

# Bredgar CEP School News

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Your child's mid-year report is available today. We hope you find them informative. As you know, there are Parent Consultation Evenings on Wednesday 22nd February and Thursday 23rd February. Bookings are made online and an email and text was sent out earlier this week with the link. Class teachers' will be willing to discuss any queries, concerns or successes raised through the reports during these evenings.

Tuesday was Safer Internet Day and all the children participated in discussions and activities around keeping safe on the internet. Mrs. Gower was joined by a handful of parents for a presentation about how to protect young people from the dangers of the internet. The powerpoint and notes from the presentation are available through the e-safety page on the school's website.

As this is the final week of term 3, we are celebrating the achievements of the term. The following children have been given a Headteacher's Award: Hayley for excellent effort with home learning, Emelia for producing an excellent piece of learning whilst managing her distractions, Amie for outstanding effort and producing a superb piece of writing, Traton for his great writing and Charlie P for independently writing a Haiku poem. The house with the most housepoints was Orchard House and they will be receiving an extra playtime in Term 4 to celebrate. The following children were given the Presentation Award for significant improvements to the presentation of their learning: Logan from the Bears, Callum from the Butterflies, Phoebe from the Badgers and Ben from the Beavers. A new award to celebrate a significant development in resilience with learning has been agreed following a request from the learning ambassadors. Congratulations to Freddie from Bears, Benji from Butterflies, Lewis from the Badgers and Ella from the Beavers. The lucky winner of the 100% AR Club is Ruby B from Butterflies who received a £10 Amazon voucher to treat herself to a new book.

We hope you have an enjoyable half term holiday and look forward to seeing you on Monday 20th February.

David Whitehead  
Executive Head of Unitas

Madeleine Gower  
Head of School, Bredgar

## Midday Supervisor - 2 positions now available

Bredgar CEP School is looking for 2 Midday Supervisors to work 5 lunchtimes a week from now until the end of the academic year. Please speak to the school office if you are interested and collect an application form. Protecting the children in our care is of paramount importance and safeguarding checks and references will be required.

## Coming up...

Friday 10th February—end of term 3  
Monday 20th February—start of term 4  
Parent Consultation Evenings - Wednesday 22nd and Thursday 23rd February - bookings made online.  
13th - 17th March - Science /Healthy Lifestyles Week  
15th March - Governors' Day  
31st March 9.15 Village Hall - End of term Celebration assembly - Parents & carers invited.  
18th April 9.15 Bredgar Church - Easter Service Parents & carers invited

## Friends of Bredgar School

There's a couple of fundraisers we are running over the next couple of months...

**PANCAKE EVENT (2ND HAND UNIFORM SALE - TUESDAY 28TH FEBRUARY AFTER SCHOOL IN THE VILLAGE HALL)**

This will involve pancake races, flipping and decorating. Everyone welcome. Keep the date for your diary - more details to follow. If you have any good condition school uniform that you'd like to donate, please hand it into the office.

**QUIZ NIGHT - SATURDAY 11TH MARCH**

We haven't held a quiz night for a couple of years, so we thought we'd hold one this year. Tickets will be on sale from reception soon and are £5 per person, friends and family welcome. Teams of 4-8 people, bring your own drinks, nibbles, buffet tea.

**SUMMER FETE....**just a note to say that we are already starting to plan our Summer Fete. If you would like to be involved, please do be in touch.

Please don't forget to use easy fundraising when doing your shopping. Download the app or search [easyfundraising.org.uk](http://easyfundraising.org.uk)

## E - safety advice from our E-Safety prefect, Leo.

1. Mute people who are being mean
2. Report if necessary
3. Talk to someone if something is bothering you
4. Ignore silliness
5. Behave online as you would in real life . Don't be mean yourself and don't react.

Thank you Leo - good advice and thank you for your support during Internet Safety Day this week.

For even more advice go to

<https://www.nspcc.org.uk/preventing-abuse/keeping-children-safe/online-safety/>

<https://www.thinkuknow.co.uk/parents/>

## Chicken pox

Currently, there are several cases of chicken pox in the school. Symptoms include spots and blisters which will form a scab after a few days. Chicken pox is contagious until all the blisters have scabbed over which usually happens about five or six days after the rash appears. We ask that children do not return to school until the last blister has scabbed over. For more information, go to [www.nhs.uk/conditions/Chickenpox](http://www.nhs.uk/conditions/Chickenpox)



## Attendance Champions!

Congratulations to the Badger class who achieved 97.3% attendance this week! The third week of having the best attendance rate! Well done and keep it up!



'How can he remember 37 different passwords for his computer but always forget to pick his clothes up off the floor?'



***We believe that we should all show respect for God, for each other and for ourselves.***