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Sport at Bishop Wood

You will notice that there are a lot of sports reports in the newsletter this week. One of the things we aim to do at Bishop Wood is get as many pupils as possible participating in matches/tournaments. We are very fortunate that Tring School host tournaments for the local schools. We are also part of the Dacorum School Sport Network which will come into its own in the summer term. We will try to get as many pupils as possible out to an event over the school year. Our children are always a real credit to the school at these events.

Open Morning

This week we held our first Open Morning of the school year. It was great to welcome in over 90 parents to see lessons across the school. Thank you for giving up the time and for completing the feedback/thought bubbles. We will organise another open session for the summer term – probably for an afternoon so that more of the curriculum can be seen.

Year 3/4 Football festival at Tring School

On Wednesday, two teams of Year 3 and 4 children went to Tring School to compete in their primary football festival against other local primary schools. Both teams represented Bishop Wood brilliantly and played well as a team. The red team won half of their matches, competing against some very strong teams. The blue team were undefeated, along with another team, meaning that their final match was nail biting. The scores were even until the last few seconds when Edward V scored the winning goal. Well done to both teams!

Church Visit – Ash Wednesday

The whole school will be attending St Peter and St Paul's on Wednesday for a church service on Ash Wednesday. Pupils will be writing Lent promises which will then be turned to ash as part of the service.

Parking Issues

Please do not park on double yellow lines or keep clear areas when dropping children off before school – thank you!

Pancakes!

Pancakes! Come and join us for pancake racing, eating and crafts! Outside St Peter and St Paul's Church. Saturday 1st March 9.30am to 12 noon. All welcome. More info jane@tringteamparish.org.uk 01442 822170

Father Huw

Gardening Club Request

At Bishop Wood School we encourage lots of activities. This week, Gardening club started again and our first job is to clear out the winter weeds in the bee garden (this is on the bank at the front of the school). Once we've cleared the vegetable beds and the bee garden, we plan to plant carrots, spring onions, cucumbers, tomatoes, lettuce, rosemary, mint, rocket and flowers.

If you have any spare or unwanted spades or gardening tools, we would be really grateful to use them.

Bishop Wood Gardening Club

Netball vs St Paul's

On Thursday we had a netball match against St Paul's. In the first quarter, Bishop Wood sped ahead with brilliant shooting from Scarlett and excellent mid court and centre passes from Millie. In the second quarter, St Paul's scored a few goals but had it covered with some amazing interceptions. We also had some great drives from the centre pass from Alice. In the third quarter, there were some outstanding interceptions from Jasmine and some brilliant centre court play from Astrid. There was also a lot of great passing from Francesca. Catherine had some amazing centre pass interceptions in the fourth quarter. Millie was chosen by the opposition as player of the match. The final score was 14-8 to Bishop Wood.

Astrid G

Football vs Grove Rd



On Tuesday, a very excited Blue team went to Grove for their rearranged football match! We started strong, showing great teamwork and went into half time 2-0 up. But then, we were relentless and pressed on to win 11-0. There were brilliant individual displays with goals from Eden (3), Fred (2), Oliver R (2), Callum, Wills H, Joshie D and Ralph. Joshie was our player of the match with a super performance. Well done boys!

World Book Day – Thursday 6th March

A reminder that we will be celebrating World Book Day next week. Children are welcome to come to school dressed as a character from a book!

Football vs Aldbury

Yesterday our Red team played a home fixture against Aldbury School. The match was played in good conditions but the setting sun made it tricky work for the goal keepers. It was a game played in a fantastic spirit with the action moving from end to end. Bishop Wood ran out 7-2 winners with Zach K being chosen as player of the match. Well done to all the players!

Celebration

This week we celebrated the following pupils in school:

3I – Mabel T and Arthur S

3S – Leo S and Holly C

4A – Billy M and Maddie J

4PS – Ava W and Beau B

5DR – Charlie A and George M

5H – Max S and Alfie J

6C – Will H and Freddie S

6M – Holly B and Izzy H

Well done – keep up the excellent work!

Other Honours

Pom Poms – 3S

Lunchtime Leader Awards – Seth B, Lucia L and Ellis M

Aoife C – Swimming

Evie – Skiing

Oscar - Gymnastics

Behaviour Champions

Congratulations to our amazing behaviour champions!

3I – Olivia W

3S – Francesca L

4A – George W

4PS – Ava W

5DR – Isabelle HW

5H – Nate CF

6C – Corey C

6M – Emilija G

Around School

This week

Year 3 have really enjoyed using their knowledge of different fossil types to create their own models of trace fossils using salt dough. Year 4 have been really engaged in their new science topic on electricity – they are buzzing! Year 5 have enjoyed their PE lessons. Year 6 really enjoyed learning how to use a protractor in Maths!

Next week

Year 3 are looking forward to our first World Book Day at Bishop Wood. Year 4 are looking forward to their Roman Day. Year 5 are looking forward to working on Properties of Materials in science. Year 6 are starting a new History unit on the Mayans.

Diary Dates

Please find below a list of key dates for the Spring Term. We will add to this as we progress through the school year. New dates will be highlighted.

Date	Event
Thursday 6 th March	3S Class Assembly 9am
Thursday 6 th March	World Book Day
Friday 7 th March	Year 4 Roman Day
Thursday 13 th March	4A Class Assembly 9am
Tuesday 18 th March	Year 5 Hazard Alley
Thursday 20 th March	5H Class Assembly 9am
Friday 21 st March	World Downs Syndrome Day
Friday 21 st March	Lenten Bazaar Time TBC
Saturday 22 nd March	Cross Country at Bridgewater
Monday 24 th March	Parents' Evening 4 – 7pm
Wednesday 26 th March	Parents' Evening 4 – 7pm
Thursday 3 rd April	6M Class Assembly 9am
Friday 4 th April	End of Term Service at St Peter and St Paul – 11.15am
Friday 4 th April	End of Term – School Closes at 1.30pm

Thank you and best wishes
Mr Stanley