



Creating Excellence, Embracing All

School Times

Breakfast Club

7.30am - 8.45am

Afterschool Club

3.15pm - 6.00pm

Main School

8.45am - 3.15pm

Nursery Times

Morning Session

8.50am - 11.40am

Afternoon Session

12.30pm - 3.20pm

Caterpillars

Mon-Thurs 8.45am-12.30pm

Class Attendance - 13-17 Oct

- 1LR - 93.9%
- 1CM - 96.9%
- 2RD - 99.3%
- 2TH - 98.7%
- 3AN - 97.1%
- 3SW - 97.4%
- 4LG - 93.7%
- 4AL - 96.4%
- 5ZM - 96.7%
- 5JC - 96.8%
- 6JP - 96.4%
- 6LK - 96.7%



Scarlet Fever

We have recently had a few children present with a rash and have since found out that scarlet fever is at a 50 year high. To read and find out more please go to

http://www.oxfordmail.co.uk/news/15690857.Cases_of_scarlet_fever_at_50_year_high_these_are_the_signs_to_look_out_for/?ref=mr&lp=4

Pyjama Day in EYFS!



The children in Nursery and Reception enjoyed a pyjama day on Wednesday! All children came to school dressed in their PJs and enjoyed talking about their bedtime routines. The children have been busy decorating and filling cups full of sweets and chocolates ready for the FOBS Christmas fayre.

3SW Class Assembly

Thank you 3SW for their assembly this morning. They retold the story of Arion and the Dolphin.



Christmas Post Box

The Christmas card post box is now in Reception. Children must put first and second names on envelopes as well as the class to ensure cards are safely received!

Diary Dates

5 Dec	KS1 Christmas Performance - 1.30pm
6 Dec	Yr 6 IMPS at JR Reception Class Christmas Celebration - 2.30pm all welcome KS1 Christmas Performance - 4pm
13 Dec	School Christmas Dinner Early Years Christmas Party Day
15 Dec	Nursery Christmas Sing-a-long - 11am and 2.50 pm
19 Dec	Last day of term
4 Jan	School reopens for Term 2
16 Jan	Yr 6 + Parents Transition at MAS 3.30-4.30pm
	ASSEMBLIES
19 Jan	2LH Class Assembly
26 Jan	Star Assembly
2 Feb	1LR Class Assembly
9 Feb	1CM Class Assembly
9 Mar	3AN Class Assembly
30 Mar	Star Assembly
28 Apr	Star Assembly
25 May	Star Assembly
	CAKE SALES
2 Feb	Nursery
9 Feb	Reception
23 Feb	Botley Bridges
9 Mar	4LG
16 Mar	5JC
23 Mar	5ZM
6 Apr	4AL

PGL

The children have had a fabulous week at PGL and were very lucky with the weather!



FOBS News

A big thank you to everyone who has been involved in



preparation etc for this afternoon's Christmas Fayre. Update in next week's newsletter.

Transition Day for Yr 6 Children Transferring to Matthew Arnold Sept '18

Children who are transferring to Matthew Arnold School in September are invited, along with their parents, to a meeting at Botley School on Tuesday, 16th January from 3.30pm-4.30pm for the opportunity to ask all about transferring from primary school to secondary school. The meeting will be attended by Katherine Ryan and her transition coordinator team.

Super Scientists at Botley

The Oxford Mail came to visit our intrepid scientists as mentioned in last week's newsletter. To read the feature follow the link to http://www.oxfordmail.co.uk/news/15687768.Pupils_get_a_taste_of_life_in_the_freezing_Antarctic/

Governor News

We are pleased to welcome Tom Ottaway (Reception and Year 1 parent) as a new Parent Governor. As there was only one nomination, Tom was elected unopposed.

A huge thank you to Clive Hodge (not so new Parent Governor!) for his sterling effort in helping us unload a donation of furniture last Friday.

School Clubs

Please remember that football, rugby and netball clubs finish at 4.15pm. Please be prompt in collecting the children. Thank you.

Attendance for Reception Children

Children in Reception Class, who are not yet five and therefore not of statutory school age, should be encouraged to attend school regularly. When looking at children's attendance the 'whole school year's attendance' is relevant. Parents of Reception children who have an attendance below 95% at the end of an academic year would be liable for a warning/fine.

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Working Hours: 8.30am to 4.30pm

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday

COMMUNITY NEWS

For all non-school organised activities parents should satisfy themselves that all safeguarding measures are appropriate.

Tennis

Thursday 5-6pm GIRLS ONLY SESSION for Year 3/4. MATHEW ARNOLD SPORTS HALL FREE FOR 1st 8 Girls.

Friday 4:30-5:30pm

Mini Red Tennis for Boys & Girls U8's Year 1-3 all welcome.

OXFORD SPORTS TENNIS CLUB 1st Session FREE.

Saturday 10-12

Tennis for all ages.

5-15 Year Olds plus Adults Tennis.

Great Family atmosphere.

OXFORD SPORTS TENNIS CLUB

Tennis Tom

Would like to invite all Year 1 and 2 pupils to a new tennis session on Thursdays after school.

When? Starting Thursday 7th December

Where? Oxford Sports Tennis Club

Who for? All abilities of Year 1/2

How much? £5 a session

Rackets available so come on down to have an ACE time!!

For any more information on the club or different groups available go to:

<http://www.oxfordsportsltc.org/>

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