



OAKFIELD ACADEMY
BELIEVE AND ACHIEVE

Edition No 13

March 2020

Netball Tournament at Fairlands, Cheddar



KS2 WBD Costume Winners

Against the odds of travel sickness, wet weather, high winds and having to get straight into the tournament on arrival, our girls played amazingly well. They remembered everything they'd been taught, they adapted their tactics and their ambition to win shone through. The final scores were:

- 4 Oakfield v Blue 4
- 4 Oakfield v Crispin 2
- 3 Oakfield v St Dunstons 0
- 5 Oakfield v Hugh Sexeys 1
- 3 Oakfield v Selwood 1
- 5 Oakfield v Fairlands 1

The goals kept coming from Macey and Maddie. Drawing 1 and winning 5 games was a fantastic result. We're awaiting the final results but we have our fingers crossed as I think we will be through to the County Finals. **Miss Pullen**



Welcome to Oakfield Academy our new Teaching Assistant Katie Newland.

SPORTS RELIEF/WHY MUFTI DAY
Friday 13th March
Pupils are invited to dress as sports characters and donate £1 to Sports Relief/WHY



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Oakfield Academy visit Spain



A fabulous trip was enjoyed by a group of our students to Spain last week, organised by Ms Terroba, Mrs Reynolds and Ms Barnes.

**Oakfield Academy Terms and Holidays with INSETS
2020-2021**

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Key:

- School Holiday
- Bank Holiday
- Term Time
- Inset Day

Term dates summary:

- Term 1: 03 September – 23 October 2020 (37 days)
- Term 2: 02 November – 18 December 2020 (35 days)
- Term 3: 04 January – 12 February 2021 (30 days)
- Term 4: 22 February – 01 April 2021 (29 days)
- Term 5: 19 April – 28 May 2021 (29 days)
- Term 6: 07 June – 23 July 2021 (35 days)

TOTAL = 195

Bank and public holidays 2020/21

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| Christmas Day Bank Holiday | 25 December 2020 | Easter Monday | 05 April 2021 |
| Boxing Day Bank Holiday | 28 December 2020* | May Day Bank Holiday | 03 May 2021 |
| New Year's Day Holiday | 01 January 2021 | Spring Bank Holiday | 31 May 2021 |
| Good Friday | 02 April 2021 | Summer Bank Holiday | 30 August 2021 |

INSET Days

Thursday 3rd September 2020, Friday 4th September 2020, Thursday 22nd October 2020, Friday 23rd October 2020, Monday 4th January 2021, Tuesday 5th January 2021, Monday 7th June 2021.

**Coronavirus/
COVID-19 Advice**

At the present time the advice from the NHS and the UK Government is:

- (i) do not panic;
- (ii) maintain high standards of personal hygiene (washing hands with soap and warm water for 20 seconds); and
- (iii) do not go to the GP, pharmacy, urgent care centre or hospital if you or someone in your family becomes unwell (instead you are asked to call NHS 111, or 999 in an emergency). The Department for Education says: **“No school should close in response to a suspected (or confirmed) COVID-19 case unless directed to do so by Public Health England.”**

Please note: if Oakfield Academy is instructed to close, we will notify everyone using our normal school closure protocols, communicating the message via Parentpay, Website, Facebook, Answerphone Message. Work plans and recommended reading, films and activities will be posted on the website. Thank you.



World Book Day Winners

(L->R)

- Olivia Payne**
(Yr 7 Photography Runner Up)
- Catherine Mocke**
(Yr 7 Photography Winner)
- Demi-Leigh Hendy**
(KS3 Diorama Winner)
- Emily Andrews**
(Yr 8 Photography Winner)
- Holly Brennan**
(Yr 8 Photography Runner Up)

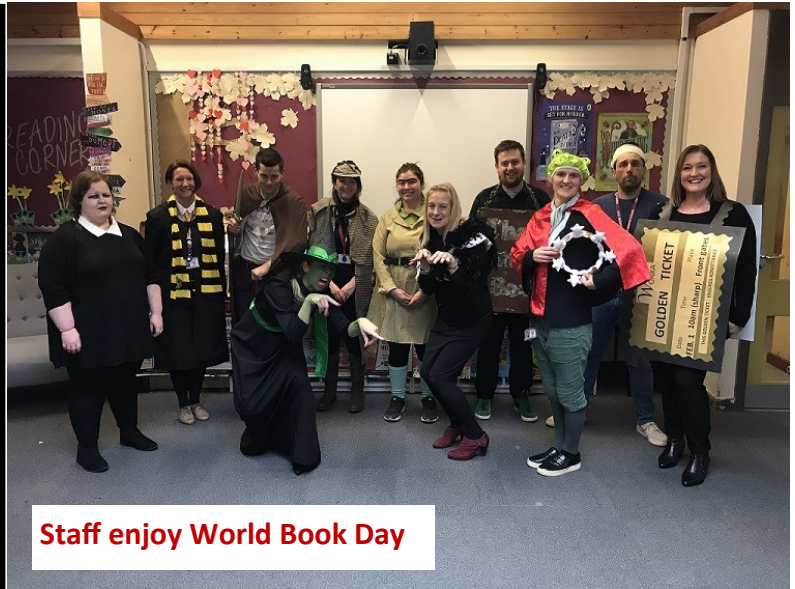


**EASTER
HOLIDAY DATES**

Saturday
4th April—Sunday
19th April.
Pupils return
Monday 20th April.

DIARY DATES

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| 10 March | Fundraisers Meeting 6pm |
| 11 March | 'Time in a Bottle' Yr 7 Workshop |
| 13 March | Sports Relief |
| 17 March | Yr 8 Girls & Boys HPV vaccinations |
| 16 March | Parents Cannabis Workshop 5.30pm Library |
| 18 March | UKMT Maths Challenge |
| 20 March | School Photos, Yrs 6 7 8 |
| 21 March | CRY Screening Test |
| 22 & 23 April | Bikeability Training |
| 24 April | Easter Bingo Night |
| 26 March | Yr 8 visit to SS Gt Britain |
| 4-19 April | Easter Holidays |
| 30 April | UK Maths Challenge |
| 8 May | Bank Holiday (Friday) |
| w/c 11 May | Yr 6 SATS |
| 15 May | SATS Reward Trip |
| w/c 18 May | Yr 7 & 8 Exam Week |
| 22 May | 5C & 5N visit Stonehenge |
| w/c 25 May | Half Term holidays |
| w/c 1 June | Yr 7 Charterhouse Trips |
| 1 June | Frome College Head of House Yr 8 interviews |
| 10 June | Yr 7 Public Speaking semi finals |
| 18 June | Yr 7 Public Speaking Finals |
| w/c 22 June | Yr 5 Arts Week |
| w/c 22 June | Yr 6 Enterprise Week |
| 22 23 24 June | Yr 6 Summer Trips |
| 24 June | Yr 5 Poetry Slam semis |
| 29 June | Welcome to Yrs 6 7 8 for current Yrs 5 6 7 (5-6pm) |
| 29 June | New Parents Evening (7- 8.30pm) |
| 1 July | Transition Day |
| 2 July | Yr 5 Poetry Slam finals |
| w/c 6 July | Show Week |
| 13 July | Yr 8 Presentation Evening |
| 16 July | Yr 5 Summer Trip |
| 16 Julyt | Yr 8 Leavers Trip |
| 17 July | Final day of Term, finish 2pm |



Staff enjoy World Book Day



Celebrity reader Mrs F in the 'Big Reading Chair'

Summer Mounty (Best Yr 5 Diorama) Cian Gregory (Best Yr 6 Diorama & Photography) and Mia Hopkins (Runner Up Diorama)



YEAR SIX MENDIP ACTIVITY CENTRE

DATES:

- 22 June (O&R)
- 23 June (A&C)
- 24 June (N&S)

COST: £30

ACTIVITIES:

- Active Archery & Disc Golf

Spaces still available.



KS2 Wordcount Winners Emily Honnor & Oliver Coates.