



Bocking Church Street Community Primary School

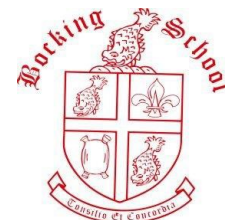
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Week ending February 10th 2017

Be respectful Be ready Be resilient Be responsible Be resourceful Be reflective Be remarkable

Thank you to the Friends for organising the Valentines Disco on Tuesday evening. The children really enjoyed themselves. The amount raised was approximately £300.

We have this week had a focus day for Safer Internet day. The teachers led learning in their classes on the safe use of the internet and both Key Stages had an assembly. We would like to take this opportunity to remind parents that children should not be playing games or watching others play games that have an 18 certificate. If you would like any advice on the safe use of the internet please do not hesitate to contact us.

We say goodbye and good luck to Mrs Westlake and Mrs Taylor, two of our learning support staff who are taking on new roles as teachers in other schools.

Dates for your diary:

Wednesday 22nd February is Thinking Day for anyone involved in Guiding. Any children who are part of a uniformed organisation are invited to wear their uniform to school (i.e. Rainbows, Brownies, Guides, Beavers, Cubs, Scouts or cadets)

World Book Day—we will be celebrating World Book Day on **Friday 3rd March**. The children are invited to come to school dressed as a book character.

Uniform expectations

A reminder please that children should be dressed appropriately for school. We ask that the children wear appropriate school uniform and shoes, which should be black or red. Hair should be tied back in ties or bands which should be either black or red and of a sensible size.

Attendance

After half term please be aware that if your child arrives at school after **9am** they will be recorded as late; which is an unauthorised absence. Please ensure your child arrives at school on time. There will be more information after half term, with regards to some possible changes in the way we manage attendance.

Use of Do Jo



We have been very pleased with the way that Do Jo has been received by parents. Could we please ask however, that if you need to report your child absent that you call the school office to inform them. We ask this because when teachers are involved in teaching they do not always pick up the messages until after school. We would also ask if you have concerns over your child that you speak with the class teacher face to face or by phone. A message can be left with the office for the teachers to contact you if appropriate.

Wishing you all a relaxing half term. We look forward to seeing the children back on **Tuesday 21st February**.

We have a vacancy for a mid day assistant. If you are interested in this role please let the office know. (Hours would be 12-1pm daily).

Please note this role would be subject to a satisfactory DBS check.

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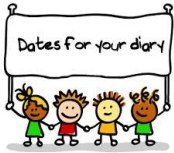
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Special Achievements



Dates for the term ahead

22nd February—Children belonging to uniformed organisations are invited to wear their uniforms.

3rd March—Dress up day for World Book Day

8th March Children's University Graduation

14th March and 16th March TLC's

Congratulations this week to.....

Robert in **EYFS** for being a positive role model and for his enthusiasm for learning.

Ruby in **Year 1** for being a role model and always making the right choice.

Moises in **Badgers** for increased positive attitude and effort.

Lottie in **Foxes** for exemplary behaviour and effort during the tests this week.

Matilda in **Year 3** for her self motivation to always do better.

Olivia in **Year 4** for always giving of her best, working really hard and super concentration.

Isabel in **Year 5** for always giving her best.

Joseph F in **Year 6** for working more independently.

Week Ahead

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| Monday | |
| Tuesday | 8.00-8.45—Multi sports 3.15-4.15—Tennis 3.15—Karate |
| Wednesday | 11.45—Come Dine with Me—YR 3.15-4.15—Football Last swimming Year 4 swimming 5.00—Dancing |
| Thursday | 8.00—Gymnastics |
| Friday | |



Week Ahead Menu

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| Monday | Cheese and tomato or pepperoni pizza Jacket potato with baked beans and/or cheese Fresh fruit platter or muller yoghurt |
| Tuesday | All day breakfast Jacket potato with tuna mayonnaise American pancakes with syrup |
| Wednesday | Roast chicken/Yorkshire pudding/gravy Buttered new potatoes/carrots/savoy cabbage Ice cream/peach slices or muller yoghurt |
| Thursday | Spaghetti bolognaise Jacket potato with cheese Flapjack with apples and pear pieces or Muller yoghurt |
| Friday | Fish fingers/ketchup or mayonnaise Chips/peas Classic Victoria Sandwich Finger or muller yoghurt |