



Newsletter

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Spring
Term
Newsletter

8th April 2022

Dear families,

This term seems to have flown by. We hope you all have a wonderful Easter break.

Willow

In Willow Class we loved welcoming families into class to celebrate our learning this week.



We have read Tom and the Island of Dinosaurs and imagined what would happen next, drawing and writing our own version. We performed our own Dinosaur Stomp dance for



Holly Class. Year R have been counting groups of objects to 9 and 10

and reading and ordering numbers 1-10.



Year 1 have been counting objects 0-50 and partitioning numbers into tens and ones. In phonics Year 1 have been

practising reading and writing split digraph words. Year R have been segmenting and writing words independently and recapping all the digraphs we have learnt so far.

Beech

We loved hosting our Dinosaur Museum last week. Thank you to all who were able to come.



We have continued to learn about Mary Anning, sharing the story of *Stone Girl, Bone Girl*.

We talked about ways to celebrate differences and how we are all unique. This led to the children completing some beautiful observations drawings of different seashells.

In science we have been looking at habitats and how creatures have adapted to live there. We enjoyed doing a mini-beast hunt, counting the different types of insect we found using a

tally chart. We were very careful and remembered to put everything back where we found it!



In RE, we have been looking carefully at the Easter story – sharing our thoughts, comments and connections. We wish you all a very Happy Easter!

Holly

A lovely end to a busy half term. We finished our top copies of our narrative in English and we chose two illustrations from the book for us to try to replicate. The work has been fantastic quality and the children have been able to apply their art skills beautifully.



Also in English we have been writing Haikus. We wanted to write a haiku about spring or Easter but we also chose a topic we were passionate about - many children decided they

would write about Pokemon!



In maths we have been continuing with fractions and exploring the

notion that not all equal parts look the same.

We used a square as our whole shape then we cut our square

into different shapes to then reform the square. We made number lines of fractions and then had to find different fractions on our number lines.



Silver Birch

All of Silver Birch have been on their residential trip to Hindleap Warren this week. They had an amazing time doing lots of fantastic activities. The staff were really impressed with how they challenged themselves and had a go at everything. They also said the Hindleap Warren instructors were brilliant. Well done to all of Silver Birch and a big thank-you to all of the staff who went. We are sure you are glad that you have a break now! We will share photos when we are back after Easter.

Uniform

Please, please label all of your child's clothing. It is very

difficult to identify lost items that have no name.

Please follow our uniform policy, including socks! It can be found here:

<https://www.bolneyschool.org.uk/website/uniform/223481>

Morning Snacks

Please only send fruit or a raw vegetable in for morning snacks.

Parking

If you park in Magdelene Rise, please can you park with care and do not park in the resident's parking lay-bys. Also can I remind you that we ask for the car park to be used by families with pre-school children only to reduce congestion.

Thank you

A big thank you to **Ellis Mendelson** for his hard work erecting our new storage shed.

Friends of Bolney

Many thanks to the FOB for the Easter Egg Hunt. The children loved it as always!

Dates for your diaries:

Please bring a bottle for a non-uniform day on 10th and 24th June for the Village Day bottle tombola.

There will be a 'Glitter Ball' Christmas ball fundraiser on the 19th November.

Showing our values well



Elliott and Frankie for showing love and respect.



Reuben for showing love and Mia for showing love and respect

Diary Dates:

First day of summer term

Monday 25th April 2022

Passion Play

Around 2pm on Wednesday 27th April

Summer Half Term

W/c 30th May 2022

INSET Monday 6th June

Return Tuesday 7th June

Last day of summer term

Thursday 21st July 2022

Sports Morning

Wednesday 8th June 2022

(15th June is our reserve day)

Silver Birch Summer Production

Wednesday 13th and Thursday 14th July 6pm at the Rawson Hall (COVID situation allowing)

INSET days 2021-22

Monday 6th June 2022

Monday 4th July 2022

INSET days 2022-23

Thursday 1st September 2022

Friday 2nd September 2022

Thank- you for your continued support with all that we do.

Wishing you a very Happy Easter



Mrs Kenny and all staff at Bolney CEP School