



Bladon Buzz

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Bladon C of E Primary School

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A note from the headteacher

Week 2 term 5 at Bladon.

It was fabulous to see so many of you at our health and well-being afternoon on Friday. The afternoon began with a talk from Andy Nicholettos an osteopath, sports medicine clinician & rehabilitation lead about what it means to be fit. He then challenged us to show him how fit we are, by inviting us to join him in a fitness session outside. So, as the sun shone onto Bladon's playground, 20 parents, 90 children and their class teachers joined in with a whole school fitness session. All the children thoroughly enjoyed themselves in the session as well as being able to challenge their parents. Afterwards the children then moved off to taster sessions in: rowing, yoga, hand massage, healthy eating with FOBS and making healthy smoothies. I would like to thank: Matt for organising the event, Andy Nicholettos and Danielle Pain from The Pain Clinic, Michelle from Michelle's Manicures, Edwards and Ward, Florence for her yoga class and the FOBS team.

Tracey Fletcher
Head Teacher

Behaviour & Manners: Felix Goodwin & Eva Kalu

If you have any questions or queries concerning the school or your child/children, please do not hesitate to speak to your child's teacher or contact me at school. Alternatively, you can email me at head.3146@bladon.oxon.sch.uk

The message that we took away as a school was 'Good health and wellbeing is essential for successful learning and happy lives for children and young people.' Something we wholly endorse as a school.



Cherry Class enjoying yoga.



Willow class at the snack shack.



Apple class roaring like lions at yoga.



Oak class relaxing with a hand massage.

Safety in the school grounds

Can I please remind everyone that children should be playing in the playground after school and not at the front of the school for safety reasons.

Bladon Community Orchard

Now that the WREN grant has been confirmed and the Parish Council is in the process of choosing contractors for the ground works, we are working with the school on a grant application to the Tree Council for our first apple and pear trees. We hope that villages and children will take part in choosing the rest of the trees and planting them at the end of November (when the ground should be ready for the Orchard).

If you would like to become involved please email Gillian.forrest@psych.ox.ac.uk or contact a member of the BVHC. We are planning to set up a meeting soon to share ideas and get everyone involved.

BVHC Members: Mike Owen, Jean-Luc Schwenninger, Carol Browning, Sam Cook, Gillian Forrest.

Annual Bladon Parish Council Meeting

Please come and show your support for the resolution to the waste spread on Bladon's fields

11th May at 7.30p.m in the church rooms

Dates for your diary:

Monday 8th May – SAT's Week (Year 6)

Tuesday 23rd May – Year 6 induction at Marlborough School

Friday 26th May – Whole School Photo at Blenheim

Break up Friday 26th May at 3p.m.

Monday 5th June - Inset Day, return to school Tuesday 6th June