children to try the game as possible, they are welcome to bring as many friends as they like.

The FUEL junior golf programme we run at Belton Woods focuses on developing well rounded human beings that are fantastic athletes and love playing golf. We try to do this in a child friendly environment where your child is encouraged to play, meet new friends, have fun, and learn all about golf. The Free session will be run based on our FUEL junior programme.

For more information about the programme or to register for the free session please contact Iain at [ifulton@ghotelsgolfacademies.co.uk](mailto:ifulton@ghotelsgolfacademies.co.uk) or call 07810 486162

Your child does not need any equipment, they just need to be prepared for physical activity and ready to have fun.

Kind regards

*Iain Fulton*

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GOLF ACADEMIES



# The King



## and the big surprise

### Easter Holiday Club

Free!

for children 5-11 years old

Bible stories, games, songs, craft, quizzes

Free!

Wed 4th—Fri 6th April

10.00am to 12.00noon

at Market Overton Village Hall

Family lunch on Friday

Places limited: register online by March 31st

[www.mofc.org.uk](http://www.mofc.org.uk)

**Organised by Market Overton Free Church**

For more info. contact Rev Peter Rush 01572 767383

All leaders DBS checked