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Certificates

In our assembly this week certificates were awarded to:

Alisha Daniel, Amelia Dapling,

Jacob Bowler-Druce, Peaches Forster,
Sapphire Childerley, Summer Comer, Nick
Watt, Hannah Hughes and India Teague.

Happy Birthday!

Tom Nolan

Club 59

Congratulations to Sarah Gibson who won on 30th January and Luke Day who won on 6th February. This should help him get his wife some lovely flowers for Valentines Day!

Internet Safety Day We enjoyed celebrating safer internet day through a number of different fun activities this week. The theme this year was 'making the internet a positive place' and the children have thought of some fun and exciting ways to help the internet be an enjoyable and great place to be for everyone.

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A Message from Mrs Denham

Thank you so much to the parents and families who have been parking away from the school site thereby helping to ensure that the children can leave the school safely. Please continue to support us with this issue.

We are so proud of our school and all that we do. It is always a pleasure to hear about the children's achievements when out of school, during sporting events, on residential, on trips and visits. We nearly always have strangers commenting on the children's good behaviour and attitudes - what a very special thing to hear.

I have had several parents recently ask me about school uniform as they have noticed that a few children are coming into school not in the complete uniform - and their children were wanting to follow suit! When all the children are gathered together those not in the correct uniform stand out. Please can we request that unless black school shoes are broken, trainers are NOT worn. If a child needs to wear them to school, could a note be sent into the class teacher explaining how long the trainers will need to be worn for. Also, children should be in a royal blue top - preferably the school sweatshirt. If this is a problem, please come the school office and we will try and help!

Many thanks for your support with this. We want our children to be proud of their uniform and belonging to Bratton Fleming family.

Notices

Class Caen If your child has taken home Sunny the Meerkat and you have any pictures please if possible email them to the office. admin@bratton-fleming-primary.devon.uk.sch.uk

School Council Announcement: Well done to the Otters (green) House group who have collected the most reward tokens this half term. As a reward, any children who are in the Otters are having a non-uniform day on Monday 22nd February (1st day back after half term).

Sports for Schools: Thank you to everyone who has returned sponsorship forms and money after Dan James's visit to the school. This has been all sent away and we hope to receive prizes ready for when we return after half term.

Inspirational Assembly 3: A big thank you to Louise Hughes who came in on Wednesday to talk to the children about life as a member of the British Airways Cabin Crew. The children were really inspired and even got chance to dress up and perform the safety talk before they took off!



Our P.T.A

Thank you to everyone who was involved or who donated items for yesterday's 2nd Hand Uniform Stall and Cake Sale. We raised £33.00 for school funds.

Forthcoming events.....

Easter Fun Day: will be held on the afternoon of Saturday 2nd April 2.00pm-5.00pm. This was a great success last year making over £700 for school funds and much fun was had by all, young or old. Please can we have LOTS of Easter Egg donations..... we ran out of eggs last year!

Table Top Sale: Please note that this has been postponed and will now be held on Saturday 23rd April in the village hall. The event has been postponed due to a lack of interest but it will now go ahead as part of the monthly Farmers' Market and should hopefully therefore attract both more table hire bookings and potential customers. Table hire will still cost £5 and all proceeds will still go to the PTA. Please contact Frances (07751454906 or francesruthmortlock@gmail.com) if you would like to hire a table. If you have already previously booked one, please let me know if you still want to go ahead on the new date.

Friday Morning Coffee, Cake and Chat!: The PTA is still planning to reinstate this but on a monthly rather than weekly basis. Watch this space for more news....

PTA Minutes: If you are interested in finding out what the PTA are doing, copies of the minutes of recent meetings are available from Frances via email francesruthmortlock@gmail.com and your email address can be added to our list so that you receive all PTA minutes in future.

We are always looking for more people to get involved in the PTA so please contact Debby debbersnell@gmail.com or 01598 710556 if you can help.



PRE-SCHOOL Unfortunately due to the severe weather conditions, we could not continue with our tractor visit, but the visit has been rescheduled for the first Monday after the half term holiday. We did manage to participate in making and eating pancakes on Tuesday - this was thoroughly enjoyed by all the children and staff. We are selling raffle tickets for the Easter Hamper fundraiser that is displayed in the shop, they are £1 a ticket. We hope you all enjoy a pleasant half term break, that the weather is kind to us and we look forward to seeing you back at Pre-School on Monday 22nd February.

BABY AND TODDLER GROUP

We finished our 'under the sea' theme with painting crabs this week and had Tiddler as our story. At song time we rowed our boat gently down the stream and sang about the fish that bit this little finger on our right.

Don't forget we are open next week as normal for our regulars, older siblings or any KS1 children. We will have valentines craft, play dough, colouring, snacks, story time and sing along.

We meet in the Village Hall between 9.30am and 11.30am every Wednesday and welcome babies and toddlers from birth to 5 years. Children can enjoy free play, story time, craft activities and sing-along. For further information, please contact Bratton Fleming Pre-School on 01598 710019.

Bratton Fleming Sports Club The Garden Club are playing at the Club on Saturday 27th February from 9pm, all welcome.

DATE FOR YOUR DIARY

Saturday 7th May 80s disco, auction of promises and raffle, being held at the Bratton Fleming Sports Club from 8pm till late, this is to fundraise to support a dear friend in the village who has recently been diagnosed with terminal cancer, this is the link for her just giving page: <https://crowdfunding.justgiving.com/truckpebbles-fight> All support will be greatly appreciated, thank you.

Many thanks

Annie

Fun to cook club

Friday 19th February 2016 in Bratton Fleming. 10 am to 1 pm - cook your own elevenses and lunch. Cook, make and bake - cooking fun! £18 per place to include all ingredients, a recipe pack and goody bag to take home.

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