

# BISCOVEY ACADEMY NEWSLETTER

**FRIDAY 16TH MAY 2025**

The term feels like it is flying by, with so much going on in school!

On Monday I was very lucky to be able to see our football team competing in the county finals. In a very evenly matched afternoon, the team played superbly and finished a very impressive 3rd overall - not bad out of the whole of Cornwall!

Another group of children showing great perseverance and commitment have been Year 6, who have completed their SATs each day. This is something that they have worked hard to prepare for. As I always tell them, as long as they can walk out afterwards knowing they've done their best, they should be proud of themselves. They've absolutely done that, and so regardless of their results, I'm delighted with how they've done.

Next week we look forward to our May Fayre on Wednesday. I really look forward to the day each year and hope that many of you will join our celebrations!

Enjoy the sunshine!

Mr. Wallbank

## **ICE LOLLY FRIDAY**

Thank you to our Friends who gave up their time to ensure children enjoyed a nice, cool Friday treat today. This will continue each Friday, with ice lollies being sold from the wooden hut after school. The children can buy a little treat, with all money going towards the ongoing fundraising the Friends are doing for the school.

## **HOMEWORK**

We have three areas that we ask all children to practice at home each week:

**Maths:** Time spent on TT Rockstars every day.

**Reading:** Make sure to read every day.

**Spellings:** Practice the spellings sent home every day.

## **DIARY DATES**

Mon 19th May: Cricket Tournament

Wed 21st May: May Fayre (13:00 start)

Fri 23rd May: Year 4 to Bath

Sat 24th- Sun 1st June: Half Term

Mon 2nd June: School Closed - Staff Training

Wed 4th June: Year 5&6 Sports Day (1:00pm)

Thurs 5th June: Year 3&4 Sports Day (1:00pm)

Thurs 12th June: Year 5 Aspire Sports Day

Thurs 19th June: Year 3 Activity Day

Mon 23rd - Fri 27th June: Year 4 Camp

Mon 7th - Weds 9th July: Year 6 Camp

Tues 22nd July: Last Day of Term (1:45pm)

Thurs 4th September: Return to School



## CERTIFICATE WINNERS

### Star of the Week!

Juniper: Hattie  
Palm: Logan M  
Sycamore: Zander  
Cedar: Oscar  
Maple: Lola  
Rowan: Henry

It would be impossible to select just one or two children from Year 6 as they've all been so incredible through SATs. They were all rewarded today with a fun day of activities, culminating in an end of day water fight!



## **MAY FAYRE**

On Wednesday 21st May, our May Fayre will be held, with gates opening at 13:10 and the event beginning at 13:30.

The event was first held in 1913, and aside from a couple of years when COVID restrictions were in place, has been held annually ever since.

Please look out for the separate letter regarding the logistics of May Fayre.

## **DREAM BIG!**

It seems like a long time ago when our choir travelled to a recording studio to record their own CD. However, following their performance to the school in yesterday's assembly, we now have CDs available to purchase so you can listen to our choir whenever you would like!

Copies will be available to buy at the May Fayre, but you can also pay for one (or more!) on ParentPay and we will ensure these are given to the children to bring home.

## **CONTACT US**

The office can be a busy place, so we encourage you to email where possible. Please send any emails to [hello@biscovey.org.uk](mailto:hello@biscovey.org.uk)

Our telephone number is 01726 812949

We ask that all class teachers are in the classroom welcoming the children and settling them into their morning activities. Therefore, we encourage you to speak to teachers at the end of the day when collecting children should you wish. Messages can be left with the person on the gate in the morning if needed, who will pass them onto the class teacher.

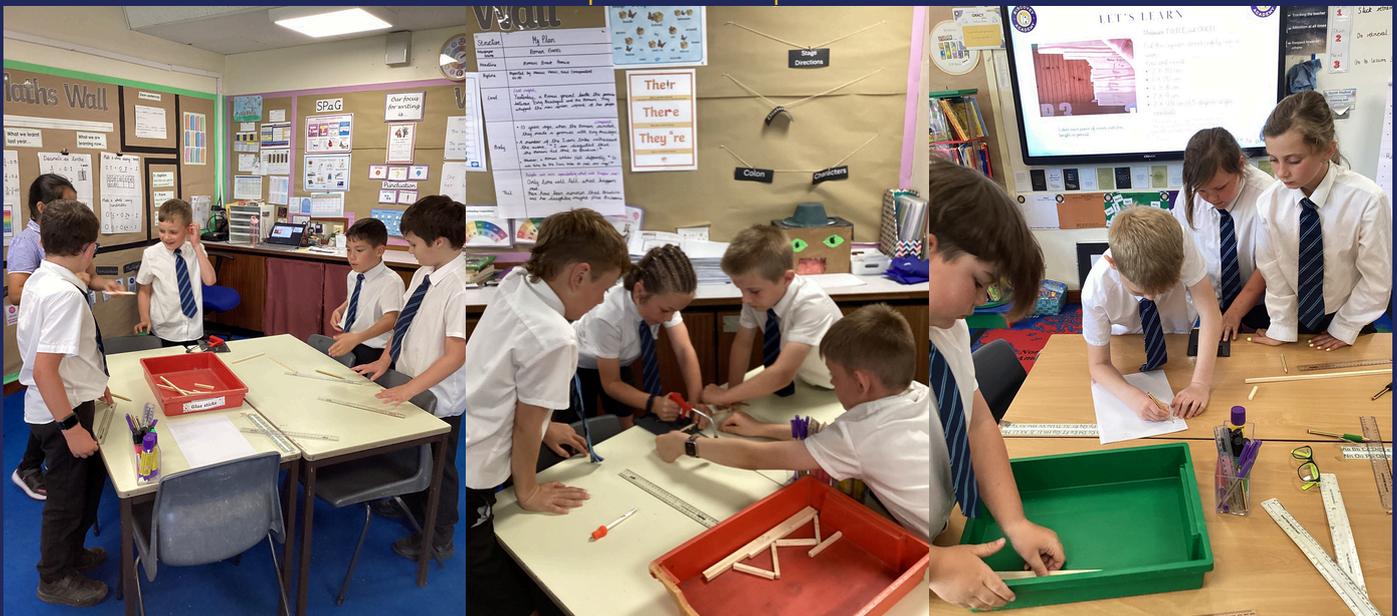
Our PSA, Miss. Marks, may be able to help if you wish to discuss any worries you have about your child, or if you need to seek advice about your child at home.

# THIS WEEK IN PICTURES



Year 4 have taken time to evaluate how Romans made their catapults to hurl objects over long distances and have now started to develop their woodworking skills to create their own miniature versions.

Next Friday, they're heading to Bath to visit the Roman Baths, where they'll be hoping to see some examples of catapults in the museum.



We love how many of our children are out and about in the community, taking part in a huge variety of different activities on offer. This week, we've a young rugby star in the making, who has come in to show off his recent trophy that he received.

Biscovey have a strong pedigree in rugby, with the current Cornwall captain being an ex-Biscovey pupil, as well as many others who have played at a variety of levels.

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