



31st January 2020



The Buzz this week ...

Another busy week has flown by here at Bovington Academy.

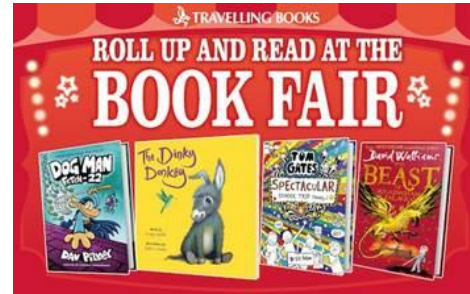
Next Tuesday is our class photograph day, so please remember to send in your children in the correct uniform, clean and tidy and ready to be photographed! If you do not wish your child/ren to appear in the photograph please contact the school office.

Please note that on Monday 3rd February Year 5 are having a cake bake sale after school, please bring along your pennies to spend. This is to raise funds towards their trip to Bristol.

You may be aware that we are working to recruit a new Principal for Bovington Academy and we met a candidate this week; nothing can be confirmed at the moment but we are keen to ensure that the school community is kept fully informed. We are determined to ensure that we find and appoint the right Principal for Bovington - a person who can lead our academy to provide the best possible education for our pupils. We will keep you updated over the next few weeks.

Lastly, I would like to welcome Chris Gibson who will be joining our teaching team after half term in Year 4, He has been in this week to meet the children.

We hope you have a lovely weekend.



Travelling Book Co will be in school:

Mon 9th – Thu 12th March, parents are welcome to bring their child/ren along from 3.15pm on those days.

Book week tokens are accepted. Please come along as the school will receive rewards which we can spend on our fabulous library.

You can also pre purchase **Extra Value Book Fair Gift Vouchers** online for your child here: <https://bookfairs.scholastic.co.uk/travelling-books/free-resources>.

Parents can buy a £6 Gift Voucher for £5, £12 Gift Voucher for £10, £24 Gift Voucher for £20 and £30 Gift Voucher for £25

Parentmail & SIMs Pay

It has also come to our attention that some parents are having difficulties with receiving emails via Parentmail and making payments through SIMs Pay. We are reviewing this and will send out information shortly.

Key Dates:

3rd February – Year 5 are running a Cake bake sale – After school – Please bring in your pennies

4th February – Class Photo's

10th & 11th February – Year 5 & 6 – Bikeability

14th February – Year 5 Trip

17th – 21st February – Spring Half Term

24th February – Children back in School

26th February – Nurse Drop-in session – 2.15pm – Parents invited into school.

26th February – Reception Height & Checks



Bikeability

(Year 5&6)

Did Santa Claus bring a bike this Christmas?

If you would like to raise your child's awareness of road safety, then sign up for Bikeability. The Bikeability Level 1 course aims to develop mastery in cycle handling in an off-road environment and prepare riders for cycling on the road. Bikeability is government-recognised, practical and professional training. Level 1 will take place in School on Monday 10th February, the cost is £16. On successful completion of Level 1, the children will complete Level 2 free of charge on Tuesday 11th February. All that is needed is a roadworthy bike and a helmet. Please sign up at the School office. This is a fantastic opportunity to raise awareness of road and cycling safety.



Wednesday 26th February

School Health Nursery Nurse

Parental Drop-in Session 2.15pm

Parents are invited to drop into school to speak to the School Nurse, they are on hand to offer advice if you have any concerns or worries...

Someone you know and can trust...

Your School Nursing Service can work both in and out of School to help provide or find you support about:

- **Keeping Healthy**
- **Immunisations**
- **Parenting Advice**
- **Emotional Health**
- **Bedwetting and Toileting**
- **Sleeping**
- **Healthy Eating and Weight Management**
- **Behaviour**



The Little Princess Trust provides free, real-hair wigs for young cancer sufferers or for children and young people experiencing the devastating effects of hair loss. We also fund pioneering, life-saving research into childhood cancers.

We use hair donations and fundraising monies sent to us by our amazing supporters, to manufacture and fit our beautiful real hair wigs.

When a child loses their hair to cancer, we'll be there with a free, real hair wig to help restore their confidence and identity. You can help us give hair and hope to children and young people, by funding real hair wigs and ground-breaking childhood cancer research projects.

I think you will agree that this is a fantastic cause. One of our Year 2 students is bravely supporting this amazing cause by having their hair cut during assembly on Monday 10th February. Please give generously.