

Margaretting C of E (VC) Primary School Newsletter

18th September 2020
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'No Limits on Learning'

With God All Things are Possible: Matthew 19:26

Boundless Creativity

Heartfelt Compassion

Courageous Optimism

Dear Parents,

We have all been enjoying the lovely sunshine this week, with learning taking place outdoors as much as possible! The Key Stage 2 children have also enjoyed going to the field at lunchtimes (in their separate bubbles) and socialising with their friends. Remember children will continue to go to the field throughout the whole school year, so do keep an eye on the weather and make sure your child brings a coat to school, when needed.

A huge congratulations to Miss Bryan who has won the silver category of Pearson 'Primary Teacher of the Year.' She received the award on Wednesday and we held celebrations within our bubbles at school! Out of 22,000 potential winners, Miss Bryan has come within the top 14 and is now in the running to receive the gold award, which is normally presented on television! She has been invited to the House of Commons to have afternoon tea in spring. We will keep you updated on any more news about the gold award as we find out! Well done Miss Bryan—we are all so proud of you.

This year our school will be supporting the Chelmsford Food Bank to ensure that local people have access to food and toiletries. LIFE Education Trust are also supporting the Trussell Trust, which aims to eliminate hunger in the UK. Do feel free to bring tinned or packaged food to school to donate to the Foodbank. We are grateful for any donations we receive and are proud to do our bit for the local community.

Year 2 parents, we are delighted that Forest Schools will start again from Monday 21st September. Please make sure that your child brings in suitable clothes on Mondays as the sessions will take place whatever the weather! See the letter sent by Mrs Kirk for more information.

The PTFA will be running Macmillan Coffee Morning at 11:00am on Friday 25th September. Please see a separate letter in your child's bag. The PTFA are fantastic at our school and are thinking of events we can hold safely this year. If you would like to be on the PTFA, please talk to Ms Brown (Ellie's mum) or Miss Bryan.

On 5th October Bags 2 School will be collecting donations. Please bring any unwanted clothes, bedding or shoes in a bag or bin liner on the 5th October only and leave the items by the school gate. The items must be dropped off before 9:00am.

Have a great weekend!

Mrs M. O'Regan (Executive Headteacher, B. Mus, HDip in Ed, NPQH) and Miss M. Bryan (Head of School, BA Hons, PGCE)

Term Dates

- 21st September—Forest Schools to start for Year 2
- 25th September—Macmillan Coffee Morning
- 5th October—Bags 2 School
- 7th October—New Parent Lunch
- 21st October 3:30-7:00pm—Parents' Evening (No children to attend unless there is a childcare emergency, please arrange childcare in advance)
- 23rd October—Harvest Festival
- 23rd October—Last day of Autumn 1
- 2nd November—First day of Autumn 2
- 11th November—Remembrance Day
- 19th November—Afternoon for prospective parents
- 18th December—Christingle Service
- 18th December—Last day of Autumn 2
- 4th and 5th January 2021—INSET days for staff training
- 6th January 2021—First day of Spring 1
- 8th February 2021—Last Forest Schools session for Year 2
- 12th February—Last day of Spring 1
- 22nd February—First day of Spring 2
- 22nd February—Forest Schools to start for Year 1
- 26th March—Last day of Spring 2
- 12th April—First day of Summer 1
- 3rd May—Bank Holiday—School closed
- 28th May—Last day of Summer 1
- 7th June—First day of Summer 2
- 18th June—INSET day for staff training
- 12th July—Last Forest Schools session for Year 1
- 20th July—Last day of Summer 2

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Chair of Governors: Liz Fajimolu





The Headteacher's Award has been awarded to Oscar Sharma.
 The LOL (Love of Learning) Award has been awarded to Delilah Richards.
 The SCB Writing Award has been awarded to Lily Hunter.
 The Reading awards have been awarded to Lucy Chapman and Ellyn Rickwood.
 The Environmental Award has been awarded to Hattie Scales.
 The Maths Award has been awarded to Demie Smith.
 The Dance Award has been awarded to David Bourne.
 The Arts Award has been awarded to Rosamund Turk.
 The Stringer Star award has been awarded to Bluebelle Barlow.
 The Sports Star Award has been awarded to Bobby Crouch.
 The Lola June Homework award has been awarded to Noah Embery.



Certificates this week went to Elizabeth Lowe, Oscar Barham, Aaliyah Bourne and Ava Jean-Barham.



The Mayor of Chelmsford presented Miss Bryan with her award! Well done Miss Bryan!

Miss Bryan loved all of her presents! Zoe was also a VIP guest!



Well done to our Head Girls for doing an amazing job!

We all enjoyed dancing on Wednesday afternoon! Here is the Year 5/6 bubble enjoying their party!

Here at Margarettig, and all our LIFE schools, the safety of our children is of paramount importance. With this in mind, you are welcomed to use the car park outside The Red Lion pub on Main Road when dropping off and collecting your children from school. This avoids a build up of traffic down Pennys Lane and enables our children to exit the building, and cross the road, safely. We thank you for your co-operation and understanding.

