

FOULDS SCHOOL NEWSLETTER www.fouldsp.org

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Welcome back to the new half term.

I'd like to start by sharing some wonderful news. Mrs Ingall has had a healthy baby boy - Theo. Born 23rd October 2020 and weighing 6lbs 12oz, both Theo and Mum are doing well. On behalf of the whole school, congratulations to the Ingall family!

We had the PTA AGM at the start of the week and I wanted to thank the PTA committee for all of their amazing work. The money that the PTA raise for the school is invaluable to our running. Foulds, like the majority of schools, runs off an in year deficit budget. This means we constantly have to try to make savings. With the school closed to many lettings both last term and currently, that has also had a huge impact. The money raised by all of you helps to ensure that the children do not lose out on any opportunities and we can deliver an inspiring curriculum. That being said, there are always ways to donate to the school - via the Parent Pay donation option or by buying something for the school off the Amazon wish list https://www.amazon.co.uk/hz/wishlist/ls/2G5F7KRN8Y6CA/ref=hz Is biz ex. The PTA are also creating some exciting ideas to replace the Christmas Fair this year and with the success of our own clothes day before half term, we are going to have a few more of those. There are other potential ideas in the pipeline that I will let you know about as they come along.

Today brings with it new guidance for schools and as such all of our after school clubs that we had just got up and running (with the exception of LBB our After School Provision), will have to stop. We know this will be disappointing for the children.

This week across the school:

EYFS: This week, the children have learned a lot about November 5th and firework safety. They have impressed us with their knowledge of how to stay safe around fireworks, created huge collage bonfires and come up with some really interesting descriptive words about fireworks. In Phonics, the children have begun to learn letter shapes and the sounds that they make (they are doing brilliantly!) while in Maths we have looked closely at the number 5, how many ones make up different numbers and different ways to make totals.

KS1: We have kicked off this term by beginning our fantastic SPACE topic. In this topic, we have been exploring non-fiction texts and thinking about the features and layout of their information pages. Can your child remember 3 of the features of a non-fiction information page? In Science this week, each class took a nature walk on the school grounds to look for, and collect, signs of Autumn. We will be tracking the trees throughout the year to observe how they change. In Art, we have begun our toy collages using different materials and types of paper.

LKS2: In Yr3/4 we have had a great week back at school, ready for learning. We've all spent time 'remembering' and focusing on poppies and Remembrance Sunday. The children have had the chance to create their own poetry as well as become radio presenters searching for volunteers. Our new topics of 'Roman Britain' and 'Forces' have also begun - the children have had a good think about what they'd like to learn over the half term.

UKS2: When shall we three classes meet again, In thunder, lightning, or in rain?
When the half term hols are done,
When the new half term's begun.
That will be ere the rise of sun.
Where the place?
in the classroom,
There to learn about Macbeth.
Have a lovely weekend

A message to our Foulds family

Foulds Family what can I say?

As you know, I am not usually stuck for words, but all your kind, kind messages and gifts have left me speechless! My decision to leave was about taking a Golden Opportunity, not about leaving Foulds - I could have easily stayed.

My time with you all has given me a raft of experiences that I am sure I will be drawing upon at my new school. Thank you from the bottom of my heart for everything.

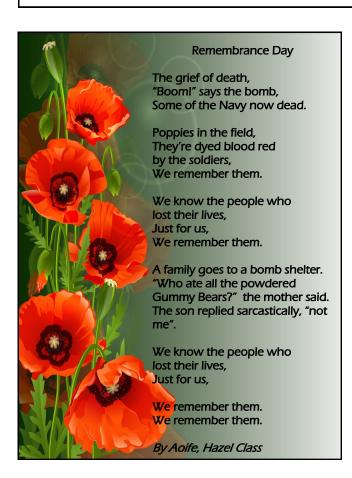
Tell your children I will miss each & every one of them.

Fondest regards, Vicki Wilkinson

Children in Need



One of the themes of Children in Need is wellbeing, therefore this year please come in something that you feel comfortable in and bring £1 or more to donate to Children in Need.



Remembrance Day

Why are your angry children? We remember our brothers out in the plain Hate-hate-hate.



Why are you teary children? We remember the bodies sprinkled over the field Guns-guns-guns.

Why did you not sleep children?
We saw airforce still looking for people but they did not find
Many-many-many.

Why do you peep children? We remember the pain on the skins, of war bullets flying Pain-pain-pain.

Why do you grieve children? We remember our unlucky neighbours' houses bombed in sight.

Why do you do you try to forget children? We all remember too clearly and all too often.

By Kamal, Hazel Class



We have a range of British Legion wares for sale in school—we are taking these round to the various 'bubbles' for children to buy, so if you could send them in with a small amount of money, that would be appreciated. On Wednesday 11th November at 11am, we will hold one minute's silence in memory of the fallen

Santa brought some early presents to Key Stage 1 this week with brand new playground and PE equipment.

Thank you to him (as well as Ms Burgess and the Sports Premium Fund!)



School diary of ever

AUTUMN TERM 2020

Friday 13 November Children In Need Monday 16 November Anti-Bullying Week

Virtual Roman Workshop (History Off The Page) for Yr3/4

Yr6 Level 1&2 Bikeability

EYFS & KS1 Perform Workshops 9.00-11.30am Thursday 26 November

Monday 30 November Art Week

Friday 18 December Finish for Christmas

SRING TERM 2021

Monday 4 January **INSET DAY—School closed** Tuesday 5 January Children back to school

Friday 15 January Closing date for Reception 2021 applications

Wednesday 27 January Science Day Tuesday 9 February Safer Internet Day

Half Term Week Monday 15—Friday 19 February

Monday 1 March Book Week Thursday 4 March World Book Day

ULDS NOTICE BOA



to keep on top of your child's school meal

balance, thank you



PARKING W_{OUld} parents/carers please remember to park considerately; not on the zig-zags outside the school nor over our neighbours' drives, thank you.

PARENTS OF PRE-SCHOOL

CHILDREN

If your child was born between 1st September 2016 and 31st August 2017, they will need a place in a Reception class during the school year which begins in September 2021

The way to apply is online at www.eadmissions.org.uk If you have any queries, please contact the Admissions Team at the London Borough of Barnet on



NAMING UNIFORM & KIT A reminder that all school uniform and kit should be clearly labelled.

FOULDS SPORTS NEWS

Foulds' pre-season kicked off in earnest as 'Foulds Green' took on 'Foulds Blue' at the Byng Road playing fields. The game was the first time the boys had kitted up since March when the Central League season was suspended.

For the new recruits it was their first full game. It was also an opportunity to test pre-season fitness of the whole squad over 40 minutes.

In the early stages it was quite even in regards to possession and chances. Foulds Green though looked resolute in defence and some smart stops from the keeper ensured they kept it tight at the back. As the game progressed, Foulds Green then began to take charge. Foulds Blue didn't defend in such numbers and some clinical finishing from the Greens saw them build a lead. As the game progressed the pattern continued as Foulds Green's imperious defending and lethal finishing ensured they ran out comfortable winners.



Next up: The Central League 2020-21 season continues to be on hold with no games scheduled until at least January. That gives the squad time to continue to train and prepare.

Dates 2021-22

Dear Parents/Carers,

Please find below the term and holiday dates for the academic year 2021/2022, which you may find useful for future planning of holidays, etc.

Autumn term 2021

INSET DAY Wednesday 1st September School closed:

Beginning of term: Thursday 2nd September

INSET DAY Friday 22nd October School closed:

Monday 25th October – Friday 29th October Half term:

Friday 17th December Last day of term:

Spring term 2022

INSET DAY Tuesday 4th January Wednesday 5th January School closed:

Beginning of term:

INSET DAY Friday 11th February School closed:

Monday 14th February – Friday 18th February Half term:

Friday 1st April Last day of term:

Summer term 2022

Beginning of term: Tuesday 19th April

Monday 2nd May (May Day Bank Holiday) School closed:

Monday 30th May – Friday 3rd June Half term:

Thursday 21st July Last day of term:

INSET DAY Friday 22nd July School closed: