Date: Friday 31st March 2023

We end the term hugely successfully having celebrated so many of our pupils and their wonderful achievements. It was a fantastic evening on Tuesday where we saw a group of our pupils participate in Bexley Music's festival at the Fairfield Halls in Croydon. The talent on display was phenomenal and it was so lovely to see Belmont take part. Our sporting success continues with both our girls' and boys' football teams making it into cup finals. This is the first time in our history that a girls' team has made it this far and we are extremely proud of all of the children. We wish them luck in their matches which are scheduled for after the break and know that whatever the outcome we are super proud. Our parent/teacher progress meetings were well attended and it was great to see so many parents/carers coming along to see the teaching staff and to look at the exceptional learning within the books. We are looking to host an open afternoon in summer term and will share more details later in the year. We wish all of our families a restful break.

Pupil Special Achievements & Awards:

Teacher Postcard: George (YI) Noah (Y3)

Marty (Y3), Teddy, Samuel, Rehaan, Arlo, Vivienne, Suveer, Aaron (Y2)

Gymnastics: Anna, Lyra (R) bronze and silver Elsie-May (Y3) **Sports:** Jasper (Y1) for completing 50 junior park runs

Handball Competition: Callum, Archie, Isabelle, Poppy, Tommy,

Ruby, Hardaya, Arnav, Ethan (Y5 & Y6)

Football: Yusuf, Jake (Y5)

Swimming: Harry (R) Ben (Y2) Ryan (Y3) Dominic, Olivia (Y4) Karate: Akain (Y1), Noah (Y2), William, Scarlett, Isabella, Sienna (Y3)

Pen licence: Harry, Teddy (Y4)
Brownie award: Sonya (Y5)

Cub award: Fraser (Y4) Top Cub of the term

CU Leader board: 10/3: Finley (Y3), Isabella (Y1), Sienna (Y3)

Top Ten Texts: Harrison, Jacob (Y3)

TTRS Stars: Marty, Olivia (Y3) Caley (Y4)
TTRS Legends: Finley, Antonio, Avni, Skye (Y3) Sami, Mokshu,

Abhinav, Raj, Josephine, Perla (Y4)

TTRS Hero: Roop, Jayden, Lois (Y4)

Half Term Achievers:

N: Jemi, Nellie, Saramay, Phoebe, Samuel

R: Ilana, Maya, Sarnaee, Abigail, Liam, Alexander, Bronte, Lola, Ranveer, Olivia

YI: Albert, Inca, Logan, Parker, Tavish, Aurora, Billy, Jasper, Roman,

Y2: Arabella, Ben, Darcie, Joshua, Oliver, Amba, Teddy, Sriyaan, Eva, Isabella

Y3: Summayyah, Isa, Sam, Noah, Sienna, Austin, Florence, Jake, Quinn, Poppy

Y4: Isha, Caley, Sonny, Ava, Harry, Ben, Dominic, Jaideep, Quinn, Zeliya

Y5: Hardaya, Martha, Matilda, Sofia, Yasmin, Daisy, Ruby P, Tommy, Yusuf, Milan

Y6: Caitlin-Rose, Callum, Liam, Jasmeh, Olivia, Isabelle, Luke, Mia, Rose, Abdullah

Notices:

PTA:

Please see attached an update from the PTA which includes a breakdown of the outcomes of their fundraising this year to date. In addition, the PTA have raised the following funds:

Inflatables Day: £62.91; Easter Drawing competition: £26.00; Special

Persons Day sale: £823.45

Easter Drawing Competition Winners were:

Nursery/Reception: Ist - Blake; 2nd - Hugo; 3rd - Lily

KSI: Ist – Amba; 2nd – Isabelle L; 3rd – Roman F

KS2: Ist - Carter-Milan; 2nd - Peaches

Staff:

We say goodbye to Ms Rodriguez who leaves Year 2 having taken a permanent role and welcome her replacement, Miss Pearce who will lead Warhol class through the summer term.



Diary Dates:

Monday 17th April – first day of summer term

Wed 19th - Fri 21st April - Year 4 residential

Friday 21st April – PTA non-uniform day

Wednesday 26th April – Reception visit to Woodlands Farm





Help & Advice:

If you are looking for activities to take part in over the Easter break, there are a number of clubs and events running in the local area which include:

Inspire – football and sports skills club running at three schools across Bexley and Dartford: info@inspiresportskills.com

Bexley website also list activity providers offering clubs over the break: https://www.bexley.gov.uk/services/schools-and-education/holiday-activities-food-programme

Attendance and Punctuality:



School attendance is mandatory for all pupils.

This year we continue to have high attendance aspirations for all pupils and have set our whole school attendance target at 95.8%.

Our attendance for this week was 93.5% which is below both targets but shows a more stable and improved attendance profile.

This week the highest attendance goes to Briggs class who had attendance of 99.1%. Well done to all of the pupils in Briggs class.

Parents are reminded, term time holidays are not authorised and will result in a fine.