



South Baddesley CE Primary School

FRIDAY BULLETIN -13.05.22

Dear parents,

Congratulations to year 6 who have completed their SATs this week. Our current year 6 children are the first cohort to take these tests since 2019. They have worked incredibly hard this year in preparation for these tests and worked hard all week to do their very best. Well done year 6!

In other news, children in years 1 and 2 organised a wonderful 'model village' event this week. Following their Design and Technology (DT) project last term about structures, the children applied this knowledge by making their own buildings for a new community - the first ever SBS 'Model Village!' Alongside their DT learning, the children were required to consider global communities and what would make a good place to live. They then went on to consider what it feels like to have an inadequate home and thought about how we could help. This resulted in the children incorporating the 50p Shelter Challenge into their model village by charging an entrance fee of 50p. I am delighted to share that the children raised £103 for the charity. This DT project is an example of how Explorer curriculum offers additional challenge to children through the creation of projects that require deep thinking and links beyond South Baddesley. It is also an example of how through partnership work with families, children can achieve amazing results!

Reports from Year 2:

On Thursday 12th May KS1 had a model village set up in the school garden. We were raising money for Shelter. Shelter is a charity that helps people who are homeless or that do not have very good houses. We raised £103!

Thank you everyone for supporting us.
Pippa Sellars

On Thursday 12th May KS1 made a model village and you can only come if you paid fifty pence. It was in the school garden. When you went in you could see a swimming pool, a vet's and lots of others. We were raising money for Shelter. Shelter is a company that gives people a home. We raised £103 for Shelter.

Thank you for coming.
Ami Thomas

Yesterday KS1 made an epic model village and oodles of people came. There were barns, boxes, a telephone box and even a swimming pool!

We set it up in the school gardens and guess what? We saved up to £103. People were meant to pay 50p but some people paid £1. Every 50p or £1 goes to a charity called Shelter. Shelter helps homeless people.

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The Queens Jubilee Event

We will be celebrating the Queen's Jubilee in school on Friday 27th May. During the day we will all be attending a dance workshops and learning a different dance that has been popular throughout the last 70 years. The dance workshops are being provided by an external company, kindly paid for by the SBS Friends. In addition, we will be making crowns and bunting, as well as having a picnic lunch. **Children may come to school dressed in blue and/or red on the day but please ensure all outfits are suitable for dancing!**

At the end of the day we will be having a very special procession of 'crowns' and then performing some of our new dances to you. The Friends will be selling ice-creams at the end of the day too.

The procession, performances and ice-creams will be from 3pm and last approximately 30 minutes.

Parish of Boldre Event - Thursday 2nd June, from 12.30pm

There will be a further Jubilee celebration during the half term holiday, organised by Boldre Parish Council. This event will be in the recreation field of the Boldre War Memorial Hall. SBS families will be warmly welcomed to this event and we will be contributing the the school's bunting decorations, as well as helping children to make crowns that they can then wear to this event.

Mr. Rickman (Arthur and Sam's dad) is responsible for organising the 'tug of war' at this celebration and teams of 8 are encouraged to participate. If you would like to put a team together, please contact Steve on:
steven.rickman1@btinternet.com

The Summer Fete is back!

After two years of missed fetes - the SBS Summer Fete is back! This year it will be held on **Saturday 25th June, from 1pm.**

Our fete is a great community event and the perfect time to meet other SBS families. This year we are hoping to get as many people as possible involved in the organisation of this event; with the principle 'many hands make light work' in mind, we are hoping this will enable it to be an afternoon that everyone can enjoy.

Attached to this letter is a sign-up sheet for stalls and activities we would like to have available at the fete. Please do sign-up. Maybe groups of parents could work together to manage a stall each - taking the pressure away from just a few people?

The funds raised by events such as the fete are used to enhance the provision at SBS by buying lovely extras and benefiting all children. Please do get involved with the Friends of SBS - all support and contributions are welcomed.



Friday Explorers

Gruffalo - Lochy for excellent effort and progress in phonics. Lochy is so keen to learn his phonics that he has been keeping Miss. Martin on her toes by reminding her to check the special words they have been learning !

Elmer - Following the theme of phonics - Minna has also been working hard in her phonics lessons and making great leaps forward in her reading. Well done Minna!

Paddington - Ami for her efforts to solve Mrs. Gormley's extra challenging mathematics problems this week. Well done Ami for persevering and making great progress.

Tulane - Sienna for settling in so well to the SBS team - it is great to have you with us!

Shadow - Mac for his hard work and commitment to mathematics this week. Well done Mac you are a super learner.

Aslan - Polly for incredible commitment and hard work in all of her learning; this has been demonstrated by her conduct during SATs week but also in her sewing lessons - Polly your pencil case is coming on brilliantly!

