

Keeping Children Safe

Gallery guardian is an app that “encourages a healthy dialogue between parents and their children about responsible social media usage. Powered by an advanced image recognition algorithm, Gallery Guardian notifies parents whenever their children are creating or saving inappropriate images on their devices.”

<https://www.galleryguardian.co.uk/>. This newspaper article offers further information: <https://www.telegraph.co.uk/news/2017/04/23/smartphone-app-tells-parents-children-sexting/>

New Definition of Bullying

A YouGov poll revealed that 72% of GB children, aged 13-17 years, agreed that the definition of ‘bully’ should be updated. After campaigning by the Diana Award, Google, Collins, Dictionary.com, Oxford Dictionaries and the Cambridge Dictionary have change their definition of bullying. The original definition contrasted bullies as ‘strong’ and their victims as ‘weak’, but the new definition instead talks of vulnerability.

Original definition:

Bully n. a person who uses strength or influence to harm or intimidate those who are weaker.

New definition:

Bully n. a person who habitually seeks to harm or intimidate those whom they perceive as vulnerable.

Horizons are looking to recruit a new member of staff for Tuesday and Thursday afternoon - 2.45 to 6.00 pm.

Applications to: sandra.horizons@bushyhilljs.net by 29th June.



Ellie and Taylor report on their visit from Surrey University last week: We were learning about archaeology and how there are many different aspects to it. We looked through some rubbish (that they had cleaned) and we had to find out information about them—how many people, age-range etc and we completed a questionnaire.

Then we went next door to listen to Rob to find out ‘Can a banana conduct electricity?’. We were learning about conductors and insulators. While we were doing this, the Surrey Uni team used a special machine that connected to something that conducted electricity which allowed us to use a banana to play the keyboard! We had great fun all morning!

FAB News

Mufti Donations - The hampers look great and bottles are being labelled ready to be won. Thank you for all your donations and for supporting the fair.

Sports Day - Thank you to all the volunteers who kept spectators refreshed. Over £288 was raised which will be put towards buying the new minibus.

Y6 Leavers' Production Wednesday 11th July - Not ones to break with tradition, FAB will once again provide free drinks to Y6 parents at the performance. It's also tradition that Y5 parents serve the drinks. If you are a Y5 parent who can help please contact the committee via email or Facebook, details below.

Disco 12th July - Tickets for the summer disco are available via Wisepay and the deadline for payment is 5th July.

Keep in touch on email FAB@bushyhilljs.net or via the Facebook group (look up Friends Association of Bushy Hill if you haven't already joined. We are up to the dizzy heights of 94 members. Could you be the 100th member?)

The FAB Committee

FAB@bushyhilljs.net

Congratulations to our Year 6 Kwik Cricket

team who finished 2nd—only 22 runs behind the winners!



On Tuesday, representatives of our Eco Club were fortunate enough to go on a trip to the WWF centre in Woking. When we were there, we learned lots of new facts about endangered animals, including that a whale’s tongue weighs more than an average elephant. In our lesson, we met a non-fiction author who worked with the WWF writing books about endangered wildlife.

We then used iPads in pairs to create our own page about a chosen animal—we chose the Harpy Eagle and the red Macaw. We also used a ‘green screen’ to make a video about being the amazon explorers.

All of our pages were then published into one book which we excitedly await! We had an amazing time and would love to visit again! Mesi and Oliver