



Newsletter 1 Summer Term

28 April 2017

Dear Parents and Carers

We have a short term to look forward to which is nevertheless very busy as various sporting events are taking place, SATs start in the week beginning 8th of May and we also have Art Week starting on the 15th of May. We will also be taking part in a Pentecostal experience at the church.

Bicester Healthy Town Project

Bicester Town has been awarded a government grant to take part in a healthy town project, one of only 10 towns in the country to receive funding. The directors of the project are keen to promote healthy, sustainable lifestyles through community and health and care services participation. Initially, the village schools were not invited to take part, but I felt that this was a great opportunity to celebrate and improve on what we already do and so pushed for Fritwell to be included. Mrs Churchill (PE subject leader), Mrs Lyon (PE governor) and I have attended an initial meeting about the project and have signed up to a couple of initiatives, which you'll receive more details about over the coming weeks. To launch the project there will be an action packed fun day in the centre of Bicester on Saturday, May 13th from 10:00am-4:00pm. Flyers are attached to this newsletter to give you more details.

Cycling Proficiency

Congratulations to our recent batch of year 5 cyclists who sailed through their cycling proficiency test and were awarded with a badge as well as an Easter cookie. The participants were: Kian Duggan, Emily Palmer, Archie Trotman, Mia Potter, Megan Beeney, Melissa Loggin, Murray Scott, Django La Porte and Izzie Carter. Thank you also to Mrs Palmer and Mrs Potter for training them so ably, with assistance from Mrs Duggan and Mrs Stilgoe. The next cycling course begins on the 18th of May.

Football County Final Tournament (year 3 and 4) 5 April – Report by Jack Duggan and Freddie Curtis

'We went to Abingdon to play a county final tournament. Out of ten we enjoyed it a ten! There were two hundred and forty seven teams in the whole thing and we were in the top twenty'.

Congratulations to all involved- we're very proud of your achievement.

Open Day

We will be holding an Open Day for the school on Friday 16th of June. If you know of anyone who might be interested in going please do tell them to ring the office or send an email.

Enjoy the bank Holiday weekend. Regards Debbie McLeod Headteacher **SCHOOL DIARY** Mon 1 May - Bank Holiday Wed 10 May- 6pm Information Evening for Parents about Maths Learning Mon 8 May – Start of SATS week Mon 29 May- Half Term Week Mon 5 June- INSET Day Tue 6 June- Back to school Frid 16 June- Open Day Thur 22 June- Music Concert (more info to follow) Frid 23 June- Sports Day Thu 6 July- Year 6 Evening Performance Fri 7 July- FoFS Summer Event Tue 11 July- Class Swap Day Thu 13 July- Leavers' Disco Tue 18 July- Presentation Evening Fri 21 July- Leavers' Service Fri 21 July- End of term