

Oaklands Junior School

Learning to think - Thinking to learn

NEWS UPDATE 24th May 2019



Grand Opening Ceremony Last Friday!

We are very pleased to be able to say that following a lot of hard work by so many people over the last 2 years, our Big Red Bus is now finally open! We hope you enjoyed last Friday's public opening at the end of the afternoon and we would like to thank our special guest, Mr Elsey together with Jack, for cutting the ribbon. We were thankful that the weather held out for us on that day! We cannot wait to see Jack's banner displayed on the bus. THANK YOU to all the parents who have donated books & bean bags too – lovely to see how the bus now looks, so much more inviting with these in place. Finally ... Mr Lee ... who first shared this idea with Mrs West and the SLT and has been there throughout leading the project ... THANK YOU for ALL your time and effort towards achieving this vision – the children (and staff) in the infants and juniors, cannot wait to begin using this fabulous resource centre!

End of Term Tests

Year 6 have successfully completed all SATs tests (well done!), whilst enjoying all the fun and excitement in our curriculum. However, the work and fun does **not** stop for them just because the government tests have ended! They have already had a fabulous time with Police Week and all that this has entailed, as well as the LEGOLAND trip to find out more about design & control for their DT project. After half term they will be continuing to cover the remaining topics including writing tasks, as well as preparing for their Y6 play - a rollercoaster of many more days of learning!

Well done to ALL the other year groups who have worked so very hard and have also completed their tests this week. Well done!

Wishing you and your families a very happy half term, with hopefully lots of sunshine!