

## Pinchmill Primary School Update

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### Upcoming dates

05/03/26- World Book Day

9/3/26 – Yr 6 Mock SATs week

9<sup>th</sup> March 1.30-3.30

Year 5&6 Bedford Blues world cup trophy afternoon

10<sup>th</sup> March

Year 3&4 Multi sports festival @ Lincroft Academy

Year 5&6 Badminton competition @ Bedford Athletics stadium 12<sup>th</sup> March 4-6pm

13/3/26 – Mothers Day Breakfast

17<sup>th</sup> March Year 5&6 Quick sticks competition @ Bedford Hockey centre 4-6pm

19<sup>th</sup> March 2.45-4.45pm

Year 3&4 boys football competition @ Bedford Greenacre

24<sup>th</sup> March – Foxes Sing On Event

24<sup>th</sup> March 4-6pm

Year 5&6 girls football competition @ Great Ouse Primary

KS1 Sports festival @ Sharnbrook Academy 26<sup>th</sup> March

27/3/26 – Easter Service at St Mays Church

27/3/26 – Last day of Spring Term  
NO AFTER SCHOOL CLUB

14/4/26 – Start of Summer Term  
29/4/26 – Choir Club – The Big Sing

4/5/26 – Bank Holiday – May Day  
11/5/26 – SATs week

25/5/26 – HALF TERM WEEK

1/6/26 – TRAINING DAY

17/7/26 – END OF SUMMER TERM  
NO AFTER SCHOOL CLUB

### Head Teacher message

I can't believe how fast this week has gone! Hope you all had a lovely week off. I have heard some lovely stories of snowy adventures, tea parties, beach trips and fun being had with friends.

Thank you to all those that supported the book fair the children were so excited leaving School with their new books.

#### **KS2 parents' writing meeting** *new date to be confirmed.*

This will be an opportunity for you to see how we teach writing and provide you with clarification of the writing expectation for the end of KS2.

On Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> March it is World Book Day. The staff are already planning their costumes and I will look forward to seeing the children dressed in book related costumes, should they wish to dress up. Uniform to be worn as normal for those not dressing up. Please do not feel that this has to be an expensive exercise. There are many examples online of easy costumes that can be made using items that you will probably already have at home.

We have a number of activities going on throughout the day.

- Parade of costumes in the morning
- Story telling assembly
- Writing short stories workshops in classes

**At 3pm we would like to invite parents into school** (via the green gates) **to read with their children.**

**Due to the Sing On event for Foxes on 24<sup>th</sup> March we have had to move the pencilled in dates that was on the website for the Spring Parents evening. These will now be on 21/4/26 and 23/4/26.**

**Just a polite notice** please could I ask parents to refrain from parking in the staff carpark as this causes problems with taxis, and staff trying to get in and out. I would also like to highlight the green gates need to be clear at all times as they are our only access for emergency vehicles. Thank you for your understanding with this.

Have a great weekend,

Mrs Bailey