

Blofield Bulletin

News & information for Parents/ Carers

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SCHOOL OF KINDNESS

We have begun a project with the 52Lives charity called School of Kindness. The idea is to promote the culture of kindness in school by helping children realise that the little choices they make every day will affect others and their own physical and mental health.



Each term we will be working on a project to promote kindness both in **school** and in the **community**. Our school councilors are also Kindness Ambassadors and are helping to organise events so watch out for more news throughout the year.

For the rest of this term in school, we will be introducing a **Kindness Challenge** each week where the children will be set a random act of kindness to try to complete during the week. Alongside this, the children will be able to nominate other children in their class for a **Kindness Certificate** for consistently showing consideration and kindness towards others.

Please talk about this at home with your children – they may also like to have a look at this website to find out more: <https://schoolofkindness.org/kids-club>

We would love to hear about any acts of kindness they do outside of school as well.



Most of you should be aware that we award children with Class Dojo points for positive behaviour such as hard work, listening carefully, following instructions, resilience and being kind. These points are collected each week and are collated as our house point total. Each class also works collaboratively to achieve a reward once the whole class has achieved a set amount of points.

NEW! We are now introducing individual rewards for children who achieve amazing Class Dojo totals.



Bronze Award will be achieved when your child reaches 100 points.

Silver Award will be achieved when your child reaches 200 points.

Gold Award will be achieved when your child reaches 300 points.

When children receive these awards, they will feature in the Bulletin to celebrate their success. Please talk to your children about this as they are all really motivated by them! Many thanks.

HARVEST FESTIVAL

Thank you for all your donations to our Harvest Festival on Wednesday 16th October.



Your donations will go towards a project that the Salvation Army run with the homeless.

Y1 TRIP TO BRIDEWELL MUSEUM

Year 1 had a lovely time at Bridewell Museum in Norwich last Friday. They made a simple toy that children used to play with and a rhyme to accompany it. The children also talked about the material that old toys were made from and grouped them into different groups of materials. Mrs. Coates

SPORTS EQUIPMENT TOKENS

We are collecting the tokens for Sports Equipment for Schools, which can be found in the following newspapers: Eastern Daily Press, Evening News, Dereham & Fakenham Times, Beccles & Bungay Journal, North Norfolk News, Great Yarmouth Mercury and the Lowestoft Journal. We would be grateful of your help to collect as many tokens as possible. Please give tokens to the school office.



Y3 STONE AGE LESSON

On Tuesday, Mr Simmonds visited Year 3 and taught us all about daily life for Stone Age people. We talked about the importance of evidence discovered by archaeologists and how this gives us clues about the past. We learnt how Stone Age people would use flint to make tools by chipping the stone away, in a process called 'knapping', and had lots of fun carving into carrots using this important Stone Age material. We had a wonderful afternoon! Miss. Srokowski



BOOK FAIR

We are excited to be having a Book Fair at school from **17th October - 22nd October 2024**. You will be able to come in after school and look at some brand new books with your child and purchase them if you wish.



DATES FOR DIARY

17.10.2024 - 22.10.2024 - Book Fair after school

w/c 21.10.2024 - Parent/carer consultations

22.10.2024 - Y5 visit to Ancient House Museum

Last day in school this half term: Thursday 24th October

Half term holiday 25.10.24 - 2.11.24, School starts again 4.11.24

Trips

w/c 11.11.2024 - Bikeability Year 5 & Year 6

19.11.2024 - Flu Vaccination for all year groups

20.11.2024 - Y2 visit to Strangers Hall



BLOFIELD PRIMARY SCHOOL AND PTA

Sparkle and Glow Disco

ENTERTAINMENT
PROVIDED BY
MOORES MADNESS!

Thursday 7th November

**Reception,
Yr1 & Yr2**

3.30 - 4.30PM

Tickets £2.50

(includes a drink and a
packet of sweets)

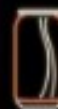


Yr 3 - Yr 6

5 - 6.30PM

Tickets £4

(includes chips, a packet
of sweets and a drink)



Soft drinks will be
available to
purchase for 50p

BUY TICKETS - [HTTPS://BLOFIELD-PRIMARY-SCHOOL-PTA.SUMUPSTORE.COM/PRODUCTS](https://blofield-primary-school-pta.sumupstore.com/products)

Tickets must be purchased in advance.

**KS1 children will change at school so please send in their party clothes, they can
be collected at 4.30pm from the main hall.**

**Year 3 & 4 to be dropped off at 5pm at the library entrance & collected at
6.30pm from the library entrance.**

**Year 5 & 6 to be dropped off at 5pm at the library entrance & collected at
6.30pm from the office entrance.**