

This week's merit certificates are awarded to;

Darwin Class - Phoebe & Louie  
Curie Class - Tom & Knylah  
Attenborough Class - Willow & Connie  
Einstein Class - Freya & Charlotte  
Sports Infants - Sam S  
Sports Juniors - Alexa C  
Music - Sam S  
Head Teacher - Bertie L  
Well done everyone!



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## *'Buckminster Bites'*

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Issue 304 28<sup>th</sup> May 2021

### Dates for your Diary

Half Term 31<sup>st</sup> May - 4<sup>th</sup> June  
Children Back to School - Monday 7<sup>th</sup> June.



### Birthdays

Happy Birthday to Alexa M, Ellie and William B who have upcoming birthdays this week. Happy Birthday to you! We hope you all have a lovely day.

### Parent/Carer Governors

Congratulations to James Holt and Ben Jones who will shortly be taking up positions as parent governors on the School's Governing Body. Thank you to Clio and Richard for also taking the time to put themselves forward, it is very much appreciated.

### Safe Online Behaviour at Home

Leicestershire County Council's Safeguarding Development Team has created a presentation for parents to support and encourage safe online behaviour at home. The presentation can be found here: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hfYIFsivDws>

## House Points

Congratulations to Yellow House who have won this Half Term for having gained the most House Points! Well done to you all. They had a treat this afternoon of bubbles, dancing and lollies.



## Consultation on Leicestershire school term and holiday dates

Have your say on future school term and holiday dates for Leicestershire.

Leicestershire County Council has launched a consultation to capture people's views on three suggested options.

The proposals cover term dates running for five years from Autumn 2022 to summer 2027 and include:

- Keeping the 'traditional' county term time pattern, which offers an earlier summer holiday but means a longer autumn term
- Aligning the autumn and spring breaks in line with most other authorities, including Leicester City, but again means a longer autumn term
- Introducing a two-week autumn half-term break. This would leave terms 'more balanced' across the whole year but would result in shorter Easter break

More detailed information on these proposals and a chance to have your say via a short questionnaire can be accessed here [www.leicestershire.gov.uk/term-dates-consultation](http://www.leicestershire.gov.uk/term-dates-consultation)

To request a paper copy, call 0116 305 6324 or email [admissions@leics.gov.uk](mailto:admissions@leics.gov.uk)

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Have your say about:  
**School term and holiday  
dates from autumn 2022  
to summer 2027**



Tell us how this might affect you  
Online: [leicestershire.gov.uk/term-dates-consultation](http://leicestershire.gov.uk/term-dates-consultation)  
For general enquiries or comments about this consultation phone  
0116 305 6324 or email [admissions@leics.gov.uk](mailto:admissions@leics.gov.uk)

Public consultation: Submit your views by Sunday July 18th 2021



## Attenborough Class - Elizabethan Day - Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> May 2021



Attenborough Class had a fun filled Elizabethan Day on Tuesday this week. They acted out a Midsummer Night's Dream, had a banquet with lots of delicious food and dancing. They also finished their theatre projects. You will see below Mary Queen of Scots and the executioners either side! All of the children made a fantastic effort with their costumes and they all looked brilliant. They had such fun and would like to do it everyday!







## Half Term Fun

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**COURSE DETAILS**

Stamford - Ryhall Playing Fields, PE9 4ER  
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1st / 2nd / 3rd / 4th June

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## Job Opportunity at Buckminster School



### **PE, Sport and Wellbeing Apprenticeship**

Our hugely passionate team at Buckminster School is working in collaboration with inspire+ to deliver a unique apprenticeship experience.

We are looking for aspiring PE Teachers / Coaches / Sports professionals to join our PE, Sport and Wellbeing programme.

This is a seriously interesting role that will require a special kind of person. We want to speak with candidates who offer a keen interest in sport has an understanding the importance of exceptional sports delivery in schools.

This is not for the feint-hearted! You'll be joining a fast-paced education team who will be super excited to have you on board.

Are you dynamic, driven and seriously awesome? If so, we want to hear from you.

Starting on 23rd August 2021, the successful candidate will be expected to remain on programme for a minimum of 13 months, attend college one day a week (various sites around the area so it is flexible) and be 18+ years old.

The post is subject to safeguarding checks, including an enhanced DBS check and satisfactory references.

**Please send your interest to [recruitment@inspireplus.org.uk](mailto:recruitment@inspireplus.org.uk) as ask for an application form.**

**More information can be found on the inspire+ website**

**<https://www.inspireplus.org.uk/apprenticeshipsandtraining> or speak to Mr Henson who completed his apprenticeship 12 months ago.**

*Upon submission of an application, you consent to the collection and retention of your personal data. Inspire+ may use your personal data for the purpose of considering your suitability for employment for the role for which you are applying, as well as future roles that may become available.*

*By submitting your information, you acknowledge that you have read and understood the foregoing and consent to the uses of your information as set out above.*



## Sports Day Afternoons

Please note that numbers attending the sports day afternoons will still need to be restricted to 4 people per family. This includes any child over the age of 11 but babies and toddlers do not count as one of your 4. Please ensure you keep to social distancing and all toddlers are kept away from the track. A further reminder will be sent home nearer the time.

## Keeping Fit

If you fancy doing some fitness sessions over the coming weeks, check out the inspire+ fitness videos <https://www.inspireplus.org.uk/fitness/>



Dates for your Diary New dates will be added in **red**.

31<sup>st</sup> May-4<sup>th</sup> June - Half Term.

7<sup>th</sup> June - Children back to School.

16<sup>th</sup> June - Year 3/4 Inspire+ Mini Olympics.

17<sup>th</sup> June - Year 5/6 First Aid Training.

18<sup>th</sup> June - Whole School Science Day.

24<sup>th</sup> June - Year 6 Camp.

25<sup>th</sup> June - Year 6 Twinlakes.

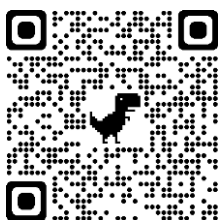
1<sup>st</sup> July - Inspire+ Mass Participation Day.

2<sup>nd</sup> July - School Reports sent home.

5<sup>th</sup> July - Pre-School, Year R, 1 and 2 Sports Afternoon - 1.30pm - Parents and family members welcome.

7<sup>th</sup> July - Year 3, 4, 5 and 6 Sports Afternoon - 1.30pm - Parents and family members welcome.

9<sup>th</sup> July - School closes for Summer 3.20/30pm.



QR code for the School Website.

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# Leicestershire Libraries Newsletter

Spring Half Term 2021

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You can also borrow eBooks and eAudiobooks using our  
free digital library, if you are not a Leicestershire  
Libraries member you can join online to start borrowing  
instantly! [www.leicestershire.gov.uk/digitaldownloads](http://www.leicestershire.gov.uk/digitaldownloads)



## Wiggly Readers this Half Term!

Stories and Rhymes just for you!

Join our staff and listen to bouncing stories and jumping  
rhymes at our two special online Wiggly Readers on  
Tuesday 1st June and Thursday 3rd June at 10am.

Join in by going to [www.facebook.com/yourlibrary](https://www.facebook.com/yourlibrary) to watch or  
catch up with any of our fun Rhymetimes you may have  
missed.

## Rhythm and Rhymes Quiz

Test your knowledge of poetry, songs & nursery  
rhymes!

If you missed our 'just for fun' poetry quiz, catch up with  
Librarians Victoria and Cassie on Facebook for the  
*Children's Rhythm and Rhymes Quiz*.

They will test your knowledge of nursery rhymes, poetry  
and songs for children. With questions suitable for  
children of all ages, everybody is welcome!



Like our page [www.facebook.com/yourlibrary](https://www.facebook.com/yourlibrary)



## Celebrate Empathy Day 10th June

Walk in someone else's shoes through reading

Fabulous activities and storytelling can be found on the  
Empathy Day website on 10th June. From Draw with Rob to  
Empathy walks to craft activities which can help with your  
emotions, join top authors and illustrators  
in this online festival!

You can even download a free family activities pack.  
[www.empathylab.uk/family-activities-pack](http://www.empathylab.uk/family-activities-pack)

## Read For Empathy

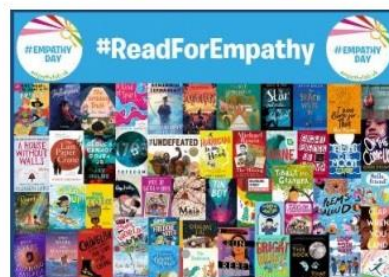
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Books are a great way to understand others – on #EmpathyDay we're sharing our Read For  
Empathy book recommendations with Librarian Victoria on our Facebook page:

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Check out our new Read For Empathy book collections which can also be requested for free  
from all Leicestershire libraries.

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