



NEWSLETTER

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STEM CLUB

Stem club have had a fab couple of terms learning and exploring things from across the science, computing and design and technology curriculums. We have used TinkerCAD to design our own wheelchairs and game avatars. We've used Lego to design new Olympic games equipment for the Para-Olympics. We've also explored physics and how mass and gravity effects matter. If that wasn't enough, we have also used our coding learning from class to code Micro bits.



OLYMPICS WEEK



CONTACT OVER THE SUMMER

If you need to get in touch with the school over the holiday please use the info@oasisbankleaze.org account. The account will be monitored periodically and we will get back to you as soon as we can. Please use the summer contacts information if you need any support from other agencies over the break other than school

THANK YOU FOR A FANTASTIC YEAR

As this will be our last newsletter of the year, I just wanted to take the time to thank all of our Bank Lease families for another great year. This is my 5th full year at Bank Lease and each year just keeps getting better and better. I am very proud of all we have managed to achieve this year from the swimming pool, various school trips and visitors, an amazing set of Y6 SATs results as well as great progress across the school. Thank you all for helping make Bank Lease great- I hope you have an enjoyable summer and a good break from school. We will see you all back a school on Tues 3rd September.



SCHOOL STARTS BACK ON TUES 3rd SEPTEMBER

We will see you all on **Tues 3rd September!** Breakfast club and Sunset Explorers will be running on these days. 8:45 start for everyone else.

COME TO OUR BANK LEAZE FESTIVAL ON MONDAY 22/7/24

Great news- we are holding a Bank Lease summer festival on Monday 22nd July after school (from 3:00pm). This will be our school fayre and will raise much needed funds for our PTA. Please come along and spend a few pounds if you are able to. There will be stalls, games, drinks, hair glitter, nail painting and much more. Thank you to Miss Stevens for helping with this- volunteers to run a stall on the day or help set up are very welcome- please email PTA@oasisbankleaze.org if you can help. Cash only.



Y6 ACTIVITY WEEK AND SLEEP OVER

Last week Y6 had the most amazing week. They went on a number of adventures including having the Royal Navy in to work with them, working out travel routes to secondary and even going to AirHop. The highlight for everyone, including the staff (!), was of course our annual Y6 sleepover in school. The children had a great time and have had such a fun filled end to their time with us. We will miss you!



ECO TEAM

Thank you to the fantastic Eco Team, who have worked really hard to help keep the school green and maintain our Green Flag for the third year running. This year the Eco Team have achieved lots of successes including gardening club's vegetables, distinction for our Green Flag and our great food waste collecting. The Eco Team have made some posters to help advertise for our new Eco Team in September.





R	Amelia Karwowska	For Being so helpful and patient at Forest School this week! Well done Amelia!
Alex the Bear	Noah Thomas	
1	Harvey Sutton	For always being a kind and considerate friend who does everything he can to help others.
2	Harlow Griffin	For: being a great India athlete as part of Olympics Week and learning to ride a bike without stabilis-
3	Emmanuel Nwaobi	For being a fantastic athlete this week representing Spain in Olympics Week. For supporting his team and showing enthusiasm throughout.
4	Betsy Heather	For her effort in all sports in Olympic week
5	Phoebe Scrivin	For having such a fantastic attitude to learning and being a joy to teach this year.
6	Tegan Mitchell	For a standout performance in Shakespeare Rocks and for being a fantastic member of the year 6
Teacher	Affonso	For helping Bank Leaze to shine. The school is a better place because of your time here and we are really grateful for that! We will miss you!

GOODBYE AFFONSO!

We're sad to be saying goodbye to Affonso at the end of the summer holidays. Mr Pacheco is off to Oasis Connaught to conquer a two form entry school. We are very proud of all he has achieved at OABL and wish him the best of luck as he moves to a school within the trust. We know he will shine. We will miss you Mr P! We hope to have new Operations Manager in post by September, we will keep you updated on this.



RECEPTION FOREST SCHOOL!

Reception have really enjoyed Forest School this Term and this week was fire week! The children toasted marshmallows on the fire and made s'mores. They have enjoyed exploring the forest digging, searching for mini beasts, swinging and den making! This week they had an extra long session with lots of Forest play and enjoying the fire and the s'mores!



BREAKFATS CLUB & SUNSET EXPLORERS

Our Breakfast Club and Sunset Explorers Club will resume on Tuesday 03/09/2024. Bookings will be available on your MCAS from 19/08/2024.



Week Attendance

Reception	78%	↓
Year 1	88%	↓
Year 2	87%	↓
Year 3	89%	↓
Year 4	89%	↓
Year 5	90%	→
Year 6	95%	↓
Whole School	86%	↓

PARENT QUESTIONNAIRE

If you could spare 5 minutes to fill in our parent feedback form we would really appreciate it! Help us to get even better for next year!

<https://forms.office.com/e/LaZNeW8vCj>

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◇ No clubs ◇ Reception Art Workshop ◇ Year6 Leavers Assembly 14.00-14.30 ◇ OABL School Festival Starts at 15.00 ◇ Sunset Explorers 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◇ No clubs ◇ School finishes at 13.00 ◇ Confetti Exit for Year6 At 13.15 ◇ NO Sunset Explorers 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◇ School Closed 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◇ School Closed 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◇ School Closed