

FOXMOOR PRIMARY NEWSLETTER

Summer 1



Dear Parents and Carers,

As you can imagine, it has been a busy couple of days with Ofsted visiting the school. I am unable to share any of the findings at this point, as the inspection report has to go through a quality control process before the final report is shared with school and subsequently published on the Ofsted website. I can say that we are pleased with the outcome. I will of course share the report with you as soon as I am able to do so.

The children were an absolute credit to the school. Their positive behaviour and attitude to learning shone through but this is nothing new. Visitors to our school often comment about the calm nature of classrooms and how the children are focused on their learning.

I would like to say a huge thank you to the wonderful Foxmoor staff and governors. I am extremely fortunate to have colleagues that are so dedicated and give their all to ensure your children get the best education possible.

Please look out for the Ofsted report but it could be up to 30 days before it is available.

Finally, I would like to wish our Year 6 children good luck with their SATs next week. They have worked incredibly hard and we have no doubt all of them will do their very best. Year 6 parents, please ensure your children are in school, on time, every day next week.

Kind Regards,
Mr Bridgewater



Coming up over the next two weeks...

- Monday 12th May - SATs week
- Tuesday 20th May - Life Bus arrives
- Friday 23rd May - Last day of term

Attendance

Our whole school attendance this academic year so far is

95.2%.

If your child is off school due to illness, you must call every day that they are off before 9am to update us on their condition. Any other absence will only be authorised in exceptional circumstances.

Remember - every day counts

Mock Trial Winners

Congratulations to Nancy and Joseph in Year 6 who received special certificates for their attendance at the Mock Trials. Nancy won The Artist's Prize and Joseph won The Reporter's Prize. Well done both!



Staffing News

We are delighted to be welcoming Kylie Cox to the Foxmoor school office, from Monday. Mrs Cox will be job sharing with Mrs Hassall in the School Administrator role. This will allow for Mrs Hassall to dedicate some of her working week to pastoral support within school. We look forward to welcoming Kylie to the team.



TCS Mini Marathon

Last Friday, we held our very first TCS Mini Marathon.

We had 22 children come along in some glorious weather and run 2 miles (8 times round our school track!). The children were superstars and we have lots of plans for next year's event already! Thank you to our parent Natalie Hombrado for coming in with her London Marathon medal for the children to look at and have a photo with! An incredible achievement Natalie.



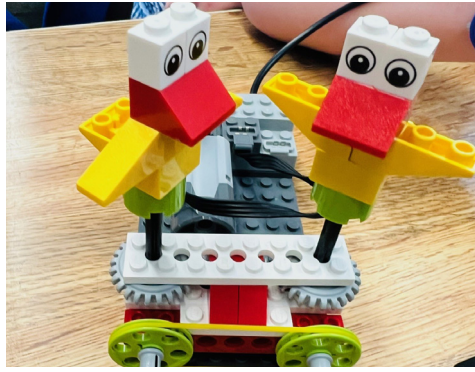
Headteacher's Certificate

Congratulations to Sidney in Reception for an outstanding 2 mile run last Friday morning at the 'TCS Mini Marathon' that we held in school. Sid was the youngest there and never stopped, even after a fall! The last lap he was joined by his brothers Oliver and Lorcan and the rest of the runners. Well done Sid - you were absolutely brilliant.



Year 3 KNex Workshop

Year 3 enjoyed a Knex workshop on Wednesday morning. In the workshop they used scratch and sensors to make the lego models move. All the children really enjoyed the session and we can't wait to have Knex back soon!



Reception Easter Egg Hunt

Just before Easter the Reception children enjoyed an Easter Egg hunt in the garden. They designed Easter eggs which were then hidden in the garden and then they had to find the egg with their name on and a special word which they needed to fred talk. Once completed they were given an Easter treat!





Stroud Ladies Junior Netball

Stroud Ladies Netball Club proudly develop junior players in the Gloucestershire League for all age groups from Year 7 upwards. As part of this development we host taster sessions for Year 6's

YEAR 6 TASTER SESSIONS 2025

JUNE 2ND, 9TH, 16TH, 23RD, 30TH

18.00-19.30

STROUD HIGH SCHOOL

£5 PER SESSION



Scan for SLNC Info



TO REGISTER INTEREST PLEASE EMAIL - stroudjuniorsnetball@outlook.com



WILD PLAY HOLIDAY SESSIONS

TUESDAYS & WEDNESDAYS

MAY 27th 28th

JULY 22nd 23rd 29th 30th

AUGUST 5th 6th 12th 13th

9AM - 3PM | CHILDREN 5-14Y

RODBOROUGH SCOUT HUT | £35 per child



- Greenwood and seasonal craft, campfires, foraging and cooking, free play and games.
- Inspired by folklore and traditional tales in the spirit of play.
- Led and supported by Forest School Leaders



FAO SENCo

Choose one of the 16 Parent talks below. Email Jane for a free recording and watch in your own time.

info@facefamilyadvice.co.uk



- Autism: Improving Communication
- Raising Self-Esteem
- Supporting Healthy Screen Use
- Supporting Healthy Sleep
- Cannabis & Ketamine Awareness
- What is ACT?
- Introduction to OCD
- Anxiety Explained

- Anxiety-Based School Avoidance
- Supporting a Child with ADHD
- Facing Defiance
- Understanding Anger
- Addictive Behaviour
- Understanding the Teenage Brain
- Decreasing Depression
- Improving Family Communication

FACE School Membership Plan

Give ALL your parents and ALL your staff unlimited free access to ALL the above FACE talks for Parents

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Summer Timetable

all sessions delivered live online via zoom £24 each 90 minutes long
book online at facefamilyadvice.co.uk Recordings available for 48 hours

Supporting Healthy Sleep	16 June 10am
Decreasing Depression	16 June 7pm
Raising Self-Esteem	17 June 10am
Understanding the Teenage Brain	17 June 7pm
Understanding Addictive Behaviour	23 June 10am
Supporting a Child with ADHD	23 June 7pm
Improving Family Communication	24 June 10am
Autism Improving Communication	24 June 7pm
Facing Defiance	30 June 10am
Anxiety Based School Avoidance	30 June 7pm
Understanding Anger	1 July 10am
Supporting Healthy Screen Use	1 July 7pm
Introduction to OCD	7 July 10am
What is ACT?	7 July 7pm
Cannabis & Ketamine Awareness	8 July 10am

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Please find below a list of current planned visits and some important dates. Further dates will be added in subsequent newsletters. Please note that new dates added are in blue.

Summer 2025	Term 1
12th May	SATs week begins
19th May	K'NEX Challenge Final at Renishaw
20th May	Life Bus arrives for whole school
23rd May	End of Summer Term 1

Summer 2025	Term 2
2nd June	First day of Summer Term 2
2nd June	Year 5 Bikeability begins
2nd June	Year 4 Multiplication Tables check - 2 week window
2nd June	Living eggs arrive in Reception class
6th June	Wonderdome - whole school
6th June	Dance competition team film night
9th June	Year 1 Phonics Screening Check week
10th June	Musical Soiree from 5pm
13th June	Class Photo's and Leavers Photos
20th June	Bollywood Day (parents invited in from 2:45pm for powder paints)
23rd June	The Great Big Dance Off Final
26th - 27th June	Year 4 overnight residential
27th June	Year 5 and Year 6 Careers Fayre

28th June	FOF Summer Fayre
3rd July	Reports to be sent home
4th July	Whole School Sports Day (KS2 AM and KS1 PM)
8th July	Y5 and Y6 Production - 1:45pm
8th July	Open Evening (3:30pm - 5pm)
9th July	Y5 and Y6 Production - 5pm
11th July	FOF Summer Disco
18th July	Year 6 Leavers assembly at 9:30am
18th July	Last day of Summer Term 2
21st July	INSET Day