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Dear Parents,

Yet another week of all seasons thrown in! We were just enjoying a little sunshine. I know this is optimistic but just a reminder if the sun does make another appearance that we have very little shade and the classrooms do get very warm. Please make sure that your children are prepared with water bottles, hats and sun cream. In the meantime, raincoats are essential! We do go outside everyday so children need to be prepared. Whatever the weather, they always need a water bottle in school.

As we move towards our end of Key Stage and end of Year assessments it is getting harder to choose children for awards as so many children are really listening to the corrections that they are given and reflecting on their learning which is fantastic to see. We are working especially hard across the school on improving spelling and handwriting. The content of our children's writing can be amazing but to achieve the expected standard from Year 2 onwards children need to be showing that they can join as well as using the spellings for their year group in their own writing. Whilst we don't want parents to panic about this at home, all children are at different stages, we would ask you to encourage the children to take care when they are writing at home and encourage them to spot the spelling error that they might make. This will help them to develop better habits.

Special Awards this week

Hedgehog Class Annabelle for always
being kind and considerate, always ready
to help



Badger Class *Zosia for great behaviour and always setting a good example*

Fox Class *John for an excellent attitude to his learning all week*

Writer of the week *Lochlann for applying his learning to make a great start to his story*

Book of the week *Thank you to Poppy for sharing Dork Diaries and Annabelle for the unseasonal but great book about Steve the Elf! Annabel C and James have been chosen for next week.*

Other messages

Swimming

We have changed the date for our curriculum week and therefore Fox Class will swim on Friday 24th May, in error I had also said Year 6 would not swim until after half term. They will in fact start on Friday 17th May.

Quingo

Don't forget to book your tickets for the Friends family friendly Quingo night. A mixture of quiz and bingo rounds as well as a raffle.

Fish and chip supper (other alternatives available) to be served at the interval, the bar will be open throughout.

Scan the QR code or visit



<https://www.pta-events.co.uk/friendsofyaxhamschool> to book your table.

With best wishes for the bank holiday weekend (hopefully with a little sunshine!)

Jennie Müller

Headteacher

Dates for your Diary:

2024

Monday 6th May Bank Holiday Monday - School Closed

Friday 10th May Year 5 Swimming

W/c 13th May - KS2 SATs week

Friday 17th May Year 5 Swimming

FOYS Quingo - Yaxham Village Hall 6.45pm

Friday 24th May 2024 - End of half term

No swimming this week

Monday 3rd June 2024 - Return to school

Friday 7th June - Fox class swimming

Friday 14th June - Fox class swimming

Friday 21st June - Fox class swimming

Friday 28th June - Fox class swimming

Friday 5th July - Fox class swimming

Friday 12th July - Fox class swimming

Friday 19th July 2024 - End of term

Come along to a family fun time at All Saints' Church, Mattishall



Every month

Sunday 11th February

Sunday 17th March

Sunday 14th April

Sunday 12th May

Sunday 9th June

Sunday 14th July

(no meeting in August)

4.00 pm—5.00 pm

Everyone welcome

Children must be accompanied by a parent/carer

PLAYERS NEEDED!



**We are looking for players to join our
Academy sides in age groups
between U11 – U16.**

- **UEFA B Licenced Coaches**
- **Training and fixture programme on 4G pitch in the Junior Premier League.**
- **Regular trips and tours in the UK and abroad.**
- **16 professional academy contracts signed in 15 years.**



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