



# PRIMARY WORD

*We should be the best we can be for we are all God's Masterpiece*

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## Events for week beginning Monday 15th July 2024

Day	Time	Event	Venue	Taken By
Mon 15th	13.15-15.00 15.30-16.30 18.00-19.00 19.30-21.00	Summer Concert Practice YR1-4 Freestyle Soccer Summer Concert Governors Board Meeting	School Playground School Field School Field Meeting Room	Mrs Walter Freestyle Mrs Walter Governors
Tues 16th	12.15-13.00 15.30-16.30 15.45-17.00 18.15-20.00	YR4/5 Home Learning Club YR6 Drama Club Requested Parents Evening Taekwon-do	Miss de Rossi's Class Main Hall Classrooms Main Hall	Miss de Rossi Miss Bond Childs Teacher Mr Bonfield
Wed 17th	All Day 17.15-18.30	Foundation Stage Happily Ever After Party YR6 Leavers Party	Foundation Stage School Field	FS Teachers YR6 Teachers
Thu 18th	10.30-11.30 12.45-13.05 15.30-16.30 17.30-19.45	YR6 Leavers Service YR2 Choir YR1-4 Freestyle Dodgeball Taekwon-do	All Saints Church Mrs Walter's Classroom Playground Main Hall	YR6 Teachers Mrs Walter Freestyle Mr Bonfield
Fri 19th	09.00-10.30 12.15-12.45 15.30-16.30	YR6 Presentation Assembly Beginners Recorder Club YR3-6 Freestyle Dodgeball	Main Hall Miss Duckworth's Room School Playground	YR6 Teachers Miss Duckworth Freestyle
Sun 21st	10.30-11.30	Brixworth Community Church - Informal Service	Main Hall	Rev Andy Lloyd-Williams



### Illness and Absence

We have had an increase recently in the number of children experiencing sickness bugs, therefore, please can we remind parents of the importance of hand hygiene in preventing the spread of such illnesses.

To avoid catching or passing sickness on to others, children should wash their hands frequently and thoroughly with soap and warm water.

If your child has vomited or had diarrhoea please ensure your child remains off school for 48 hours after the last episode to reduce the spread.

If your child is unwell for any reason and will not be attending school please can you ensure you notify the school of the absence via **ParentMail** or by calling the office on **01604 883900** as soon as possible.

### Choir

Please note, there will be no KS2 choir practise next Thursday afternoon as it has finished for this year.

It will resume again in the Autumn term.

### Foundation Stage Fab Finish

Foundation Stage would like to conclude their "Once Upon a Time" topic with a "Happily Ever After Party" on **Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> July**. The children can come to school dressed as a character from a fairytale or a traditional tale of their choice.

Please ensure appropriate footwear is worn.

### Summer Concert

The summer concert is taking place on the school field on **Monday (15th July)** evening. For the children who are participating, can you ensure they return to school by 5.40pm for a 6pm start.



For everyone else, please come along and enjoy an evening of music, poetry and dance. Bring a blanket and enjoy a drink from the bar.

### Parents Evening

Should you require further clarification on your child's report or wish to make an appointment for Parents Evening on **Tuesday 16th July** between 3.45 and 5pm, please contact the school office.

## **SATs Results**

Congratulations to our Year Six pupils for their fantastic SATs results again this year. Every child should be so proud of the progress they made and it is wonderful to again have attainment levels in all areas that are significantly above national averages. In the main school grading measure of the number of pupils achieving the age expected levels in Reading, Writing and Maths the school was 17% above the national average. A testament to how hard the children have worked and the dedication of the staff. Well done everyone!

**Assembly Theme Week**  
Commencing 15th July is **Bible Heroes**

# **Celebration Assembly**

Congratulations to the following children who have won awards for consistently upholding one or more of the school values.



### **Academically**

Leo L  
Ethan T

### **Emotionally**

Scarlett K  
Jeremiah S

### **Socially**

Cherish E  
Ava A  
Luna M  
Max M

### **Spiritually**

Amber H

## **Dragons' Den 2024**

Well done to the year 5 and 6 children who took part in their Dragons' Den activities at the Summer Fair.

They all did an incredible job and raised an amazing £163.12.



**Raised  
£163.12!**

**Dragons' Den 2024**



# Forest School - Ridgeline Shelter

This week Miss de Rossi's class have been building a 'ridgeline shelter' in forest school with Mrs Burton. The children discussed what they did well and what they felt they could improve on.

## What they did well..

We didn't have enough pegs but we thought of a different solution to use sticks - Penny S

We worked well together because we talked and listened to each other - Theo N

In my group we were able to work hard together but we had great fun too!  
- Amber H

We used each others' strengths to help build the shelter.-  
Poppy S



## What they could improve on...

Next time, I would make sure everyone had different jobs rather than us all work on the same thing at the same time. - Alfie K

Keep to one rope. - Edie B





## A VERY BIG THANK YOU



To everyone who attended our Summer Fair. Despite the weather and last-minute changes, the turnout was amazing, and it was so lovely to see you all! We hope you had a good time!

**We are very excited to tell you that we raised just over £5000!**

The PTA Team would like to express particular thanks to the following who helped enormously in the setting up and running of the event:

The PTA volunteers and parent helpers – events like this would simply not happen without your support – thank you for everything.

I would like to give special thanks to the members of the PTA committee, including the toys and game group for their help and support throughout the planning process.

Teachers, members of staff and Year 6 children who helped out on the day. Plus, the amazing Year 6 children who helped with sorting all the raffle tickets and distributing them before the event!

Mrs Rose for spending her time folding the raffle tickets.

Mr Tyler for his continual support and help.

Mr Salter for all that he does to support the PTA and making sure we have everything we need to put on our events.

To all the children who chose to wear mufti clothes in exchange for a gift or donation towards the Fair. Without you and your parent's kind generosity and support, many of the stalls we run wouldn't happen.

Thank you to Stuart Little of Horts Estate Agents for supplying the advertising boards throughout the village and a bouncy castle!

Thank you to our contact at Barclaycard who matched £4£ on the money raised by the raffle.

Thank you to the Brixworth and Scaldwell Scout volunteers with their "Akela Trailer" providing hot food.

Thank you to all the business, stallholders and parents who contributed to our Fair, Raffle and donated prizes for our many games. It was lovely to see so many local business supporting our event:

*Horts*

*Wilson Brown*

*Able Mortgages*

*Mercedes*

*Florere*

*EC Plumbing and Heating*

*Stuart's Hairdressers*

*Ann Foley*

*Dominic LeHane*

*Blasons Garage*

*Tesco Weston Favell*

*Naomi Boddington*

*Magma Group*

*Fleur Fields*

*Northampton Sailing Club*

*Everyone Active*

*Northampton Covert Farm Caravan Site*

*Ray Bell & Sons Skip Hire & Recycling*

Thank you all so much!  
Lenette Warren, Chairperson



**FREE!**  
**Burgers & Hotdogs**  
**AND**  
**UNIFORM SWAP**  
**Friday 19<sup>th</sup> July**  
**3:30-4pm**  
**Outside of Brixworth Community Centre**  
**Donations please, for FOODSHARE family Summer Holiday Project**

**BRIXWORTH COMMUNITY CHURCH**  
 Following Jesus Together  
 CHAPEL

**YEAR 5 & 6 OVERVIEW**  
**WHAT'S COMING UP AT GUILSBOROUGH...**

- **Year 6 Open Evening**  
 - 3rd October 2024
- **Year 6 taster sessions**  
 - 24 September 2024  
 - 8 October 2024  
 - 15 October 2024  
 - 22 October 2024
- **Year 5 parent forum**  
 - May 2025
- **Year 5 taster sessions**  
 - June and July 2025
- **Open Mornings**  
 - Hosted by Principal

**RESPECT | ASPIRATION | RESPONSIBILITY | EQUALITY**



### **Kingswood Catering** **- September Ordering Deadline**

The last date to order your child's meals with Kingswood catering for September is **Wednesday 28th August**.

Please can we remind you that if your child is currently in Year 2, they will no longer be entitled to universal meals from September.

Foundation Stage in September do not need to order meals yet as they will have the packed lunch meals for the first 2 weeks.

**FREE!**  
**Family Fun Day**

**Saturday 27th July**  
**1pm- 4pm at**

**Brixworth CEVC Primary School**  
**on Froxhill Crescent NN6 9BG**



Join your friends from Brixworth Community Church for some **free fun...**  
 Bouncy Castle, Gladiators, Coconut Shy, BBQ  
 Fire Engine plus lots more.



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# Summer Reading Challenge 2024

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# Marvellous Makers

THE READING AGENCY

Celebrating creativity

CREATE

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# Brixworth Library

# Special Events

online booking essential

JUL 26 FRI

Meet the Animals

learn to care for a variety of pets

14:15-16:00 | 4-12yrs

AUG 3 SAT

Play & Perform

performing arts & drama games

10:30-11:30 | 5-12yrs

9 FRI

A Home for Harmony

pre-school theatre show

14:30-15:20 | 0-5yrs

16 FRI

STEM Workshop: Colour

explore light, colour & dyes

12:30-13:30 | 5-12yrs

20 TUE

STEM Workshop: Circuits

play with buzzers, LEDs & motors

10:30-11:30 | 7-12yrs

30 FRI

Big Bounce!

2 bouncy castles & soft play

10:00-16:00 | 0-12yrs

2 SESSIONS

14:15-15:00

15:15-16:00

Scan to book or find us on eventbrite.co.uk

bookings open 2 weeks before each event

1 HOUR SLOTS

10:00-11:00

11:00-12:00

12:00-13:00

13:00-14:00

14:00-15:00

15:00-16:00

Strict age limits apply. Younger siblings, including babes in arms, will not be admitted.

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# Marvellous Makers

SATURDAYS 10:00-13:00

Brilliant Builders

LEGO & more; build whatever you like

0-12yrs | drop-in | free

WEDNESDAYS 10:00-16:00

Creative Crafters

new take-home craft each week (repeated Thu)

0-12yrs | drop-in | 50p

FRIDAYS 10:00-11:00

Mini Makers

art themed pre-school play sessions

0-4yrs | drop-in | free

MONDAYS 12:00-16:00

Awesome Artists

work together to decorate the library windows

0-12yrs | drop-in | free

THURSDAYS 10:00-16:00

Creative Crafters

new take-home craft each week (repeat of Wed)

0-12yrs | drop-in | 50p

find all our bookable events on eventbrite.co.uk

children under 8 must be accompanied by an adult

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