



FOULDS SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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This is our final newsletter of the year and what a year it has been! When I think back to this time last year, we had only four out of seven year groups on the premises and all on a part time timetable. We were teaching online but not live lessons and some children had not been into actual school for five months. Fast forward a year and we are in a very different place. We may have had two months of remote learning (more, where bubbles had burst) but this was done through live or recorded lessons, in a much more interactive style and even included virtual trips. We have managed to ensure the children have had many of the annual 'Foulds' experiences that they have come to know and love and learning has been fun. None of this would have been possible without the amazing staff that work at Foulds. I want to thank each and every one of them for their constant hard work, determination, resilience, passion and love for the children, each other and the school as a whole.

As we come to the end of this academic year, we are only now starting to see some of the impact of the successive lockdowns on the children. For quite a while they were enjoying the 'novelty' of school and spending time with friends again but now that the children are tired we are seeing that they are finding it much more difficult to moderate themselves, mediate and compromise. Children always find these skills harder if they are out of practise and more so as they become tired and ready for the summer holidays. During this break, please play different games with your children, such as board games, so that they practise the skill of taking turns, losing and winning graciously.

The other thing that we have noticed, predominantly in the older year groups, that seems to have crept in, is that some children are saying things like 'I get told off because the teacher doesn't like me'. I want to be very clear that this is in NO WAY the case and that when we tell children off, we are very clear about the reason behind it and will also often get the child to explain to us what they did wrong to make sure that they have recognised the behaviour they are displaying. But this is about perception on the children's part and we are finding a number are unable to correlate doing something wrong with being told off. The reason I am sharing this? I think it is important that parents are aware that this is a change that has come about since remote learning, that it is something we are working very hard to counteract at school but that we need your help to do so. If a child comes home and says they have been told off or 'moved down a colour', please ask them the reason why. If they do suggest a teacher does not like them, please challenge them to think about their behaviour. I spend a lot of time walking around the school, in and out of every classroom and the thing that predominantly shines through? Love.

Just in case you were going to have withdrawal (!) from Google Classroom/Tapestry over the summer, we have uploaded some OPTIONAL support work for the children. We have included different links, websites and activities. Please do NOT make your child do all of the work. Please note also that the work will not be marked by school. These tasks are to support parents if unsure what to do with your child to close any gaps in their learning.

For the last few days we are going to maintain our staggered start and end times as well as our bubble system. Next year, we expect to go back to many of our old systems and processes. We will go back to soft starts. This means that all children will be allowed in the school grounds from 8.45am until 8.55am. Key Stage 2 will go straight into their classrooms to start early morning tasks. Rather than parents going into the playgrounds, we will continue to drop off by the gates at the bottom of the slope and allow the children the independence of going into the playground and school by themselves. Children in Years 1 and 2 will line up in the Key Stage 1 playground with their teacher. For the first two weeks parents will walk their children into the Key Stage 1 playground but after a period of settling in, children will again be dropped off at the gates and will walk round to their lines. At pick up time (3:25), parents will come into the playgrounds and wait for their children. The children will be brought out by their teacher and the child will point out their parents and be released. This will also be an opportunity for parents to speak to class teachers if they need to. As in the past, we would ask that if you need a longer conversation with a teacher, you call and book an appointment.

Next year we will also continue to wear PE kits on PE days. Much in the way I expect all children to wear the correct uniform for school, there will be the same expectation with regards to PE kits. Our uniform can be found here <https://www.fouldsp.com/uniform>. Key Stage 2 children will also be provided with a school pencil case again rather than children bringing their own individual ones in. There will be a voluntary £5 contribution for these. Key Stage 1 children will have all the equipment they need on tables and therefore will not need a pencil case.

We are sad to let you know that one of our Meal Time Supervisors will be leaving us next week. Daniela Tramontano has been a joy to work with in the year she has been at Foulds. Thank you Daniela for all of your work with the children and we wish you the best of luck in your future endeavours.

Over the last year and a half, Ms Lam has stepped up as Phase Leader for 5/6 to cover a Maternity Leave position. I want to thank Ms Lam for taking on the role for that time and her wonderful leadership of the Year 5/6 team. Ms Lam's commitment to the children and her passion in making sure the children in her phase always got the opportunities they deserved has been inspiring. Ms Lam has also been responsible for many a Foulds' film over the last couple of years. On behalf of the Year 5 and 6 children and staff and myself, thank you for your dedication to Foulds.

We have made it! We (parents, children, staff) have made it through two of the most challenging years we potentially will ever have to face and we have done it as a team, as a family. Thank you for all the love and support you have shown to all of us at Foulds. I want to end by wishing you all a wonderful Summer break.

Kim Sanett and the Foulds Family

Bronwen Tumani has been a governor and Chair of Governors at Foulds for over ten years and this August she finally steps down from these roles. Her passion, drive and ambition for the school have ensured that we have kept moving forward and not stood still. Bronwen has offered support and challenge to at least three headteachers in her position and, as Chair of Governors, has had an impact on countless Foulds' children's lives. I very rarely make my letters too personal, so I hope you will forgive me for doing so today.

The role of governor and Chair of Governors, is an unpaid and often seemingly invisible role to the majority. I can say personally though, that Bronwen has been an incredible support in my start as a Headteacher; her wealth of knowledge, her support and her understanding have been invaluable. Her expectations of me, as your headteacher are (much as my own) incredibly high and she has not once stopped pushing me to dream bigger for Foulds and to do the best possible for the school at all times.

For those of you who do not know Bronwen, she very much embodies our school vision and values. The epitome of a lifelong learner, when I became Head, Bronwen was already Chair of Governors at Totteridge Academy as well as having a number of other roles. She was meant to have stepped down as Chair at Foulds the previous year, but knowing that I was coming, Bronwen stayed on as Chair. Not once over the last three years have I felt that Bronwen hasn't had time for Foulds which is an incredible feat amongst her other roles, but she has given me nothing but time and support.

For all of us, going through the last two years has not been the easiest of times and having a Chair of Governors who is supportive cannot be underestimated for a Headteacher. Bronwen has tirelessly supported myself and the school, checked in, challenged and never stopped believing in what we have been trying, and continue to try, to achieve.

Kim Sanett

Message from Foulds School Governors

Bronwen Tumani

On behalf of the governing body I wanted to express our appreciation and gratitude to Bronwen Tumani who has served as Parent Governor and Chair of Governors for over ten years. Bronwen has been a superb and amazing Chair and provided guidance and advice to head teachers, teachers, governors and parents. She has led the school through some challenging times including OFSTED inspections, recruitment of new head teachers and most recently the pandemic and lock downs.

Thank you Bronwen on behalf of the governors, teachers, children and parents for all your hard work and support. Foulds will miss you but it is not goodbye but just farewell you will always be part of the Foulds family.

Kavita Band
Chair of Governors

Thank you

Thank you to our fabulous headteacher Kim Sanett and our incredible and amazing Foulds teachers, support staff, office staff, the cooks, meal time supervisors, cleaners and site manager for keeping Foulds going through a tough and challenging year.

We wish you all a restful summer break.
Foulds School Governors

KS1 Fun Run



KS1 enjoyed their 'Fun Run' - taking in the sights of the KS2 playground. After many laps of the netball court and witches hat - the KS1 children certainly built up their appetite for lunch!



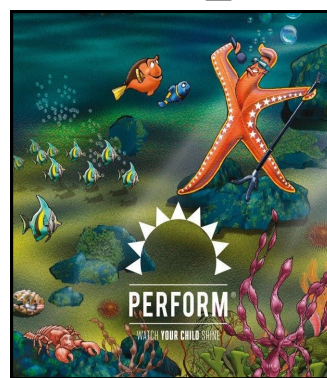
Perform Workshops



KS1 and Early Years enjoyed some fantastic workshops with 'Perform'.

The children had a wonderful time exploring the theme of [Under The Sea](#) and using drama, dance and singing to help develop their confidence, concentration and social skills.

To complement the workshop, there is a free educational app for iPhones and iPads based around the theme of [Under The Sea](#). It contains fun games, creative tasks and



videos of the themed songs and dances. Click [here](#) to download it free or [here](#) to find out more about the Under The Sea theme.

Perform run regular weekly classes in the local area and they are offering a **special introductory discount** to all parents of Foulds Primary School if they come along for a free trial session before Friday 30th July.

To claim your discount, just call Perform on 020 7255 9120 quoting **FCPM300721** or book online at perform.org.uk.

KS1 Marble Party

KS1 were rewarded for collecting so many marbles with a marble party at the Byng Road playing field.

Football, cricket, American football, hula-hooping, bubble blowing, drawing, badminton, tennis and parachutes games were just some of the activities on show (alongside biscuit gobbling!)



School diary of events

SUMMER TERM 2021

Tuesday 20 July

Wednesday 21 July

Thurs 22 & Fri 23 July

Wednesday 1 September

Thursday 2 September

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Friday 10 September

Monday 13 September

Monday 20 September

Thursday 23 September

Friday 24 September

Monday 27 September

Yr5/6 Interhouse Sports

Yr 6 performing 2 songs from Leavers' production to parents at 1.20pm on jnr playground

School finishes at your child's **normal finish time**

INSET Days—school closed

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Children back to school

New Reception children home visits until 8th September

Play sessions for New Reception children at 9am, 11am & 1pm

Swimming resumes (classes tbc)

First group of New Reception children start (1.15pm)

All Reception in AM & for lunch for the week

Macmillan Cancer Support cake sale after school

Social Event for New Reception parents (PM)

All Reception in full time



STAR PUPILS



9th July

Rowan	Charlie	For great creativity and superb listening skills when working on your DT project, producing an excellent, neat wind up toy and also helping others.
Birch	Isobel	For trying hard and challenging yourself in everything you do. For always sharing fantastic ideas and answers. For being kind, friendly and always helpful to others.
Maple	Leo	For great enthusiasm and a positive approach in school. Plus determination in all classwork (and notching up an incredible 5 'Golds' recently to prove it!)
Hazel	Poppy CG	For always giving 100% for effort, being resilient and being extra kind to your friends in the playground so they don't feel left out.
Willow	Persephone	For your enthusiasm, creativity and resilience, all of which have helped you make great progress and mean you are definitely ready for Year 4!
Beech	Edie	For excellent resilience in your learning as well as superb progress in your literacy work which we are all really proud of plus being such a superb role model.
Oak	Wahiz	For showing all of the Foulds' values, always putting 100% effort into all your learning and making tremendous progress this year.
Chestnut	Gabriel	For such a positive, happy outlook on school and learning; we have enjoyed watching your confidence grow and particularly loved the way you threw yourself into all the activities and way of life at Cuffley Camp.
Elm	Bruce	Always trying hard in all that you do, showing a mature approach to your learning and being a resilient learner—you are a superstar!!

Confirmed Start dates for Clubs (inc Sports) in September

Activity	Start Date	Time
Yr 5/6 Football Squad training (selected) - Mr Morley Yr 5/6 Girls' Squad training (selected)—Mrs McElarney	Thursday 2 September	3.30-4.45pm
Gym Club Yr 3/4 (Fiona Groom) Email school office to register interest	Monday 6 September	3.30-4.30pm
Running Club Yr 3/4 (Jo Kent) Email school office for sign up details	Monday 6 September	3.30-4.20pm
NonStopAction Football (KS2) Sign up online at nonstopaction.co.uk (live sign up date tbc)	Tuesday 7 September	3.30-4.30pm
Art Club (Yr3/4) - Violina—FULL with waiting list Email h_violina@yahoo.com	Tuesday 7 September	3.30-4.15pm
Spanish Club (KS2) - Sonya Barnes (sign up details to follow)	Wednesday 8 September	3.30-4.30pm
NonStopAction Football (Yr 1&2) Sign up online at nonstopaction.co.uk (live sign up date tbc)	Wednesday 8 September	3.30-4.30pm
Running Club Yr 5/6 (Jo Kent) Email school office for sign up details	Wednesday 8 September	3.30-4.20pm
Art Club (Yrs 1&2) - Violina—FULL with waiting list Email h_violina@yahoo.com	Wednesday 8 September	12.30-1.00pm
Art Club (Yrs 5&6) - Violina—FULL with waiting list Email h_violina@yahoo.com	Wednesday 8 September	3.30-4.15pm
Gym Club Yr 5&6 (Fiona Groom) Email school office to register interest	Thursday 9 September	3.30-4.30pm
Spanish Club for Infants (Sonya Barnes) (sign up details to follow)	Thursday 9 September	12.30-1.00pm
Running Club KS1 (Jo Kent) Email school office for sign up details	Thursday 9 September	3.30-4.15pm
Cheerleading (Yrs 3-6) - Saracens Sign Up link to follow	Friday 10 September	3.30-4.30pm
Chess Club Sign up form has been emailed out to KS1 & KS2 (please return form to the Chess Club)	Tuesday 14 September	KS1: 12.00-12.30pm KS2: 12.30-1.00pm
Drama Club Sign up using link & password sent out 15/7	Tuesday 14 September	Rec & KS1: 3.30-4.25pm KS2: 4.35-5.30pm
PLUSExciting clubs coming in September		
ComputerXplorers and possibly Fencing!!		
Full details to follow		

FOULDS SPORTS NEWS

Yr5 Foulds vs Brunswick Park



Year 5 Foulds boys played against Brunswick Park on Tuesday afternoon, with the Foulds boys looking as sharp as ever.

In the first couple of minutes, No.8 lobbed it over the keeper scoring their first goal. Not long afterwards, No.16 came on top with a great shot in the bottom corner. By half-time, Foulds were 5-0 up!

In the second half, players were played in a variety of positions. No.21 whipped in a brilliant cross which was



met by the head of No.8 who directed it into the bottom corner for Foulds' 6th goal. The final score was 6-2 victory which was accompanied by a great performance by the Foulds boys!

Sports Days



Over the last two weeks all of the phases participated in their Sports Days. What a relief it was that the weather held out after it has been so unpredictable lately. It was lovely to see all the children enjoying the activities after not having a Sports Day for two years. The students all showed incredible enthusiasm, teamwork and sportsmanship, encouraging their peers and giving all their best in every activity. We had a range of activities such as egg and spoon, sprinting, relays, throwing events, wrestling, obstacle course, sack races, football dribble, rob the nest- the list could go on!

A massive well done to Pepys who won both the Relay and Sports day overall cups. I know their sports captains are very proud!

Footage of the events will be available to parents in the coming days.

Football A & B teams vs Monken Hadley

Foulds took on Monken Hadley at 'fortress' Byng Road in Year 6's last competitive games.

Foulds 6-0 Monken Hadley

The first half was a competitive and close encounter with both sides creating chances. The Monken Hadley keeper was the busier one though and made a number of fine saves as Foulds entered half time 1-0 up.

In the second half Foulds proved too much and a second goal opened the floodgates. Third, fourth and fifth goals followed before the Foulds keeper came forward to net the sixth and final goal in the fantastic 6-0 win.

Foulds B 9-1 Monken Hadley B

Led by the Year 6 trio and ably supported by Year 5, Foulds were on the offensive from the start. Foulds' pressure saw them notch up five goals during sustained first half pressure. The opposition did however score from one of their sporadic attacks and the team went into half time 5-1 up.

The opposition put on an extra player in the second half but Foulds continued to dominate. Both offensive Year 6 players completed their hatrick and the Year 6 sweeper moved up front to score the final goal in the comprehensive 9-1 win.

KS1 Sports Day



KS1 took to the (slightly squelchy) Byng Road playing field for their Infant Sports Day.

Eager children tried their hand at the 'sack race,' 'cones and domes,' 'beanbag throw,' 'football dribble,' 'rob the nest' and the 'beanbag relay.' Children across Year 1 and Year 2 all showed great energy, eagerness and excitement as they negotiated each challenge and even had time to play some parachute games in between!

Well done to all the children for taking part in an enjoyable morning.

Interhouse Gymnastics

Pepys, Hadley, Byng and Warwick's first Interhouse competition this year was the Gymnastics competition. The results are still with the judges so we look forward to finding out which House has triumphed. Thank you to Fiona and Gina for all their work with Gymnastics Club.

Interhouse Football and Netball competitions for both Y5/6 and Y3/4 are still ahead so those results are also TBC!



FOULDS NOTICE BOARD

PARKING

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



SCHOOL MEALS



Please use **ParentPay** to keep on top of your child's school meal balance, thank you

ABSENCES

If your child is sick or will not be in school for any particular reason please could you telephone the office on **020 8449 2714** as soon as possible in the morning to let us know.

This is particularly important if your child is on the 'Walk to School' register.

Please note children must not return to school for 48 hours following the last bout of either sickness or diarrhoea or both together. Many thanks.



NAMING UNIFORM & KIT

A reminder that all school uniform and kit should be clearly labelled.

LOST PROPERTY

If your child has lost a **named** item of school uniform, call the school office and we will have a look for it!

CONGRATULATIONS



To;

Albee who has passed his Grade 1 piano exam with distinction
& Poppy who has passed Grade 1 piano with merit

GOODBYE



To Eleni & Denzel who will be leaving Foulds next week—we wish you good luck in your new schools

Barnet Libraries Summer Events



In addition to the 'Wild World Heroes, Summer Reading Challenge', Barnet Libraries are offering an exciting programme of activities for children in the school holidays. There will be author events, Lego Club and craft videos online, a comic art workshop, and more. Follow their [Twitter](#) and [Facebook](#) accounts for the most up to date event news.

Tuesday 27th July, 2pm

Join author and performance poet **Joseph Coelho** for a dynamic online session sure to inspire young readers and writers to get to the heart of creative writing. [Find out more and book this event.](#)

Friday 30th July, 2pm

Chipping Barnet Library

Storytellers **Cat and Hutch** bring Frances Hodgson Burnett's classic tale to life in an interactive adaptation of 'The Secret Garden'. [Find out more and book this event.](#)

Wednesday 4th August, 11am

Join author **Hannah Gold** for a virtual introduction to her beloved characters from The Last Bear along with some fun polar bear facts, creative writing tips and advice on how to be a planet-saving superstar. [Find out more and book this event.](#)

Thursday 19th August, 10am

Colindale Library

Kev F Sutherland writes and draws for Beano, Doctor Who and Marvel Comics. Make a comic in a morning and learn everything he knows in his *Comic Art Masterclass* so that you can steal his job once you've left school! [Find out more and book this event.](#)

[Visit our Wild World Heroes webpage](#) for more information about all our summer activities.

Please note: All events taking place at library venues or outdoors will be run in line with the most current government guidelines for libraries, and may therefore be subject to change.

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Mondays at 4pm

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Perform Potters Bar

Fridays at 4pm

St John's Methodist Church, Baker Street, Potters Bar, Herts, EN6 2DZ

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