

Belton C of E Primary School

# Newsletter 1

Summer Term

3<sup>rd</sup> May 2019

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## Statutory Inspection of Anglican and Methodist Schools (SIAMS) Report

We are delighted with the SIAMS report we have received this week following our recent inspection. The report is available on our website [www.belton.leics.sch.uk](http://www.belton.leics.sch.uk) so please do take a look.

Here are some highlights:

- The passion with which the leaders at all levels and the whole school community speak about the schools' Christian vision is impressive, inspiring all to flourish
- The vision of Belton C of E Primary School is promoted well within RE
- Mental health and wellbeing provision is exceptionally strong for all members of the school community enabling all to experience life in all its fullness. The school provides valuable inclusive support for vulnerable pupils and those who have special educational needs and their families.

## A message from FOBS

Please take food for the tea to the village hall from 1.30pm.  
Thank you.



## Scarborough Residential Visit Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> May – Friday 10<sup>th</sup> May

The children are getting very excited about the residential visit to Scarborough next week.

If your child is going on the trip please make sure they are at school for 8.45am on Tuesday morning and have with them a packed lunch and drink in a disposable bag. We are hoping the sun will shine for them while they are away and look forward to hearing their stories and seeing their photographs on their return.

Welcome back to the shortest half term ever!

It is packed with events and activities not least May Day on Saturday!



May Day Update  
Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> May

**We are all excited to be taking part in tomorrow's annual village May Day celebrations.**

We will meet in front of the village hall from 1.30pm and at 2pm prompt we will process through the village to the maypole for the crowning of this year's May Queen, Neive. This will be followed by the dancing.

At approximately 3pm, when the dancing is finished, tea will be served for the dancers. Refreshments will be served by FOBS for families and spectators.

Please remember that the children are the responsibility of parents and carers once the dancing is over. If you require a seat please don't forget to bring one. Due to our numbers we can only provide seating for our dancers.

We are hoping for some sunshine on the special day.

Thank you for all your support.



## Coming up



Please keep the date free BeltonFest Saturday 29th June

Friday 17th May will be a **NON UNIFORM** day organised by **FOBS**.

As payment for not wearing school uniform FOBS would like you to bring in a bottle for the bottle tombola at BeltonFest.

There will be another non uniform day later in the term when we will be asking for a tombola prize as payment.

## Year 6 Peak District Adventure



On Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> June our Year 6 children are going on a short adventure to the wilds of Derbyshire and will be taking part in The Search for Madwoman's Stones. We hope they have a memorable time together before they move on to their next school. More details will be sent out to Year 6 parents in the next few weeks.

We break for half term on Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> May. School is closed to pupils on Friday 24<sup>th</sup> May and we start back for the final half term of the school year on Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> June.

Mr Vasey will not be in school for the last 2 weeks of this half term.

**There will be no Running club on Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> and 21<sup>st</sup> May and no Football club on 16<sup>th</sup> and 23<sup>rd</sup> May.**

## Class and Leavers Photographs

**Class photographs were sent out in the book bags this week. Copies of the actual photographs are available to view in the school office. Please come and have a look – they are great photographs!**

**Please return the envelope to school by the end of next week if possible.**

**Every purchase you make helps raise money for our school funds! Thank you!**

Belton School Annual sports Festival will take place on Monday 24<sup>th</sup> June at 1.30pm



## KS2 VR Day – Bringing the Outside World into the Classroom

On Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> May Miss North has arranged for a Virtual Reality Day for the Lions and Sea Otters from the PrimeVR Company.

*"PrimeVR uses Virtual Reality (VR) to open a pupil's imagination and bring learning to life. We aim to give pupils the opportunity to see places from all over the world.*

### **How does it work?**

*Using VR headsets pupils will be able to see a 360° perspective of the place they are visiting, almost giving them the feeling of being there. For example, if pupils are learning about Ancient Egypt, we will be able to take them to see the Pyramids of Giza and the Great Sphinx."*

We will be asking for a donation toward the cost of this amazing and unforgettable experience.

## Year 3 and 4 Be Skilled Sports Afternoon

On Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> June the Lions are taking part in a variety of sporting events at Oxley Primary School with other children from our family of schools. Transport will be provided and the children will be back at school for the end of the school day.

# Diary Dates

## May 2019

Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> May Day celebrations. Meet at the village hall from 1.30pm

Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> May – Friday 10<sup>th</sup> May  
Residential visit to Scarborough  
with Diseworth School

Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> Governing Body, Health and Safety Committee meeting. 6pm  
Friday 17<sup>th</sup> Non uniform day organised by FOBS. Bring a prize for the bottle tombola stall as payment for not wearing school uniform  
Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> PrimeVR Day for KS2 children  
Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> We break up today for the half term break at 3.10pm  
Friday 24<sup>th</sup> School is closed to pupils today.

## June 2019

Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> School open after the half term break  
Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> Induction evening for new parents. 7pm  
Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> BeSkilled Trust sports event at Belton School for Tigers  
Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> Assembly in church at 9am. All welcome to join us  
Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> Tigers to St Botolph's School for a Be Skilled Trust day  
Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> FOBS committee meeting. 7pm at the Queen's Head  
Monday 24<sup>th</sup> Belton School Annual sports Festival. 1.30pm  
Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> Year 6 Peak District residential adventure

Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> June



## July 2019

Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> Assembly in church at 9am. All welcome to join us  
Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> Year 6 BBQ  
Friday 12<sup>th</sup> End of term assembly at 9am. Parents and carers are welcome to join us  
Friday 12<sup>th</sup> We break for the summer holidays at 3.10pm