



NEWSLETTER

- MAY 3



Dear Parents/Carers,

We have our fingers crossed for beautiful weather this week- Nursery sports day was today and the rest of school's is planned for Thursday! Children may attend school in their PE kits on Thursday. Parents/carers are welcome to attend but please bring your own blankets/chairs to sit on. A reminder that parents may take their child/children home at the end of the event if they wish to do so.

School sports day starts at **1.30pm** and will last approximately one hour. As we creep slowly into the summer months, please ensure that your child wears sun cream and a hat to school each day, and always attend with a full bottle of water. Sun cream (in a named bottle) can be re-applied by your child during the day if required.

As mentioned in last week's newsletter, our annual fund raising event for **Cure Leukaemia** takes place during the first week back after half term, but this year we are excited to be working with the Community Games to try something a little different! We will be completing a sponsored bike ride from Boldmere to Paris (and back again!) and we need your help! The Community Games (including Buddy) will be in school on **Monday 3rd June** for a special assembly and Buddy and Mrs Kenny will start the sponsored event by cycling the first 2 miles of our journey! Four static bikes will be used during the week to add up cycled miles during the school day. We would love families to get involved during the weekend of **8th/9th June** with your own family bike ride, to help us add to the completed miles!



Sponsor forms will be sent home later this week and we will confirm details for Just Giving/Parentpay after half term.

We are fortunate to have secured a booking with Redpoint Climbing Centre on **20th and 21st June**, for National Sports Week. A parental contribution of **£5.00** per child has been requested for the event, which covers the costs of the two day booking as well as specialist staff to lead the sessions. Payment should be made via Parentpay. Currently we have only had **£310** donated, please can we encourage all parents/carers to pay by **Wednesday 5th June** to prevent cancellation.

And finally, a reminder that children break up from school on Thursday 23rd May, following Sports Day. We hope that everyone enjoys their half term holiday and we look forward to seeing you all back on **Monday 3rd June** for the final half term of this academic year - time has flown!

Diary Dates

- Thursday 23rd May** - School sports day **1.30pm**
- Thursday 23rd May** - Break up for half term holiday
- Friday 24th May** - **INSET day** - school closed to pupils
- Monday 3rd June** - School re-opens to all pupils
- Monday 3rd - 9th June** - Boldmere to Paris "Cure Leukaemia" bike ride
- Monday 10th - 14th June** - Year 1 Phonic screening test begin
- Friday 14th June** - PTA Elfridges (Fathers' Day)
- Monday 17th June** - National Sports week - Redpoint climbing wall
- Friday 28th June** - Nursery Induction - Closed to current Nursery children
- Monday 1st, 2nd & 3rd July** - Reception Induction sessions (Class 1, 2, 3) **9:30-10:30am or 1:30 - 2:30pm**
- Wednesday 3rd July** - Transition Day
- Thursday 4th July** - reports to Parents
- Friday 5th July** - PTA Summer Fayre
- Thursday 11th July** - **4-6pm** Celebration Evening - Parents & children
- Thursday 18th July** - Year 2 Leavers party
- Friday 19th July** - **Break up for summer holiday**





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Cake Sale Update

Last week school council got to count the profits from the cake sale. They repaid the loan that they used to buy the ingredients for the baking and they are proud to announce that they have raised **£235**.

Well done school council and thank you to all of the children supporting the fundraiser. Mrs Mason and school council are now looking into buying some new bikes for the bike track!



Polite reminder

We are currently having a number of children coming back to school to use the toilets, after playing on Mossy Bank at the end of the school day. The cleaning of school takes place from 3.30pm and any children entering the building at this time causes a delay in the cleaning process, in addition to adults having to supervise children.

Unfortunately, we will not be able to allow children back into the building on future occasions, please bear this in mind when spending time on Mossy Bank at the end of the school day.



Congratulations Board

Congratulations to these children who are on the Congratulations Board this week:

Year 1: Delilah, Olivia & Bertie

Year 2: Ruth, Heidi & Henry



Nursery September 2024

We still have a few spaces available in Nursery for **September 2024**.

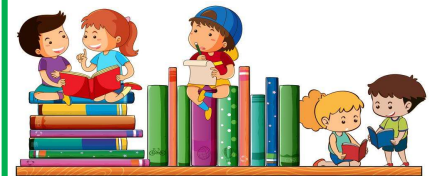
If you know of or have a child whose date of birth is between **01/09/20 and 31/08/21** who may be interested in a place, please contact the school office on **0121 464 2338** for further information.



Spare clothes

Sometimes children have accidents in school and require a change of clothes. Our supply of spare boys' pants is running very low. If you have school clothes at home, please can you return them, washed. We would also appreciate any donations of spare pants and socks (girls or boys).

Thank you!



Book Explorers

Congratulations to everyone who has achieved their silver award this half term. Don't forget to bring in your sheets with your 3 rows completed to get your certificate! Next half term, we will be working towards our gold awards.

Nursery September 2024

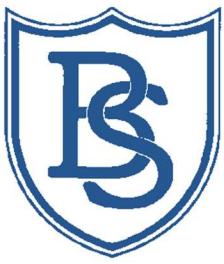
Our induction day for new Nursery children is on **Friday 28th June**. **Nursery will be closed to current children.**

Absences & Lateness

Please can we remind all parents/carers that you need to call (**01214642338**) or email (**enquiryinf@boldmere.bham.sch.uk**) before **9am** in the morning if your child is going to be absent from school or if they are going to be late for any reason. If we have not heard from you then a call will be made to you as part of our responsibility to safeguard children.

Medical Appointments

A reminder that if your child will be absent from school, arrive late or have to leave early due to a medical appointment we do need to see some evidence in the school office. We will need to keep a copy of this to support your child's medical attendance mark on the registers.



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Busy Bodies

June booking form

The June booking form is now available to collect from Busy Bodies or to download from The Federation of Boldmere School's website <https://boldmere.bham.sch.uk/>
Forms are due by **Wednesday 5th June with fees by Friday 7th June.**

Notification of fee Increase 10th June 2024

Please sign and return the Increase to Busy Bodies before and after school club charges agreement form which is attached to the June booking form and available from the school website.

Reception places for September

Spaces are available for reception children starting in September. Registration packs are available from Busy Bodies, The Infants and Juniors office reception and to download from the school website.
Our open days are Monday 10th and Tuesday 11th June at 4:15pm please call to book a slot.

Toy donation

Please donate clean and unbroken toys to the Busy Bodies door, especially Pirates, My little pony, doll house furniture and Superhero toys.

Have a lovely half-term break!



Ordering Lunches Via School Grid

Please can we remind parents that you need to order lunches for your child via School Grid.
If your child is absent from school, please remember to cancel any ordered lunches as soon as possible to help reduce any wasted meals.

Dolce School Catering

If you would like to contact Dolce our school catering company regarding anything to do with school lunches please contact them via customercare@dolce.co.uk

Email addresses for correspondence specific to your child's class/year group.

bib-contact@boldmere.bham.sch.uk
nursery-contact@boldmere.bham.sch.uk
reception-contact@boldmere.bham.sch.uk
yr1-contact@boldmere.bham.sch.uk
yr2-contact@boldmere.bham.sch.uk



School Emails

The two new separate Email addresses for Infants/Juniors are:

enquiry-inf@boldmere.bham.sch.uk
enquiry-jun@boldmere.bham.sch.uk





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Our Vision: The Federation of Boldmere Schools empowers all children to embrace learning; achieve their personal best; and build their social, emotional and physical wellbeing.





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TIMES & PRICES

8am - 6pm £30 per day
9am - 4pm £25 per day
8am - 12:30pm £18 per day
1:30pm - 6pm £18 per day
New Customer? Take **25% off**
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ACTIVE KIDS

We have up to **40 different sports** planned weekly. From dodgeball to football, fencing to archery - we have it covered!

CREATIVE KIDS

We have various **arts & crafts** activities, where children will be able to create their very own master piece. We also have scratch art along with painting projects and junk modelling.

THEMED WEEKS

- Week 1 - Schools Out
- Week 2 - Olympics
- Week 3 - Mad Science
- Week 4 - Around The World
- Week 5 - Paralympics
- Week 6 - Circus Skills

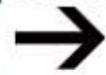
Venues:

Boldmere School, B73 5SD
Castle Pool, B35 7EH
Grace Academy, B37 5JS
Highclare School, B74 2SY
Netherstowe School, WS13 7NB

To Book:

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BIB Newsletter for week beginning 20th May 2024

BIB Newsletter May 21st 2024

Celebrations

Well done to:

Yasmin in LK for transitioning between lessons in a positive manner.

Musab in ED for his super Math work and mental Math's calculations.

PE Champions

This week Mr. Rich and Connor chose our PE champions:

Corey in Giraffes

Thierry in LK

Lilly in ED



ED and some children in LK (Junior) attended **swimming** lessons this week. They all had a fabulous time. A reminder that those who received letters will also be attending Erdington Swimming baths on June 4th, 11th and 18th after the Whitsun break.

A date for your diaries- Our Sports afternoon will be on **Wednesday 19th June**. A letter with the details will follow after the break. We look forward to seeing you.

Please continue to provide your child with plenty to drink and a sun hat on warm days. On particularly hot days, please apply sun cream accordingly.

Have a fabulous break with your children and we will see you back in the BIB on **Monday 3rd June**.

Lunchtime Clubs

We have a few spaces left in the lunchtime clubs listed below. If your child is interested in a place please contact the school office.

Year 1 Girls Football Club

Year 2 Tennis Club

Year 2 Girls Football Club



Mrs S Kenny
Head of
School
21/05/2024

Sarah Kenny

Value For This Half Term

Our value for this half term is **honesty**.

Newsletter:

The weekly newsletter can also be found on the school website:

<https://www.boldmere.bham.sch.uk>

