

St Bede's School Newsletter

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Summer Term Issue 4



Queen's Jubilee Celebrations



The whole school came together last Friday afternoon for a wonderful celebration of the Queen's Platinum Jubilee. The afternoon began with Mr Carroll welcoming our distinguished guests to the school; Deputy Lord Lieutenant Lady Louis Portal and the Worshipful the Mayor of Basingstoke Councillor Paul Miller with his wife the Mayoress. The

children then took to the stage to entertain everyone with each year group performing a different song from each of the seven decades of the Queen's reign. Year 4 (*above*) performed a particularly impressive rendition of 'Yellow Submarine' by the Beatles. After this our guests were accompanied by some of our children over to our new Ju-

bilee Garden which has been developed by Mrs Hails and Mrs Tobin over the last few months. The garden will actually develop into an orchard with many fruit trees planted there and in the coming years the children will be able to taste the fruits. Lady Portal and the Mayor officially opened the garden at this point. After that we all enjoyed a deli-

This Sunday's Gospel

Luke 9:11-17

CORPUS CHRISTI

Then he took the five loaves and the two fish, raised his eyes to heaven, and said the blessing over them; then he broke them and handed them to his disciples to distribute among the crowd. They all ate as much as they wanted, and when the scraps remaining were collected they filled twelve baskets.

Dates for your Diary

St Kateri Liturgical Worship—
Tuesday 21st June at 9.10am
in the hall—please join us.

St Jerome Liturgical Worship—
Tues 28th June at
9.10am in the hall—please
join us

29th July—International
Day—more information to
follow soon

29th June—Feast of St Peter
and St Paul—Mass at St
Bede's Church at 9.30am

cious afternoon tea with the children tucking into cupcakes and squash and the adults enjoying tea and scones. At the end of the day Lady Portal presented the school with the Queen's Canopy Junior Forester Award in recognition of all of our work around our environment. A big thank you to everyone for the wonderful way in which they took part in these celebrations and especially to all of the staff who worked so hard on the organisation of the day.

Sports News- Girls' Cricket @ Mays Bounty 14/06/22:The girls attended their first Hampshire Schools Cricket event, at Mays Bounty on a scorching hot day. For some of the girls this was their first experience playing competitive cricket. They were encouraged to go and enjoy themselves, finishing just shy of a bronze medal, Amazing!

Boys Cricket @ Mays Bounty 9/06/22: The boys were very eager to get the chance to play competitive cricket, in what was a well-attended tournament at Mays Bounty. The boys



REMINDER: In hot weather, please apply sun-cream to your child before school and supply them with a hat to wear. Thanks



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played 3 group fixtures and finished in position to move into a plate semi-final. After a victorious performance, we ventured into the plate final, which we unfortunately lost. Credit to the boys for their efforts, it was a great learning curve!

County Netball Finals @ Southampton Outdoor Leisure Centre 6/06/22: After a successful run out in our local qualifier, St Bede's, alongside St John's were given the opportunity to represent Basingstoke in the County Finals of Netball in Southampton. We played 5 games in our group, winning 2, losing 2 and drawing 1. Unfortunately, we just fell short of the required points to reach the knock-out stages. However, our 14 points, over shadowed St John's 4 points, leaving

the girls feeling happy we performed better than our local friendly rivals.

Reported by Mr Ashton

Teddy Bears Picnic—It was great to see so many parents joining us for the Teddy Bear's Picnic last Thursday. (above). The children had a lovely time (as did the teddy bears) and it was a good chance for our community to come together. Thanks to the SBFA for arranging this event and for everyone who worked hard to make it happen.

Dunelm Prize—Our local Dunelm store recently had a competition for customers to vote for their favourite school and St Bede's was the winner. Last week we went along to Dunelm to collect our prizes (right) which consisted of items we can use to plant flowers and feed the birds, as well as a clock.

Well done to the children who have won these recent awards

Mission Hearts

- Eason F, Elijah FS*
- Jessica L, Emmanuel J*
- Dylan W, Rachel J*
- Jewel T, Vlad V*
- Erin S, Jesse SB*
- Livia J, Candice M*
- Alex K, Evie B*
- James K, Jacob T*
- Rose W, Samuel-Jude A*
- George H, Lewis F*
- Dino NR, Michelle S*
- Oskar C, Lucas N*
- Erin S, Jacob B*
- Daniel G, Beatrice E*
- Isabel H, Mia O*

WOW Awards

- Anabel S, Kasper D*
- Isolde B, Szymon A*
- Lucas HH, Cassy OH*
- Aaron P, Makiah O*
- Ruby W, Orla McG*
- Yoza O, Theodor B*
- Irene J, Aimile T*
- Jacob FT, Mya A*
- Millie T, Xavier B*
- Eva A, Nicolas S*
- Maya M, Jaiden M*
- James K, Moira V*
- Isaac K, Hugo BM*
- David B, Luca S*



Have a lovely weekend...

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