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Bilton Community Federation



“To exist is to change, to change is to mature, to mature is to go on creating oneself endlessly.” –
Henri Bergson



BULLETIN

The weekly newsletter to keep you updated with the highlights of the school week

21st June 2024

Headlines

Points of Interest

PTA Summer Fayre

28th June
3.45-5.45pm

Sports morning

8th July
9.30am in school
parents welcome

Dear Parents/Carers,

It has been another busy week of learning experiences beyond the classroom. Year 3 has been thoroughly enjoying their Egyptian workshops as part of their history curriculum. These workshops have provided the children with the opportunity to explore various artefacts, igniting their curiosity and enhancing their understanding of ancient Egyptian culture. We believe that hands-on experiences like these are crucial in bringing history to life for our young learners.

Our Year 4 and Year 5 children had the privilege of participating in French lessons delivered by the Young Language Leaders from Lawrence Sheriff, a Language Hub school. The lessons included engaging activities focused on sporting actions, body parts, and a lively handball game conducted entirely in French.



Year 6 children have begun their transition activities in preparation for the next academic year. They have had the opportunity to meet staff from their new schools and some have already visited their future schools. These transitional experiences are designed to support our children in smoothly transitioning to their new environments and to alleviate any concerns they may have about the upcoming changes.

Congratulations to our outstanding sporting teams following their remarkable achievements this week. Our football team secured another impressive win, showcasing exceptional teamwork, skill, and determination. Furthermore, the children across the school demonstrated outstanding sportsmanship and enthusiasm at the athletics festival. These achievements are a testament to the hard work and commitment of both the children and the dedicated team who have supported them.

I would like to take this opportunity to remind you about our upcoming summer fair planned for next Friday. This promises to be an exciting event, and we look forward to seeing you there to celebrate together as a school community. Thank you all for your generous donations towards the tombola today.



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Facebook: [BiltonCofEJNR/](https://www.facebook.com/BiltonCofEJNR/)

Have a lovely weekend,
Mrs Ross
Head of School

Celebrations

Inspire Challenge Achieve Inspire Challenge Achieve Inspire Challenge Achieve

Learner of the week

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3HN Zeke For your hard work and focus in designing a reflective bag in Science

3AL Stanley P For his perseverance with telling the time

3ED Whole Class For great learning in our Ancient Egyptian day

4EL Bo For his great engagement and contributions in all lessons

4SM Jenson For active participation and the sharing of his ideas in his reading group

4SS Zayd For his superb start to his River poem

5LM Esmee For having great focus and contributing more to class discussions

5JB Ruby For being ambitious for her future

5MB Zoe S For making some super contributions in English this week

6LC William For excellent work on the Junior Duke of Edinburgh award

6NV Elise Y For working hard on editing her writing

Mme Jago Travis 3AL For spotting that 80 is said as four twenties in French.

Inspire Challenge Achieve Inspire Challenge Achieve Inspire Challenge Achieve

Thank you from all @ BJS



3HN Whole Class For being so helpful and helping tidy up after our Egyptian workshop

3AL Ralph For being a good friend to others in the class

3ED Nicole For being a great friend to others

4EL Daniel A For showing politeness and respect to all

4SM Jaymee For being a supportive friend and helper to her peers.

4SS Lena For always being helpful, polite and a lovely member of 4SS

5LM Kitty For being a kind and support friend to her learning partner

5JB Zac For demonstrating respect during our Changing Me sessions this week

5MB Maisie For being a helpful and supportive friend

6LC Joe For always being a great role model and showing our values

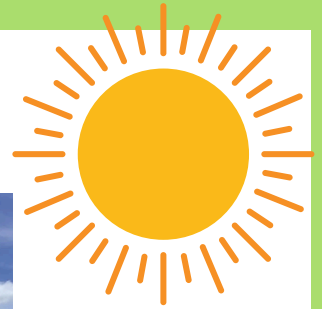
6NV To all the children and adults who have helped to make props for the play. Thank you for your perseverance and determination!

Mme Jago Alanah 5LM For always showing all the BJS values in her attitude and behaviour.



In school activities

Fun in the sun :-)



Notices



EXCITING OPPORTUNITY

JOIN OUR TEAM

Clerical / Administration

Works under general instruction and guidance, handling a range of administrative processes and tasks that are covered by established procedures, but prioritises own workload.
Band E, scp 5-6 Pro rata salary £18,468.34

WORKING HOURS

Monday 9.00am - 4.00pm
 Tuesday: 8.30am - 4.30pm
 Wednesday: 9.00am - 4.00pm
 Thursday: 9.00am - 4.00pm
 Friday: 8.30am - 4.30pm
 1 Hour Lunchbreak
 CLOSING DATE: 28/06/2024
 INTERVIEWS TO BE HELD: Early July 2024

To find out more visit <https://www.biltonjuniorschool.co.uk/vacancies/>

**Class of '24
 YEAR 6
 ACTIVITIES**

Monday 1st July Year 6 Performance (6.00pm)

Tuesday Year 6 Performance (6.00pm)

Monday 8th July Year 6 Disco 5pm - 6.30pm

Tuesday 16th July Year 6 Leavers Service - St Marks 9.30am

**10 Top Tips for Parents and Educators
 PROMOTING PHYSICAL WELLBEING**

1. MAKE IT FUN
2. MIX MOVEMENT WITH LEARNING
3. CREATE OPPORTUNITIES
4. PROVIDE POSITIVE REINFORCEMENT
5. VARIETY IS KEY
6. ENJOYMENT OVER COMPETITION
7. SET REALISTIC GOALS
8. MAKE IT ACCESSIBLE
9. LEAD BY EXAMPLE
10. ENCOURAGE PERSISTENCE

Meet Our Expert: **Wakeup Wednesday** The National College

<https://www.facebook.com/wuw.thenationalcollege>

Department for Education

HAF

**Summer HAF 2024
 Holiday Activities & Food (HAF)**

Dear Headteacher & Staff,

The HAF programme offers support to families on lower incomes, giving young people the opportunity to access enriching activities alongside healthy meals over the main school holidays in Winter, Spring & Summer. Please note that this programme is entirely separate from the Local Welfare Scheme's household support funding (i.e. supermarket HUGGG vouchers).

Each eligible young person (in full-time education from Reception to Year 11 who receive benefits-related free school meals) with a HAF code can access a maximum of **16 sessions** over the Summer holidays. Families have the flexibility to book with multiple activity providers if desired.

Eligible families need to request a HAF Code via a brief online form. This can be found at www.warwickshire.gov.uk/haf. Please share this with families. We can re-send codes if required, just send us an email via hafprogramme@warwickshire.gov.uk

For families not in receipt of benefits-related free school meals, we can release a limited number of HAF codes for each delivery period. In order to qualify, the family must be facing a significant financial barrier and the child(ren) must fall into one, or more, of the following categories;

- Have an allocated family support worker or social worker
- On an open early help plan
- Acts as a young carer

A separate referral form will need to be completed by a professional on behalf of the family. **The referral form can be accessed by contacting the HAF team on hafprogramme@warwickshire.gov.uk**

Thank you for supporting our programme by circulating this information with your staff and school community.

Warwickshire HAF Team
hafprogramme@warwickshire.gov.uk

HAF Programme Team
hafprogramme@warwickshire.gov.uk

Warwickshire County Council

Family Information Service
 0800 408 1558
fis@warwickshire.gov.uk

CHILD FRIENDLY

PRIGRIDE

SUMMER ORDERING DEADLINES

Please see our summer ordering deadlines below. Please ensure you place your order in time.

DIRECT TO PARENT DEADLINE:

Deadline: 26th July 2024 - for delivery before the start of the new term.

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Notices



Community Autism support Service (CASS) is providing a series of free information and discussion sessions for autistic adults (those diagnosed, awaiting diagnosis or think they may be autistic).

The sessions are run online weekly on a Wednesday from 18:30 – 19:30 by their friendly team including people with lived experience.



Here is the link to the May/July digital version of Allsorts magazine
https://bit.ly/ALLSORTS_MAYJULY24

- you can tap straight to advertisers' websites too when viewing the mag on your phone (please mention allsorts). There are lots of attraction to visit, services and articles to help your family. You can view this issue at www.allsortsmag.com too or on the allsorts Facebook page soon

SUMMER FAIR
Friday 28th June 3.45-5.45pm
We have lots of lovely stalls:

- Sweet Pong
- Adopt a Teddy
- Glitter Tattoos
- Y6 stalls
- Guess the name of the big blue dinosaur
- BJS Sweet Shop (Refreshments)

AND

BILTON'S GOT TALENT

Please make sure you bring some small change too 😊



Preparing for secondary school applications

Parents and carers with children who will be starting Year 6 in September are being reminded that they'll be applying for their child's secondary school place this autumn. Although the window for secondary school applications doesn't open until September, the summer term is a great time to prepare. There is a really useful video with lots of ideas for things that they might want to think about it in advance.

<https://www.warwickshire.gov.uk/applying-secondary-school-place%C2%A0%C2%A>



Sycamore Counselling anger awareness course
Sycamore Counselling are currently taking referrals for their anger awareness course. The course is free to individuals aged over 18 years old who live in Nuneaton, Bedworth, North Warwickshire and Rugby. It is available on an individual basis delivered either face to face or online for those who would struggle to attend their service which is based in Nuneaton.

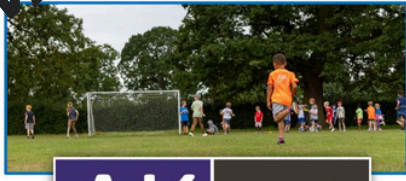
The course will explore the causes and effects of anger, helping individuals to manage their anger in everyday life.

For more information or to enrol on the course please ring 02476 744544 between the hours of 09:00 - 15:00

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Activities



Summer Holiday Club

- Football ● Tag Rugby ● Frisbee ● Dodgeball ● Basketball ● Netball ● Hockey ● Tennis ● Cricket ● Rounders ● Gymnastics ● Table Tennis ●
- PLUS, PLENTY OF OTHER FUN GAMES



MON 22ND JULY
TO FRI 30TH AUG

0900-1600

£16 PER DAY,
PER CHILD

AGE 5-11

BILTON JUNIOR
SCHOOL

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USING THE QR
CODE



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akcoaching2020

@gmail.com

RUGBY SUMMER HOLIDAY CAMP

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Book now

www.funstareducation.co.uk
info@funstareducation.co.uk

HAF Free activity and food places

Week 1 22ND JULY - 26TH JULY	Week 2 29TH JULY - 2ND AUGUST	Week 3 5TH - 9TH AUGUST	Week 4 12TH AUGUST
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PLAY THROUGH PERFORMING ARTS

- ★ DANCING, SINGING, ACTING
- ★ ARTS AND CRAFTS
- ★ ACTIVITIES
- ★ GAMES
- ★ BOUNCY CASTLE
- ★ MAGICIAN
- ★ MINI PERFORMANCE

Dunchurch Baptist church
Coventry Road
Rugby
CV22 6RF

SUPPORTED BY:
Warwickshire County Council

JAG's Summer Holiday Clubs offer:

- ✓ Core multi-activity programme
- ✓ Weekly themed activities
- ✓ Weekly special events
- ✓ Skill enhancing activities

BOOK NOW!

junioradventuresgroup.co.uk

Kids Summer Rugby Camp

FREE AGES RECEPTION-YR6 FUN

SESSIONS DESIGNED BY MINI AND JUNIOR COACHES FOR ALL ABILITIES
HELD AT: RUGBY LIONS RFC, WEBB ELLIS ROAD, CV22 7AU
EVERY SUNDAY FROM 30TH JUNE - 18TH AUGUST, 10AM-11AM

Summer of Colour

Join us for a day of FREE activities launching our Summer Holiday Programme!

Saturday 22 June 11am-3pm

From kaleidoscopic creations to super-size scribbling, there is something for the whole family.

Find out more:

RUGBY
Art Gallery & Museum

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Dates and Contact Details

School Diary Dates 2023/24

Summer Term

School Opens Monday 8 April
May Bank Holiday Monday 6 May – school closed
Half Term Monday 27 May – Friday 31 May
Teacher Training Day Monday 3 June
School Closes at 3.30 Friday 19 July

Autumn Term

Teacher Training Day Monday 2 September
School Opens Tuesday 3 September
Half Term Monday 28 October – Friday 1 November
School Opens Monday 4 November
School Closes at 3.30 Friday 20 December

Key Information

School times
School gates open at 8.30am
Doors open at 8.40am
School starts at 8.50am
School closes at 3.30pm

Any child arriving after this time is late and will be marked as such.

If your child is ill or going to be absent please email absent@biltonjuniorschool.co.uk with your Child's NAME AND CLASS with the reason for their absence

School contact details

Office hours are 8.30 - 4.30 each day by phone or email

If you feel you need to meet with a teacher face to face please email the school office office@biltonjuniorschool.co.uk

If you need to talk with a teacher over the phone or have a general enquiry for them please email office@biltonjuniorschool.co.uk.
Our teachers are busy with your children in the classrooms all day, however, they will get back to you as soon as possible

If you would like to share concerns or contact Mrs Smith our Home/School Support worker, please call the office, pop into school or email her directly on homeschoolsupport@biltonjuniorschool.co.uk

If you have specific feedback you would like to give us please email us on feedback@biltonjuniorschool.co.uk

School policy information can be found here: <http://www.biltonjuniorschool.co.uk/policies>

How can you help your PTA?

WHEN PLAYING



Rugby Lotto is an exciting weekly lottery that will raise money for BJS

Tickets for the lottery cost just £1 a week. Each ticket has a 1 in 50 chance to win a prize each week

There will be a draw every Saturday night when a six digit winning combination will be picked.

From every £1 ticket sold 60p will go to good causes in Rugby.

<https://www.rugbylotto.org/support/bilton-school-pta-rugby>



SCAN ME



PTA EVENT HELPERS

WhatsApp group



This group is JUST for people that can help at events. Those who join can opt out at anytime please just let the PTA team know

Scan or upload this QR code using the WhatsApp camera to join this group

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