



OAKHURST NEWS

Oakhurst Community Primary School's Fortnightly Newsletter

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MOTIVATE, CREATE, CELEBRATE

★ *HEAD-itorial— Exciting times ahead...*

★ Dear Parents,

★ It has been another busy fortnight at Oakhurst, and fortunately less eventful than the first two weeks of term! Topic webs and letters were sent home last week and will be available from the class web pages from next Tuesday, along with other important class news.


★ Nothing makes me prouder than to hear how the attitudes and values we promote in school are continued outside of Oakhurst, so I was delighted to receive telephone calls and emails from parents and the general public about the outstanding behaviour from our Nursery and Reception class children on their recent visit to Pets At Home. Well done to the whole team in Edinburgh, Cardiff, Belfast and London.

★ Next week is our International Food Week, where we will be celebrating Chinese New Year, Burn's Night and Australia Day. It will be a busy week as I plan to bake some traditional Australia treats for the staff and children on Thursday!

★ Finally, the staff are planning an exciting last week of term for Eco Week, including our very own 'Trashion Show'! Parent consultations will also take place during the last week of term and sign up form will be available from Wednesday 25th January.

★ Best wishes,

★ Dale Burr.
★ Headteacher

Eco Warrior
Theme Week

Monday 6th February-
Friday 10th February

Eco Art, Recycling, 'Trashion'
Show and much more...



Community Event 14
Saturday 3rd March

Architecture Workshops

11.00-12.00
Nursery—Year 2
My First Structure—Tetra

12.30-2.30
Year 3—Year 6
Olympic Structures

Only 40 spaces per session.
All free...book today!



Date for your diary...



PARENTS' EVENING

Tuesday 7th February 3.30–5.30 p.m.

Thursday 9th February 4.30–7.00 p.m.

POLICY REVIEW

We are currently reviewing our Sex and Relationships Education policy. Any parent wishing to make a comment can find a draft copy of the policy on the school website. Comments should be received by Monday 6th February.

New Arrival



Congratulations to Mr Draycott and his partner who have announced the arrival of Luca Mark Draycott. We are delighted to hear this happy news and look forward to welcoming the first staff baby into the Oakhurst family.

December Competitions 'A Bike It Competition' Winners

Maddie Smith (Belfast)

Tom Smith (Beijing)



School Residential Dates

Year 4/5 Braeside
Monday 26th March—Wednesday 28th March

Year 3 Oxenwood
Monday 16th April—Wednesday 18th April
(Mrs Deegan's class)

Wednesday 18th April—Friday 20th April
(Mrs Richard's class)

Year 6 Condoover Hall
Monday 11th June—Friday 15th June

January and February Diary

<p>Monday 23rd January</p> <p>Installation of our Outdoor Shelter begins</p> <p>International Food Week</p>	<p>Wednesday 25th January</p> <p>Nursery Treasure Chest Reading Day</p> <p>Sign up for parents' evening</p>	<p>Tuesday 31st January</p> <p>Bags2School Collection and Eco Collection</p>
<p>Thursday 2nd February</p> <p>Popcorn Club</p>	<p>Monday 6th February</p> <p>Eco Theme Week</p>	<p>Tuesday 7th February</p> <p>Parents' evening</p>
<p>Wednesday 8th February</p> <p>Year 6 S&R Education</p>	<p>Thursday 9th February</p> <p>Parents' evening</p>	<p>Monday 13th—Friday 17th</p> <p>Term Break</p>
<p>Monday 20th February</p> <p>School Closed Teacher Training</p>	<p>Tuesday 21st February</p> <p>Road Safety Training Y2&Y5</p>	<p>Wednesday 22nd February</p> <p>100 Days at School Maths Event</p>
<p>Thursday 23rd February</p> <p>Road Safety Training Y2&Y5</p>	<p>Wednesday 29th February</p> <p>UWE students visiting</p>	<p>Saturday 3rd March</p> <p>Community Event 14</p> <p>Architecture Workshop (booking essential)</p>

Recycling Month @ Oakhurst



JEWELLERY

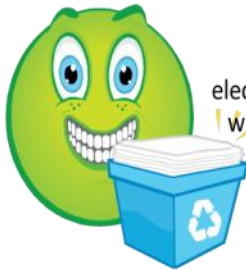


CDs and DVDs

- No promotional
- No freebies



Cables and Wires



During January please recycle your unwanted jewellery, CDs, DVDs and electrical wires....bins will be in reception to collect your unwanted items and will be collected at the end of January, the money raised will go to FOCuS.

There are just a few things to note:

- No freebie or promotional CDs or DVDs
- Please place in the marked bins in reception
- We can accept broken electrical cables / wires



The Latin-inspired, easy-to-follow, calorie-burning, dance fitness-party. Feel the music and let loose.

FOR CLASS DETAILS

Contact your licensed Zumba instructor: Lorraine Bulpitt
07747753212
mark.lorraine@live.com

Classes to be held at:

Oakhurst School
Monday 6:00p.m.
£5 per class, just turn up and have fun!

Term time only

