

Letter 6– 2021/22

8/10/21

Dear All,

This week we took possession of the refurbished school. Although there are things still to be finished we will be moving back in next week. We are so pleased that the work is nearly at an end! We are really looking forward to showing you round on the 22<sup>nd</sup>.



Congratulations to Beech and Willow who shared their work about the trip to Court Hill. We had a tremendous time and it was great to celebrate their achievements.





### Parent meetings

Please sign up for parents evening in November – please note that this is on Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> November – the meetings will be held remotely. The sign up sheets for each class will be available from Monday.

## **London Marathon**



*We would all like to congratulate Charlotte who completed the London Marathon - an amazing achievement. Charlotte has raised over £1500 for IMPs.*

### Pupil Premium (This can include Free School Meals)

Please let us know if you feel your child may be entitled to access funding called Pupil Premium.

A child's family circumstances are taken into account when determining whether or not they qualify for Pupil Premium Funding/free school meals. To be eligible, they must be receiving one or more of the following benefits:

- Income support
- Income-based Jobseeker's Allowance
- Income-based Employment and Support Allowance
- Support as a result of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
- Pension Credit
- Child Tax Credit
- Working Tax Credit
- Universal Credit (if a household is earning less than £7,400 per year)

Please let the office know and we can register you. Next week I will contact families about the offer school makes to families who can access this funding. We are able to offer some free spaces at breakfast club, free clubs and reductions in trips etc.



Please have a look at our new school website – there are lots of posts about the week on there.

<https://www.st-blaise.oxon.sch.uk>

Week	Date	Event
7	Tue 12 <sup>th</sup>	Full Governing Board meeting 4-6pm
8	Fri 22 <sup>nd</sup>	Opening of the new building and refurbished building event : 8.30-10am parents and children 4-6pm other guests and the community
Half term holiday		

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2	10 <sup>th</sup> November 8.45am – 10 <sup>th</sup> November	Parent/ carer breakfast	£1 a roll, 50p tea and coffee
	11 <sup>th</sup> November	Parent/Carer meetings with class teacher – this will be on Zoom – please sign up with the Office	
	12 <sup>th</sup> November	Remembrance service – 10.45am ( In house)	All classes
	12 <sup>th</sup> November	Children in Need day – non-school uniform and cake sale	£1 a child
	12 <sup>th</sup> November	KS1 certificates	
3	15 <sup>th</sup> – 19 <sup>th</sup> 18 <sup>th</sup> 19 <sup>th</sup>	Anti Bullying week Willow trip to The Living Rainforest Anti-bullying worship and presentation	
4	26 <sup>th</sup> November	KS2 certificates	
5	2 <sup>nd</sup> Dec	Oak open morning	
6	7 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Oak and Poplar Pm nativity dress rehearsal 1.15pm	Ticketed event
		6pm – Oak and Poplar nativity	Ticketed event
	8 <sup>th</sup> Dec	6pm – Oak and Poplar nativity	Ticketed event
8	15 <sup>th</sup> Dec	School Christmas Dinner	
	15 <sup>th</sup> Dec	KS2 Nativity – evening	
	16 <sup>th</sup> Dec	9am Christmas service	
	17 <sup>th</sup> Dec	School ends 1.15pm	



## Official opening



*We would like to invite you to join us at  
St Blaise School on Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> October 8.45-  
10am*

*Please come and see our new building and  
renovations and join us for breakfast*

The children will need to be registered – we will then bring them to the hall area for the opening and then you will be able to wander round with your children and have a look and have some food.

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The staff and I hope that you have a great weekend

Mrs Leach and the St Blaise team