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# FAIR FIELD NEWS

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Dear Parents and Carers,

We are well underway in the Spring Term here and the learning energy from the children is supersonic! Children are immersed in their topic work and looking forward to their hands on History learning through visitors and trips. Today, Year 6 headed off to the British Museum and Year 5 travelled back in time to the Viking age to learn about the influences they had on Europe with their raiding and trading!

WOW! We are overwhelmed with pride with our indoor athletics team who won the heats at the Hertfordshire competition and now go on to the finals. They showed determination, resilience, teamwork and comradery and their success is wholly attributed to these character traits (oh and more than a smidge of talent too of course!).

Red house celebrated their win last term with a disco hosted by Miss Hyde – we witnessed lots of the old classics, such as the Macarena and some modern favourites too of course! Next week is Mental Health Awareness week led by Mrs Hinton where we will be learning about how to find our own brave.

Mrs Aharon & Mrs Goodwin

### Inbound Gateway messages

When you receive a message from the school via Gateway if you want it to display "Fair Field" please save us as the following contact number.

01923 750 087

Our phone number for incoming and outgoing calls remains untouched (01923 856341)

### Red House Disco

Red house enjoyed their reward disco with treats this week with Miss Hyde!



### Year 6

A fantastic and interesting trip took place on Friday to see the Greeks at the British Museum – lots of headless statues!



We also met Michael Rosen too – what an added bonus!





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### House Points

Points from last week below. These will be updated on Monday to determine the weekly winner.

- 1<sup>st</sup> **92 Willow**
- 2<sup>nd</sup> **81 Kendals**
- 3<sup>rd</sup> **71 Phillimore**
- 4<sup>th</sup> **65 Orchard**



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### Dates for your Diary

27 <sup>th</sup> January	Children's mental health week	All
<b>27<sup>th</sup> January</b>	<b>Isle of Wight meeting</b>	<b>Year 6 parents</b>
28 <sup>th</sup> January (10am-12pm)	Sports Hall athletics	<b>Year 4</b>
30 <sup>th</sup> January	Anne Frank Exhibition at St Albans Cathedral	Year 4
<b>4<sup>th</sup> February (10am-2pm)</b>	<b>Hockey &amp; Speed Stacking Finals</b>	<b>School teams</b>
5 <sup>th</sup> February	Celtic Harmony	Year 3
13 <sup>th</sup> February	Pizza Express	Year 3
<b>10<sup>th</sup> -14<sup>th</sup> February</b>	<b>Bikeability Cycle Training</b>	<b>Year 6</b>
<b>14<sup>th</sup> February</b>	<b>Break up for Half Term 3.10pm</b>	<b>All</b>
17 <sup>th</sup> – 21 <sup>st</sup> February	HALF TERM	All
26 <sup>th</sup> February	Harry Potter Studios	Year 6
<b>28<sup>th</sup> February (9am)</b>	<b>Mini Police Awards (Parents welcome)</b>	<b>Year 5</b>
2 <sup>nd</sup> March	Book Week	All
3 <sup>rd</sup> March (10am – 12pm)	Y3&4 Gymnastics	12 children
5 <sup>th</sup> March	World Book Day	All
9 <sup>th</sup> March	SATS Mock Week	All

*New/changed dates are in red*

### The Diamond book



Congratulations to the following children for recognition of their fantastic work this week.



<b><u>3 Walliams</u></b> Ioana	<b><u>4 Morpurgo</u></b> Jesse Lyra	<b><u>5 Pullman</u></b> Harrison, Vinnie, Lewis, Olivia, Sophia, Brooke B, Princess	<b><u>6 Rosen</u></b> Michaela Evan, Aaron Ayden Benji
<b><u>3 Blyton</u></b> Vinny	<b><u>4 Rowling</u></b> Ellie Willow	<b><u>5 Ridley</u></b> Harry Joni Hollie	<b><u>6 Blackman</u></b> Will

### Fair Field Superstars

Due to History trips for Y5&6 the F Factor will take place on Monday and next week's newsletter will hold a double edition!



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### Radlett Tennis Club

Radlett Lawn Tennis Club are holding a half term camp, 9.30am-3pm for any tennis enthusiasts or children looking for a new hobby. Prices start from £27 per day. More information is available on the following link.

[www.clubspark.lta.org.uk](http://www.clubspark.lta.org.uk)



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### Sports Hall Athletics Champions!

This week we celebrate another sporting success – 24 children from Years’ 5 and 6 represented Fair Field at the Sports Hall Athletics tournament. In Hertfordshire, due to the higher than average single sex schools, the boys and girls competed separately. They competed in a variety of events they had trained hard for – on the track and field – including sprint relays, jumping and throwing events. Both teams were focused, determined and displayed great talent. As a result, we took both top spots and now begin our training for the Hertfordshire Partnership Finals. The date is to be confirmed. You will receive a message if your child was in the squad informing you when we hear of the date.



### Keep in Touch

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### Year 5 learning



Year 5 have been learning about anti-social behaviour in their mini police visit this week. They also immersed themselves in a Viking workshop – where they dressed up and handled a wide variety of artefacts.



Exposure to primary sources is a really excellent way to engage children in their learning and we are always looking for new and exciting ways to do this.



### Free Family Fun

This February half term Borehamwood Foodbank are running a free family lunch. The club will include lots of fun activities for families to enjoy, followed by a hot nutritious lunch and food to take home and cook together.

When: 11:30 – 1:30 Wednesday  
19<sup>th</sup> February

Where: St Teresa’s Church Hall,  
291 Shenley Road

The club is completely free to attend but advance booking essential via:  
Text only: 07526084633  
Or email:  
[info@borehamwood.foodbank.org.uk](mailto:info@borehamwood.foodbank.org.uk)

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