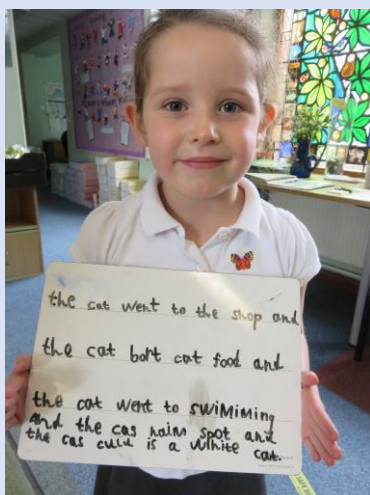


## News from Mr Edwards-Grundy

It is one of the very special joys of my role to congratulate individual children when they complete a piece of exceptional work, achieve a personal goal, or behave in a way that truly exemplifies our values.

Today I welcomed one of our youngest children into my office, as she had completed a piece of independent writing that was absolutely phenomenal.



This week I also showed a fellow headteacher around the school and shared with him examples of childrens' work from around the school. In every class there were great examples of written work, with children producing work that demonstrates all that they have been learning about, as well as being great to read!

As we continue to think about goodness, in Collective Worship this morning we thought about the fact that goodness is not dependent upon us. I believe in a God who is good, and it is His goodness that we see all around us, in the beauty of our created world, in one another, in unexpected acts of generosity, and in the kindness of a stranger. God is good and so there is goodness around us.

As I reflected with staff today, goodness is a conscious decision that we have to make, we can choose goodness, or we can reject it. Whatever our choice though, I believe that God remains good and His goodness to us is unchanged. Thank goodness for that!

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## Parent governors

I am delighted that in response to our newsletter plea for a new parent governor, I have received expressions of interest from three excellent candidates.

Please look out next week for more information about each of the candidates and a voting slip. The successful candidate will be the one who receives the most parental votes.

Dr Phil Fowler

A poster for the Summer Holiday Club at Eynsham Primary School. The poster features a large sunburst graphic with the text "SUMMER HOLIDAY CLUB! EYNSHAM PRIMARY SCHOOL 2ND - 6TH AUGUST 2021 9TH - 13TH AUGUST 2021". To the right, a list of activities includes "SPORTS, DANCE, DRAMA, ARCHERY, LASER TAG, Fencing, Water GAMES AND MANY MORE FUN ACTIVITIES EACH DAY". Below this, it says "OPEN TO CHILDREN AGED 5 - 11 OF ALL ABILITIES". A box on the left states "ONLY 45 SPACES available each DAY SO PLEASE BOOK IN EARLY!". On the right, a section titled "TIME &amp; PRICES" lists "8.40AM - 4.15PM = £28.00" and "9.00AM - 4.15PM = £31.00". Below this, it says "BOOK NOW WITH A £1 PER DAY PAY DEPOSIT AND THE BALANCE AT THE END OF JULY 2021!". The logo for "CLUBZONE" is at the bottom right.

A poster titled "THE FIVE S'S OF SUN SAFETY:". It lists five items: 1. SLIP on a t-shirt, 2. SLOP on SPF 30+ broad spectrum UVA sunscreen, 3. SLAP on a broad brimmed hat, 4. SLIDE on quality sunglasses, 5. SHADE from the sun whenever possible. Below the list are icons for each item: a t-shirt, a bottle of sunscreen, a hat, sunglasses, and an umbrella. The background features a large hand with fingers spread, symbolizing the sun.



## News from around the school

It was back to the Stone Age in Year 4 this week. Staff and children alike all looked the part as they learned more about the Stone Age and enjoyed a raft of activities in the hall and their classrooms.



## News from The Friends – Raffle and 100-club draw

As it will not be possible to hold a summer fair this year, The Friends have instead decided to hold a raffle to raise funds for the school.

A selection of prizes will be on offer, including martial arts lessons and a cash prize! Tickets will be given to children next week and must be returned with money by Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> July. The draw will take place on Friday 16<sup>th</sup> July.

The 100-club draw took place this morning in the presence of a member of the office team. Ticket number 58 was drawn, with the lucky winner being Fraser Chainey; congratulations Fraser!



## Relationships and Sex Education

Alongside this newsletter you will receive a copy of our Relationships and Sex Education Policy, which we have updated in the light of new government guidance.

The new guidance requires us to consult on this policy. If you would like to ask any questions about this curriculum area, please do get in touch with us.

The new guidance becomes statutory in September. The attached policy reflects the teaching that already takes place in school and is compliant with the new guidance.

## Let's get active!

GO Active want to help everyone in Oxfordshire get moving. On the [website](https://www.goactive.co.uk) there are ideas for helping families to be active, ideas for walks and activities to boost mental well-being.



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