



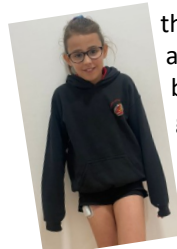
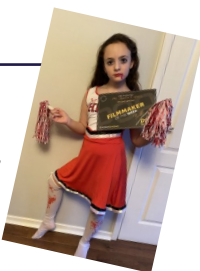
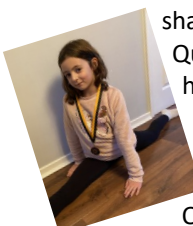
Oakfield Primary School Newsletter

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Achievements from home

Ava C has been very successful recently with achievements from home to share. She received Film Maker of the Week certificate from Pauline Quirk academy (she also came second in the Halloween fancy dress, hence the outfit! Well done Ava, a great achievement - a film director of the future! **Chloe C** has been working very hard in gymnastics recently and has achieved her explorer skills 1 medal. A great effort Chloe - keep up the hard work. Well done. On Saturday 28th October **Darcey J** attended the JKA England Open Championships with her karate club TSKUK. She competed very well receiving a bronze medal in the individual kata and gold medal in individual kata, becoming national champion in the 7-9 age category. Darcey a superb achievement, a big congratulations. On Saturday **Mary H's** netball team had their first game of the season. She was asked to be Captain due to her merit of how she looks after and encourages others and is vocal on the court. She play WA, GS, GA and Centre and they had a smashing win 11-2. A big well done from everyone at Oakfield Mary!



Eco Council

Oakfield are proud to announce that we have registered for the Eco-Schools programme! Our Eco-Council have just completed an environmental survey of the whole school and will be making an action plan to help them make us more sustainable, increase environmental learning and benefit the community. With that in mind they would like all our pupils to participate in 'Cut Your Carbon' month by completing the 9 actions challenge sent home this week. We are asking children to come up with eco tips to reduce our carbon footprint and will be featuring our new ECO TIP OF THE WEEK, please encourage your children to share their eco-tip by posting in the box by the eco council board. Mrs Pinchback is starting us off with- ALWAYS SWITCH OFF YOUR ELECTRICALS! Are you passionate about the environment? Have you done something to help protect the planet? Then maybe it's time to earn your Blue Peter Green badge. Click [here](#)

Parking

On Friday the road was heavily congested after the discos and the parking caused the local residents significant disruption so could we politely remind anyone using the road to park with care and consideration of our neighbours on Scott Drive and surrounding roads please.

Celebration certificates

A big congratulations to all the children that were awarded with a certificate in Friday's celebration assembly.

| Achievement Certificates | Maths Certificate |
|---|---|
| Arthur R, Lily C, Luca N, Daisy S, Olly M, Aria N, Florence S, Max H, Isabella A, Jonny A, Darcey J, Noah Y, Liam B, Isabelle S | Aaron N, Finlay C, Chase W, Logan W, Teddy A, Teddy H, Harley A, Mason A-C, Brooke H, Levi T, Adam E, Seb C, Marie D, Teddy V |

Attendance awards

Each week we celebrate the attendance of each class and announce the two classes in each key stage with the highest attendance.

| KS1 | KS2 | Whole School |
|---------------|-----------------------|--------------|
| Class 3 - 98% | Classes 7,10,12 - 98% | 95.8% |

House points

This week's house point totals are below. A big well done to all the children earning house points this week.

| Romans | Saxons | Vikings | Normans |
|--------|--------|---------|---------|
| 37 | 37 | 34 | 36 |

Dates for your diary

Travelling Book Fair
After school
13/11/23—17/11/23

Anti-bullying week
Wear odd socks
13/11/23

Talk and Share
16/11/23

3.30pm—4.30pm

FOO Toy sale
17/11/23 2pm
20/11/23 9-11am
24/11/23 3pm

Treehouse
FOO Donation day
Non-uniform
for Christmas Bazaar
donations
24/11/23

Lunch Menu

Week 1

Click on the link to
view our weekly
menus:

[Menu](#)



Diary dates for the year

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|--|---|--|
| Monday 13 th November 2023 | Anti-Bullying Week | Wear odd socks |
| Tuesday 14 th November 2023 | Prospective Reception 2024 intake tours (please call the office to book) | 9:30am 1:30pm |
| Thursday 16 th November 2023 | Talk and Share | Whole school 3:30-4:30pm Parents invited into school to look at books |
| Friday 17 th November 2023 | Children in Need | Details to follow |
| Friday 17 th November 2023 | Friends of Oakfield - Toy Sale | 2pm - Treehouse |
| Monday 20 th November 2023 | Friends of Oakfield - Toy Sale | 9am-11am Treehouse |
| Friday 24 th November 2023 | Friends of Oakfield - Uniform Sale | 3pm - Treehouse |
| Friday 24 th November 2023 | Friends of Oakfield - Donation Day | Where non-uniform in exchange for donations for the Christmas Bazaar - details to follow |
| Week commencing: 27 th November | Name the Elf | FOO Event Details to follow |
| Friday 1 st December 2023 | Christmas Bazaar | FOO Event Details to follow |
| Wednesday 6 th December 2023 | Year 2/3 Christmas Play | 2:00pm |
| Thursday 7 th December 2023 | Year 2/3 Christmas Play | 2:00pm 6:00pm |
| Friday 8 th December 2023 | Christmas Jumper Day Christmas Wish Room Christmas Lunch | |
| Monday 11 th December 2023 | SEN(D) coffee morning | 8:50am – Treehouse |
| Monday 11 th December 2023 | Year 4/5 Christmas Play | 2:00pm |
| Tuesday 12 th December 2023 | Year 4/5 Christmas Play | 2:00pm 6:00pm |
| Wednesday 13 th December 2023 | Rocksteady Performance | 9:30am |
| Wednesday 13 th December 2023 | Year R/1 Christmas Play | 2:00pm |
| Thursday 14 th December 2023 | Year R/1 Christmas Play | 2:00pm 6:00pm |
| Friday 15 th December 2023 | Year 6 Christmas Carols | 9:15am |
| Monday 18 th December | Christmas parties | |
| Tuesday 19 th December 2023 | PANTO – Towngate Theatre | Starts at 1:30pm |
| Wednesday 20 th December 2023 | Last Day of Term | |

Spring Term (4th January – 28th March)

| Date | Event | Details |
|---|---|--|
| Tuesday 9 th January 2024 | Prospective Reception 2024 intake tours (please call the office to book) | 9:30am |
| Monday 15 th January 2024 | Closing date for applications for admissions New Intake Reception September 2024 | Midnight |
| Thursday 25 th January 2024 | Talk and Share | Whole school 3:30-4:30pm Parents invited into school to look at books |
| Friday 26 th January 2024 | Uniform Sale | FOO Details to follow |
| Monday 5 th February 2024 | Children's Mental Health Week – Let's connect | |
| Thursday 15 th February 2024 | Break the Rules Day | FOO Event Details to follow |
| Friday 16 th February 2024 | INSET DAY | |
| W/C 19/02/2024 | Half Term | |
| Friday 1 st March 2024 | Uniform Sale | FOO Details to follow |
| Thursday 7 th March 2024 | World Book Day | Pre loved book sale in Tree- house |
| Friday 8 th March 2024 | Mother's Day Wish Room | FOO Event – Small Hall |
| Wednesday 20 th March 2024 | Parents Consultations | 4:00pm – 6:30pm TBC |
| Thursday 21 st March 2024 | Parents Consultations | 4:00pm – 7:00pm TBC |
| Friday 22 nd March 2024 | Oakfield's got Talent | TBC |
| Wednesday 27 th March 2024 | Rocksteady Performance | 9:30am |
| Thursday 28 th March 2024 | Easter Eggstravaganser | FOO Event - TBC Details to follow |
| Friday 29 th March 2024 | GOOD FRIDAY | Bank Holiday |

Summer Term (15th April – 23rd July)

| Date | Event | Details |
|--------------------------------------|---|---|
| Tuesday 30 th April 2024 | Talk and Share | Whole school 3:30-4:30pm Parents invited into school to look at books |
| Monday 6 th May 2024 | MAY BANK HOLIDAY | |
| W/C 13/05/2024 | YEAR 6 SATS WEEK | |
| W/C 27/05/2024 | MAY HALF TERM | |
| Saturday 8 th June 2024 | Summer Fete | 12:00—3:00pm |
| Friday 14 th June 2024 | Father's Day Wish Room | FOO Event – Small Hall |
| Wednesday 19 th June 2024 | Uniform Sale | Treehouse Further details to follow |
| Friday 21 st June 2024 | Sports Day and Picnic | 3/4/5/6 – 9:00 -11:30am Whole school picnic 11:45-12:45pm R/1/2 – 1:00 - 3:00pm |
| Tuesday 25 th June 2024 | Contingency date - Sports day | 3/4/5/6 – 9:00 -11:30am Whole school picnic 11:45-12:45pm |
| Friday 28 th June 2024 | Beauchamps Year 6 Transition Day | All day R/1/2 – 1:00 - 3:00pm |
| | Talk and Share and Meet the new teacher | 3:30 -4:45pm |
| Friday 5 th July 2024 | Rainbow Run | FOO Event Details to follow |
| Wednesday 10 th July 2024 | Rocksteady Performance | 9:30am |
| Thursday 11 th July 2024 | Beauchamps Taster Day Year 5 | Details to follow |
| | Year 6 performance | 2:00pm 5:30pm |
| Friday 12 th July 2024 | Reception celebration assembly | Year R Parents – 9:00am |
| | Ice-cream Fridays | FOO – after school |
| Monday 15 th July 2024 | Year 1 Celebration assembly | Year 1 Parents – 9:00am |
| Tuesday 16 th July 2024 | Year 2 Celebration assembly | Year 2 Parents – 9:00am |
| Wednesday 17 th July 2024 | Year 3 Celebration assembly | Year 3 Parents – 9:00am |
| Thursday 18 th July 2024 | Year 4 Celebration assembly | Year 4 Parents – 9:00am |
| Friday 19 th July 2024 | Year 5 celebration assembly | Year 5 Parents – 9:00am |
| | Ice-cream Fridays | FOO – after school |
| Monday 22 nd July 2024 | Year 6 leavers assembly | Year 6 Parents – 9:00am |
| Tuesday 23 rd July 2024 | LAST DAY OF TERM | |



*Do you have a
child due to start
school September
2024?*

If you would like a tour of our school, please phone the school office and book onto one of the below slots;

9th, 10th and 14th November -
9:30am or 1:30pm

9th January - 9:30am



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