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Summer 2020 T-Shirts!



As you are aware, Susie Evans Pollard has designed a really wonderful t-shirt for the school community, with an image that beautifully represents the community spirit that has lived on while we have been apart. Order deadline extended until tomorrow. A big thank you to Susannah for designing this for the school and to Andrew Foxall for his help with producing the graphics.

Order form, and order details, are attached.

Message To You All From Angela

This has been a very unusual year for us all and unfortunately due to the current circumstances I was unable to be in school to say goodbye to all the children who are leaving at the end of this term. I wish them all, all the best in their new schools.

To the Year 6 children, I have seen most of you go through the school from Reception to Year 6 with very fond memories and it is very sad that I couldn't be there to say a personal goodbye and good luck to all of you as you take your next steps in life. I wish all of you the very best for your future. I am sure you will all reach the goals you set yourself in life. I do hope you will come back and visit.

I have missed all of the children in school, not the same working from home, no sounds of laughter at playtimes!

I hope you all have a lovely holiday and take care and stay safe. Hopefully I will be able to see the rest of you in September.

Year Six Production!

Against all the odds, the Year 6 children put on a fabulous end of term production. Thanks go to all those involved in putting this together, creating a wonderful and lasting memory for the children. Their faces told a picture, I'm sure you would agree! A big thank you to Mrs Nimmo, Miss Hardy (chief choreographer!) and Mrs Reid, as well as to Andrew Foxall who filmed it all and then spent hours combining sound and video to make the final film. [Year Six Leavers' Production](#)

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Bloxham School Summer Writing Competition!

Well done to all the children who took part in this Concrete Poetry competition, and particularly to Evelyn F, Meredith and William F, all of whom received a Highly Commended award!

Auction!

A huge thank you to everyone involved in the fundraising auction, whether you donated, bid or bought items. So many of you gave very generously to the school community, which raised over £6,000 for the Supporters' Club. On behalf of the entire school community, thank you from us all, and particularly to Leona who wasn't going to let a pandemic get in the way of raising money for the school this year and was the driving force behind this auction being such a huge success, spending hours of her time putting it all together.

Wonderful Learning Together!

Here are links to some more short films created by Miss Hardy, celebrating the learning that's been going on at home and at school in every class. Though we may not all be together, it's lovely to see the children are all still learning together.

[Reception](#)

[Year 1&2](#)

[Year 3&4](#)

[Year 5&6](#)

All these slide shows are also now embedded on the website, on the [Wonderful Learning](#) page.

Year Six Leavers

We waved farewell on Friday to our Year 6 leavers, Annie, Belle, Isabelle, Laura, Louis, Lucia, Lucy, Milo, Mimi, Mya, Oscar, Seth, Sophia and Thalia. We will miss them all very much—they are all big characters and we have all enjoyed being a part of their journey through the school. I feel very proud of the confident young people they have become and know that they are more than ready for moving on to Secondary School. We wish them all the very best at their new schools. In waving farewell to these children we are also saying farewell to 13 families, lots of whom have had children at Great Tew for many years. We thank them all for all they have done for the school over the years. The children's leavers' speeches were wonderful and you can see the whole Leavers' Service [here](#). Password [GreatTew2020](#)

More Farewells

We also waved farewell on Friday to Cece in Y1, Byng and George in Y2, Cecily in Y4 and Florence in Y5. They have all been much loved and important members of their classes and they will be missed. We wish them the very best at their new schools.

Our final farewell is to Miss Hardy, who is leaving us to pursue a career in education. She has been a fantastic Teaching Assistant, bringing a great deal to the school, not least her eternal sense of fun and her exceptional dance skills! Miss Hardy has just graduated with a 2.1 BA Hons in Teaching and, although we are sad to be waving farewell, we wish her the very best in her future career in education.