



PRIDE IN ALL WE DO

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Certificates

In our assembly this week certificates were awarded to:

Riley Kift, Dexter Reed, Fern Vanstone,
Henry Pitcher, Thomas Robins, Immi Stevens,
Charlotte Rawlinson, Sam Austen
and
Lilly and Alfie Tregellas-Kerley

Well done to you all we are very proud of

Happy Birthday!

Lily Gibson, Noah Gibson,
Logan Shapland

Notices

Prostate Cancer UK House Group Day

Similar to previous years, on Friday 13th March we will be having a Creative House Group Day. As Nick Butter will be visiting us for the final time the following Monday, the proceeds from the day will be going to his chosen charity, Prostate Cancer UK. The children will be taking part in a range of physical activities, including the Prostate Cancer UK Mile around the field. Also, for a donation of £1.00, if they wish, children may come into school dressed as a famous sportsman/woman. **YOUR CHILD WILL NEED TO BE IN SUITABLE CLOTHES FOR PHYSICAL ACTIVITY and WILL NEED PLENTY TO DRINK!** Prostate Cancer UK pin badges will be on sale for £2 on the day.

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A Message from Mrs Denham

Department for Education Coronavirus helpline

The DfE have launched a new helpline to answer questions about COVID-19 related to education. Staff, parents and young people can contact the helpline as follows:

Phone: 0800 046 8687

Email: DfE.coronavirushelpline@education.gov.uk

Opening hours: 8am to 6pm (Monday to Friday)

We hope all parents have signed up for their parents conference. A reminder that Class Lyn and Caen will hold theirs on Monday 9th and Tuesday 10th and Class Bray on Wednesday 18th March.

Everyone is invited to attend our Easter service in the Church on Friday 27th March at 10.00am

FACEBOOK PAGE: School staff use our Bratton Fleming Facebook page as a regular way to communicate information, messages, trip, visits etc. to parents, carers and friends of Bratton Fleming school. We often share messages and photos. Please regularly check the Facebook page as we find more people check Facebook than they do the website. If we have to close for bad weather, this is a place we would announce what is happening with the school.

Many thanks for your support

Notices

World Book Day

We are celebrating World Book Day, on Monday 9th March. Children are welcome to wear a costume to school relating to a book. At some point during the day, the children will be working in their house groups.

Dance Club This club takes place on Wednesdays after school, 3.15 to 4.15pm. We still have a few spaces available if anyone in Year 2 and above would like to join. Please register in the school office.

Year 6 Leaver's Assembly advance notice, this will be held on Thursday 16th July at 9.15am. All parents of Year 6 pupils welcome to attend.

Class Bray

Please could you discuss your child's 'dragon egg carrier' design with them and bring in the recyclable objects needed to make them.

Class Photos All children have been given an order form. If you wish to order a class photo please return your envelope by Friday 20th March. Photos of Class Lyn, Caen and Torridge are on view outside the school office. Class Bray's is on display in their classroom.

Nick Butter Visit

On Monday 16th March, Nick Butter (marathon man) will be visiting the school for the final time. He will be talking to the children in assembly at 9.15am, about his adventures. Parents are more than welcome to attend if they would like to hear some of his inspiring stories.



Dates for your Diary

9th to 13th March

Parent Conference week

10th March 2020

NSPCC visit for KS1 & 2, Yr. 5&6 Workshop

16th March 2020

Nick Butter to visit

18th to 20th March 2020

Year 3&4 Residential to Skern Lodge

26th March 2020

PTA Cinema Night 3.15pm to 5.00pm

27th March 2020

Easter service in St Peter's Church at 10.00am

Last day of term

14th April 2020

Summer Term begins

FRIDAY 8th MAY 2020

Spring Bank Holiday

11th to 15th May 2020

KS2 Sats week

15th May 2020

Quadkids sporting Event

18th to 22nd May 2020

KS1 Sats week

18th May 2020

Rounders at Pilton

19th May 2020

Tag Rugby Competition

21st May 2020

Wilcombe Wobbler - Sporting Event

22nd May 2020

Ilfracombe Aquathlon

25th to 29th May 2020 Half Term

8th to 12th June 2020

Year 1 Phonics Check

8th to 26th June 2020

Year 4 Multiplication Check

10th June 2020

Sports Day PM

12th June 2020

Olympic Legacy

17th June 2020

Beach Volleyball

19th June 2020

Oceanfest at Croyde Year 5&6

14th July 2020

North Devon Girl's Football Tournament

16th July 2020

Year 6 leaver's Assembly 9.15am

17th July 2020

Last Day of term



Our P.T.A

Club 59

We hope you enjoyed reading your letters this week explaining what Club 59 is all about. As you know with budgets for schools falling shorter and shorter, it's becoming more and more essential for additional funding to help schools continue to offer the best education and experiences possible for our children. So what better way to help than having a cheeky weekly flutter - when there's a 1 in 59 probability, of there being something in it for you too! There was no winner this week, meaning there's a chance of a rollover coming up! Roll up roll up - It Could Be You.....

If you have yet to pay, please drop the money off in a marked envelope to the office.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

After School Film Night

Thursday 26th March

£2 per child (includes squash and popcorn)

Details to follow.

Easter Egg Hunt

Friday 10th April (Good Friday)

3.00-5.00pm at BF Sports Club

Details to follow.

Donations

Some of the supermarkets are selling boxed Easter Eggs for only 75p/£1 so if you would like to get ahead of the game, we would be very grateful for any donations of Easter Eggs for the Easter Egg Hunt! Please drop them into the school office.

Thank you for your continued support.



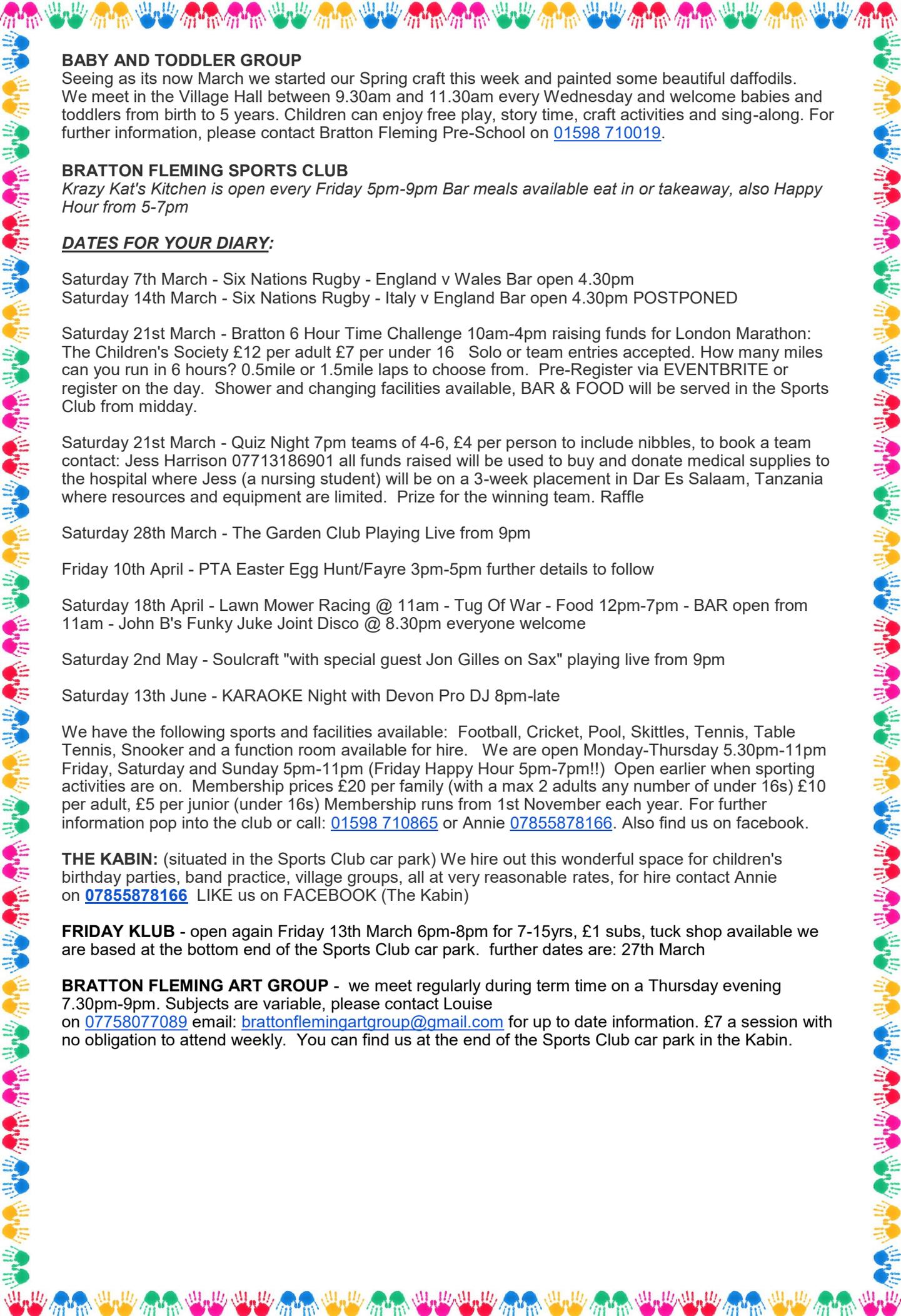
PRE-SCHOOL

What a busy week at Pre-School. We have been spending lots of time outside this week, playing chasing games and taking turns in the caterpillar tunnel. Inside we've really enjoyed using the whiteboard pens and writing our names and drawing different things, we've been role playing in the home corner where lots of babies have been born and need looking after.

We have enjoyed dressing up for World Book Day where we had lots of different book characters and story based activities from Gruffalo playdough to the hungry caterpillar necklaces.



We are open Monday to Friday between 8am and 5pm. We accept Early Years Funding where 3/4yr olds can access 15 hours of childcare a week. We also offer the 30-hour free childcare entitlement where you can access an additional 15 hours funding a week. We are an approved setting to accept 2-year-old funding for 2 year olds. For further information, or if you would like to arrange a visit, please contact us on 01598 710019. We look forward to welcoming you and your family.



BABY AND TODDLER GROUP

Seeing as its now March we started our Spring craft this week and painted some beautiful daffodils. We meet in the Village Hall between 9.30am and 11.30am every Wednesday and welcome babies and toddlers from birth to 5 years. Children can enjoy free play, story time, craft activities and sing-along. For further information, please contact Bratton Fleming Pre-School on [01598 710019](tel:01598710019).

BRATTON FLEMING SPORTS CLUB

Krazy Kat's Kitchen is open every Friday 5pm-9pm Bar meals available eat in or takeaway, also Happy Hour from 5-7pm

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:

Saturday 7th March - Six Nations Rugby - England v Wales Bar open 4.30pm
Saturday 14th March - Six Nations Rugby - Italy v England Bar open 4.30pm POSTPONED

Saturday 21st March - Bratton 6 Hour Time Challenge 10am-4pm raising funds for London Marathon: The Children's Society £12 per adult £7 per under 16 Solo or team entries accepted. How many miles can you run in 6 hours? 0.5mile or 1.5mile laps to choose from. Pre-Register via EVENTBRITE or register on the day. Shower and changing facilities available, BAR & FOOD will be served in the Sports Club from midday.

Saturday 21st March - Quiz Night 7pm teams of 4-6, £4 per person to include nibbles, to book a team contact: Jess Harrison 07713186901 all funds raised will be used to buy and donate medical supplies to the hospital where Jess (a nursing student) will be on a 3-week placement in Dar Es Salaam, Tanzania where resources and equipment are limited. Prize for the winning team. Raffle

Saturday 28th March - The Garden Club Playing Live from 9pm

Friday 10th April - PTA Easter Egg Hunt/Fayre 3pm-5pm further details to follow

Saturday 18th April - Lawn Mower Racing @ 11am - Tug Of War - Food 12pm-7pm - BAR open from 11am - John B's Funky Juke Joint Disco @ 8.30pm everyone welcome

Saturday 2nd May - Soulcraft "with special guest Jon Gilles on Sax" playing live from 9pm

Saturday 13th June - KARAOKE Night with Devon Pro DJ 8pm-late

We have the following sports and facilities available: Football, Cricket, Pool, Skittles, Tennis, Table Tennis, Snooker and a function room available for hire. We are open Monday-Thursday 5.30pm-11pm Friday, Saturday and Sunday 5pm-11pm (Friday Happy Hour 5pm-7pm!!) Open earlier when sporting activities are on. Membership prices £20 per family (with a max 2 adults any number of under 16s) £10 per adult, £5 per junior (under 16s) Membership runs from 1st November each year. For further information pop into the club or call: [01598 710865](tel:01598710865) or Annie [07855878166](tel:07855878166). Also find us on facebook.

THE KABIN: (situated in the Sports Club car park) We hire out this wonderful space for children's birthday parties, band practice, village groups, all at very reasonable rates, for hire contact Annie on [07855878166](tel:07855878166) LIKE us on FACEBOOK (The Kabin)

FRIDAY KLUB - open again Friday 13th March 6pm-8pm for 7-15yrs, £1 subs, tuck shop available we are based at the bottom end of the Sports Club car park. further dates are: 27th March

BRATTON FLEMING ART GROUP - we meet regularly during term time on a Thursday evening 7.30pm-9pm. Subjects are variable, please contact Louise on [07758077089](tel:07758077089) email: brattonflemingartgroup@gmail.com for up to date information. £7 a session with no obligation to attend weekly. You can find us at the end of the Sports Club car park in the Kabin.