



**Bassingbourn**  
Community Primary School

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## Weekly Newsletter

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08th March 2024

Dear Parents / Carers

It was wonderful to meet with parents and carers during parents' evenings this week to discuss children's progress and achievement. We hope that you found the meetings useful. Thank you to our staff team for their continued commitment to the school.

Additionally, we held a Coffee Morning this week to update you with our behaviour approach in school. Please click [here](#) to view the presentation that was discussed during the meeting. As a school, we appreciate your understanding and ongoing support with our behaviour journey. A special thanks to Mrs Clarke-Brooks and Mr Fraser for hosting our parents.

As you already know, we are taking a proactive approach to improve communication with our school community by ensuring all whole school messages are shared in a consistent and timely manner. Therefore, communication is streamlined using the weekly newsletter as it ensures all parents and carers are communicated about whole school matters in a consistent and transparent way. Specific learning communications will continue to be sent out through Tapestry from each year group.

We are currently reviewing our school uniform policy. In the meantime, we will continue to follow the current uniform policy. The new zoning on the fields during play and lunch time is working well to provide children with positive play engagement. We appreciate there may be times when it is better for children to wear trainers to be on the field. We are happy to accommodate the arrangement in order to support our zoning approach at play times.

We wish you all a lovely weekend and will see you on Monday.

Ms Luu and Mr Fraser

### **This week's Celebration Award winners are:**

Regan, Jack, Olive, Kiera, Florence, Betty, Oscar, Alice, Toby, Rose, Vinnie, Layla

### **Headteachers Award**

Our first Headteachers Award has been awarded for children who have demonstrated progress with their writing. This terms winners are:

Noah, Amber, Max, Wayde, Emily, Teddy, Harrison,



## KS2 Playground

*"We have been delighted to see the children fully accessing the creative zone in the KS2 playground.*

*This week, Miss Richardson has had the children painting mini figures for the Castle they designed last week"*



## Notices for the School Office

**If you have any going home notices, please can you email these to the office rather than call, in the morning before midday, unless an emergency.**

### Key School Spring term dates for your diaries:

**13th March**

15.30-16.00 - Subject Showcasing - Writing

### Individual class dates for your diaries:

**19th March**

Year 4 Production

**22nd March**

14.00— Year 2 Parents shared learning

## Attendance

Congratulations to the following classes who achieved greater than 96% target for attendance:

Week Commencing: 26th February

**Manatees 99.23%**

**Turtles 98.33%**

## KS2 Playground Zoning

In our Competitive Zone, this week's challenge was to continually bounce balls on a racket.  
**Izzy was this weeks winner with 452, well done!!**

## School Contacts

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## 2024 Model Railway Exhibition

Organised by Royston and District Model Railway Club, who have kindly donated two free family tickets to the school. If you would like a family ticket to the event, please email [office@bassingbourn.cambs.sch.uk](mailto:office@bassingbourn.cambs.sch.uk) where winners will be picked at random.

Saturday 13 April 2024  
Bassingbourn Village College  
South End  
Bassingbourn  
Royston  
SG8 5NJ

Opening Times: 10.30 - 4pm  
Event Website: [www.roystondmrc.co.uk](http://www.roystondmrc.co.uk)



## Year 5 & 6 Hockey Event

"We were delighted with the teamwork and skills displayed by our year 5+6 students in the South Cambs School Sport Partnership Hockey event. Although lots of our students had never played competitive hockey before, they showed incredible determination and did not let the rain damper their spirits. Finally well done to TEAM 1 who won division 4 on the day!"

