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INFANTS AND JUNIORS WIN FOOD FOR LIFE AWARD!

We are delighted that both the Infant and the Junior Schools have received Bronze Food for Life Awards.

These awards recognise the work the children do across different parts of the curriculum, and through enrichment opportunities, to learn about healthy eating, where our food comes from and how we can ensure the high quality of what we eat.



THE ALLOTMENT PROJECT
 by CASSON & FRIENDS

Dance theatre performances and workshops
 Gardening workshops
 Arts and crafts

dance meets documentary to celebrate the joy of growing plants, food & relationships

#AllotmentProjectShow

ARTS COUNCIL ENGLAND

Saturday 11th May 2024, 12-4pm

1pm and 2.30pm The Allotment Project shows, workshop at 1.30pm

Caldmore Community Garden, Carless Street, Walsall WS1



THEY SEE ME ROLLIN COMPETITION

We are inviting all the children to take part in this competition to promote safe cycling.

This year the theme for this competition is 'I want to ride my bicycle.'

Children are invited to write a slogan or poem about helmet safety or riding a bicycle safely.

Children should make sure their name and class are on their entries and hand them into the office.

There will be prizes for selected winners.

Please return entries to the office by Friday 24th May.



SPORTS FOR CHAMPIONS VISIT

The Paris Olympics will be taking place later in the summer. To mark this international sporting moment we are delighted and excited that the infant and junior children will have the opportunity to welcome **James Dasaolu—a British 100m 2012 Olympic competitor**—on Friday 14th June.

The children will be doing sponsored activities that day to raise funds for the schools. The children will hear more about the visit on Monday and we will also be sending more details to parents/carers next week.



SUMMER FAIR—SAVE THE DATE!

The PTA will be holding the Summer Fair at the Infant School after school on Friday 28th June.

The Fair is for the whole Blue Coat community (Infants and Juniors). There will be more details coming soon!

The PTA always welcomes new volunteers to help them throughout the year and with events like the Summer Fair.

Would you be able to give some time to help the PTA set up the Summer Fair during the day on Friday 28th June? If you are, the PTA would love to hear from you!

If you are interested in helping the PTA, please email:

pta@bluecoatfederation.co.uk



HATS AND SUN CREAM

Children can bring a plain coloured sun hat to school to wear for protection from the sun. Please make sure it is clearly marked with your child's name and class.

Your child can bring sun cream to school also. Bottles should be clearly marked with your child's name and class. Children need to be able to apply the sun cream themselves.

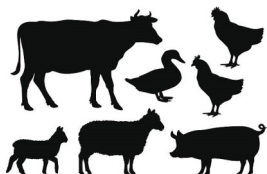
END OF KEY STAGE ASSESSMENTS

Our Year 6 children will be completing their end of Key Stage assessment tests next week.

The Year 1 phonics assessment, the Year 2 end of Key Stage assessments and the Year 4 multiplication assessments will all take place in the second half of the Summer Term.

NURSERY FARM VISIT

The Nursery children will be visiting the Farm on Wednesday 15th May.



THIS WEEK'S CLASS ATTENDANCE WINNERS



Infants: Penguins — 98.3%

Juniors: 4NR — 98.08%



SPORTS DAYS

Parents/Carers are invited to join us for our sports days which are taking place later this term. Please be aware that arrangements for sports days can change at short notice due to the weather. In the event of poor weather we will try to arrange a new date but this is not always possible.



Year Group	Date and Time	Location
Year 6	Thurs 23rd May 1.30pm	Mayfield School
Year 5	Thurs 6th June 1.30pm	Mayfield School
Year 4	Thurs 13th June 1.30pm	Mayfield School
Year 3	Thurs 20th June 1.30pm	Mayfield School
Year 2	Thurs 27th June 1.30pm	Mayfield School
Year 1	Thurs 4th July 1.30pm	Mayfield School
Reception	Fri 21st June 1.30pm	Infant School
Morning Nursery	Mon 24th June 9.45am	Infant School
Afternoon Nursery	Mon 24th June 1.45pm	Infant School

Please note that Years 1 to 6 all have their sports days at Mayfield School, Sutton Road, Walsall WS1 2PD (next to Queen Mary's Grammar School). We are very grateful to Mayfield for giving us access to their sports field.

Please be aware that there is no parking at the Mayfield site for parents/carers. Please also plan for the fact that toilet facilities are not available to parents/carers and pre-school children attending sports days at Mayfield.

YEAR 2 MOSQUE VISIT

As part of their Religious Education work, Year 2 will be visiting Aisha Mosque on Wednesday 22nd May. The children have visited other place of worship during the year.

COMEDY CORNER



Which season is the best time for a trampoline?

Spring!

