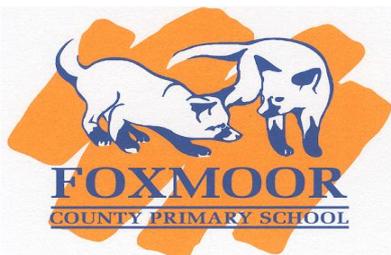


# Foxmoor Flyer



Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> February 2017  
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## Diary

### **February**

6<sup>th</sup> – 10<sup>th</sup> Week 1 School lunches  
8<sup>th</sup> Dance Festival  
10<sup>th</sup> Valentine Disco  
10<sup>th</sup> End of term  
20<sup>th</sup> Start of Term 4  
27<sup>th</sup> Hearing and Vision Screening for  
Reception children

### **March**

15<sup>th</sup> INSET Day

## Reporting Absences

We have a new absence email address that can be used to report absences instead of a phone call or letter if desired. Please send full details of any absences to:

[absence@foxmoor.gloucs.sch.uk](mailto:absence@foxmoor.gloucs.sch.uk).

## Fire Service Visit

The Reception class had a visit from the Fire Service on Monday morning. Two of our local firemen arrived in their appliance to show the children the workings of a fire engine. They were able to dress up in fireman uniform, clamber onto the fire engine, listen to the siren and observe the flashing lights. This was a great opportunity for little ones to explore the working life of a fireman.

## Netball Festival

On Wednesday afternoon Macy, Felicity, Chloe, Libby, Josie, Marcy, Hafren, Hollie, Mia and Maddie from Year 6 took part in a netball festival held at Wycliffe Senior School. After a warm-up, the girls mastered some netball drills before taking part in two seven-a-side games. Each game lasted 15 minutes (5 minutes per third) and positions were rotated after each third. We played against Randwick and Leonard Stanley and drew both matches 1-1. After all games were played the girls enjoyed refreshments and were kindly given a Wycliffe kit bag each. Certificates will be handed out in a future assembly but the whole afternoon proved to be a great success and was enjoyed by all. Our thanks go to Ms Barcham and Mrs Tuck who trained the girls beforehand and took them along to the festival.

## FoxFit

Our new 'FoxFit' Club will begin after half term on 22<sup>nd</sup> February. Jonathan Peacock will be running clubs for Years 3 and 4 up until 5<sup>th</sup> April, then for Years 5 and 6 after Easter starting on 26<sup>th</sup> April. Any children who want to improve their athletics skills and would like to join this club need to return their completed permission slip by next Monday, 6<sup>th</sup> February. The clubs will finish at 4.30pm. Please note the dates of the commencement of these clubs as there was a misprint on the green form sent home.

## Health and Wellbeing Day

Today was Health and Wellbeing Day at Foxmoor. This event was organised to inspire the children to take up sport generally. The morning was spent with GB hand cyclist Dave Abrutat and the afternoon was in the form of an assembly led by David Marsh and Emerald Jones (Fisk), both former Foxmoor pupils who talked to the school about wellbeing and fitness. More information on the day's activities will follow next week. Please could you return your sponsorship form and monies by next Friday?

## Thank you

Thank you to those parents and children who took notice of the safety note in last week's Flyer. Please continue to be considerate to both our children and members of the public at these busy times.