



# Brickhill Lower School

“Building a better future for your child”

## NEWSLETTER

26th May 2017

### A message from the head.....

On Tuesday Year 4 attended the Faith Tour where they visited several different religious places of worship in Bedford, All Saints Church, the Mosque and the Gurdwara Temple in Queens Park. This trip gave the children the opportunity to see inside a place of worship that may be different to their family place of worship, thereby allowing children to understand the cultures and beliefs of the wider community.

Today 30 children from Year 4 are attending a Multisports Festival at Goldington. We wish them all the best and hope they are all enjoying the experience.

The Multi Academy Trust (MAT) Consultation period has now ended and the Governors are now collating the information and a report will be issued shortly.

Mr Andy Downing our School Improvement Advisor from the Local Authority, visited us this week and joined me in a tour of the school. He was very complimentary about our school and was particularly impressed with the children’s behaviour and learning attitudes.

Finally, we hope you have a wonderful sunny half term break and look forward to seeing the children back in school on Tuesday 6th June 2017 for another busy and exciting term.

Debbie Wilson  
Headteacher

#### Fidget Spinners

As the children are already aware, these toys should not be brought into school. Along with many other schools in the country, we have decided to ban them on site, for health and safety reasons.

#### Stranger Danger

We have been made aware of several incidents involving young people and strangers outside other schools in the area this week. Please visit [www.ncpc.org/topics/violent-crime-and-personal-safety/strangers](http://www.ncpc.org/topics/violent-crime-and-personal-safety/strangers) for ideas on how parents can talk to children and protect them from dangerous strangers and suspicious behaviour.

#### Golden Book children for last week

<b>Chicks And Ducklings</b>	All the children in Chicks and Ducklings for a wonderful assembly and their work on Minibeasts
<b>Skylarks</b>	Adam and Andi
<b>Chaffinches</b>	Sienna, Kelcy, Poppie and Arham
<b>Swans</b>	Dominykas
<b>Owls</b>	Kristian, Ellie, Phebe and Ben
<b>Puffins</b>	Bailey and Kyran
<b>Pheasants</b>	Ariyana and Oliver
<b>Eagles</b>	Baktash, Tyler and Miles
<b>Kestrels</b>	Ollie, Avneesh and Tilly

*Well done & keep up the good work.*

#### Lunchtime Golden Table

This month’s Golden Table was for the Foundation Stage children. Well done to Quinn, Emily L, Jack and Joshua from Chicks and Ethan, Elias, Kennedy and Millie from Ducklings, who all enjoyed their lunch served to them on Thursday.

#### DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

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Mon 5th	SCHOOL CLOSED TO PUPILS	
Tues 6th	12.30-1.00 3.30-4.15 3.35-4.45	Knitting Club Recorder Club KS2 Tennis Club
Weds 7th	3.30-4.30 3.30-4.15	Change4Life Club Homework Club
Thurs 8th	12.30-1.00	Y2 Streetdance
Fri 9th	12.30-1.00 12.30-1.00 3.30-4.30	Y4 Volleyball Club Dance Club Falcons Gym Club

**Our attendance winners for last week were Skylarks with 98.62%**