

### Exciting Curriculum

#### Reception

#### Hamworthy Park



The children had such a fun morning at Hamworthy Park as a wow start to our 'Splish Splash' topic, where we will be learning about beach safety and how to stay safe in the sun. The children enjoyed playing in the splash park, listening to a story in the shade with an ice lolly and playing some parachute games on the grass.



#### Message from Mrs Fish

Well the sun has been shining and some fantastic learning has been happening at Elm both in the classroom and outside.

A huge congratulations to Reception who went on their first proper school trip and not only did they have a fantastic time the general public commented on how well behaved they were too.

And then at the other end of the school Year 6 were congratulated on their behaviour and attitude to their swimming lessons.

Congratulations to the children in Year 4, 5 and 6 who participated at Towns Sport last week, they all did brilliantly and represented Elm very well.

There is not a day that passes that the wonderful children at Elm do not make me so proud to be there Principal.

I am looking forward to seeing you all next week at the Summer Fair, hoping that the sun is still shining!

#### Year 1

#### Pirate Day



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Year 2

Oceanarium Trip



Yr 2 - Beebots



2TB well done to ALL of you for  
reading – treat time!





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## Year 3

All children have done a fantastic job learning about  
Volcanoes.



## Year 3

After school colouring club



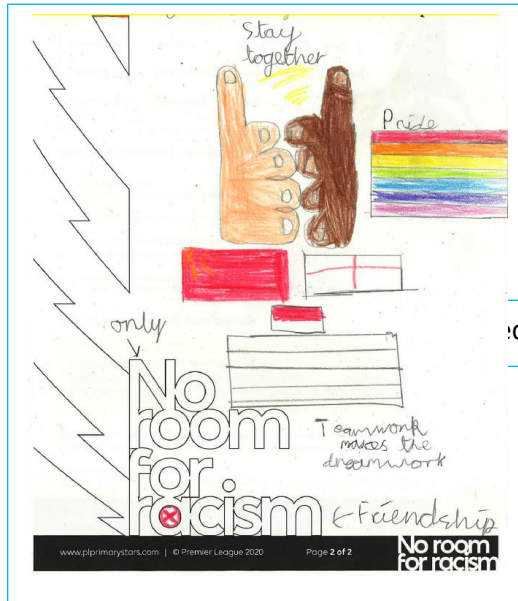
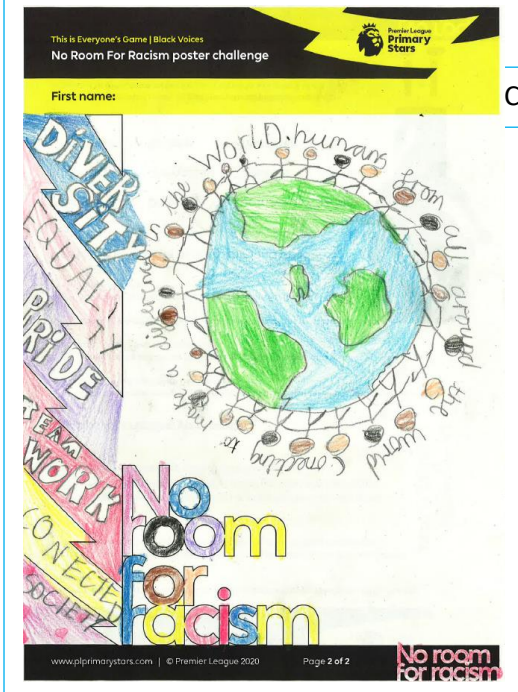
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Year 4

AFC Bournemouth have been working with our year 4.

Topic - no room for racism

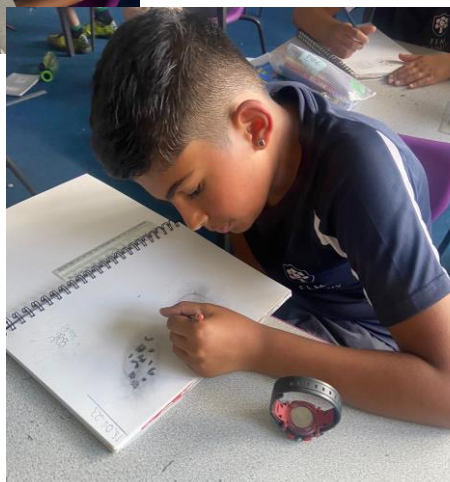
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Year 6

Developing their Art skills  
using clay





# Elms Events

## Year 3 & 4 football Vs Manorside

## Can Do Festival (Rockley)



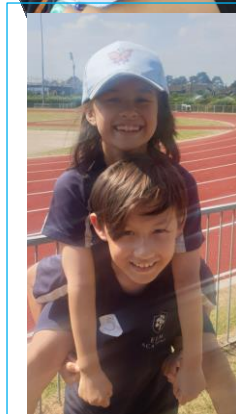
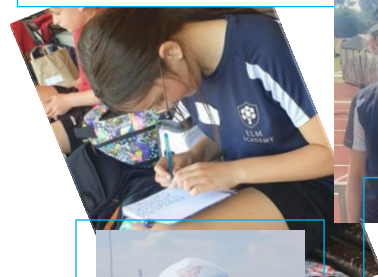
...building confidence & trust'



Congratulations to the 22 children that represented Elm at Town Sports last week. They were all incredible!

Special mentions go to Aayatollah (2<sup>nd</sup> in High Jump) Evan (4<sup>th</sup> place in the 150m final) and Ralphy who came away with a gold medal in High Jump.

## Town Sports



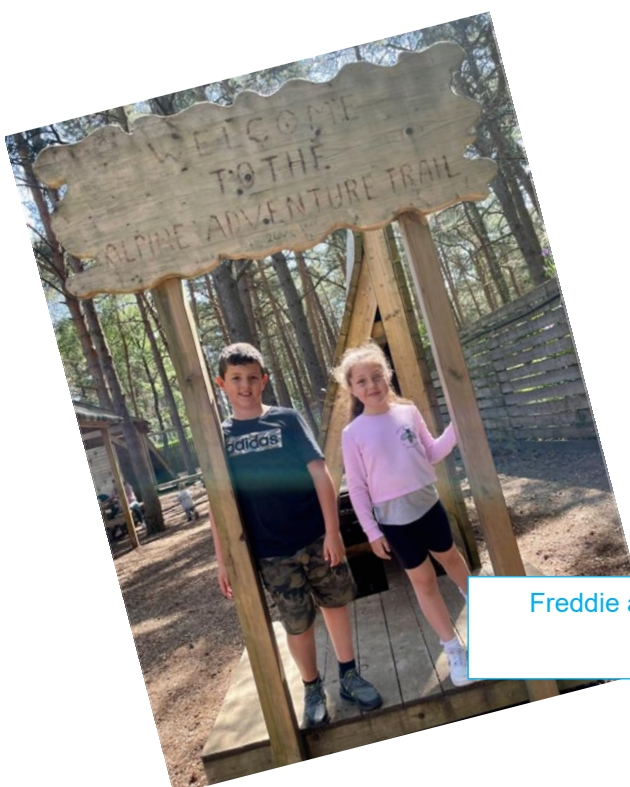


# Elms celebrates our Pupils

Congratulations to Tommy and Alfie in Year 4 who won the Lychett Tournament at the weekend without conceding a goal for Moordown & Southbourne FC. Well done boys!



A TEAM of Bournemouth schoolchildren graced the same pitch also used by Lionel Messi a few hours earlier, as they competed in the Europa Cup. Well done to our very own Evan C!



Freddie and Gracie enjoying their 100% attendance reward.

# 100% Attendance Reward



The Kincaid family won our attendance prize last week, a family board game evening. Well done and keep up the excellent attendance.

Congratulations to all our  
winners of the 100%  
Attendance Award

## Summer Fair

### Mufti Day

We will be holding a mufti day on Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> June. Your child can wear mufti clothes in exchange for an item for our tombola as follows:

Reception and Year 1: Sweets (bags or tubs of sweets)

Year 2: Smellies (for example - bubble bath, bath bomb, soap, scented oils)

Year 3: Non-perishable food, all must be well within their sell-by date (for example biscuits, tinned food, pasta etc)

Year 4, 5 and 6: Bottles of drink (for example - alcohol, fizzy, fruit juice, squash). If you are bringing in alcohol, please could you give it to either the adults on the doors or the school office.

### Cakes

Following on from our amazing Coronation Bake Off where we saw some incredible bakes, we will be holding another cake stall at the Summer Fair. If you would like to donate a cake, please could you bring it in on Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> June in the morning.

There will be an inflatable assault course which children will have access to during the school day. For this ticket can be purchased at a cost of £3 for a 15-minute session via ParentPay.

The inflatable assault course will also be available during the summer fair times for the same price though this will be cash only. Please note, you may need to queue for this.

# Inclusion team

## **Parent Champion for SEND – Confidential monthly support and advice for families**

As a school we want to play a role in improving SEND services for our children. We now have an opportunity to provide a confidential space here in school for families of children with SEND through a new Parent Champion project delivered and funded by SENDiass4BCP and Parent Carers Together.

Each month a dedicated Parent Champion will hold one session to support families in navigating appropriate local and national services and networks to meet the needs of their children. Your child does not have to be on the SEND register at school to be able to access the support. Time slots will be allocated to individual families on a first come first served basis and are held in confidence during the school day.

**Our next session is on Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> June**, to enable us to plan ahead for these sessions we are asking parent/carers to book onto a session by emailing [parent2parent@elm-academy.org.uk](mailto:parent2parent@elm-academy.org.uk).

If you are experiencing difficulties and are unsure where to access the support and resources you need please do get in touch and confirm your interest in writing. The role of the Parent Champion is to listen and to share knowledge of the services and the networks in your local community that may be of help to you.

This is a valuable resource we are so pleased to be part of. Together we can improve services and support for families across Bournemouth, Christchurch and Poole.

### **Holiday Activities and food programme (HAF)**

School holidays can be difficult for families with increased costs for food and childcare.

The Department for Education funded holiday activities and food programme (HAF) provides free holiday activity places for children and young people in receipt of benefits-based free school meals, from reception year to age 16.

A meal is also provided whilst the child or young person is at the activity. Additionally, the programme provides nutritional education for children and their families and signposting to other support services for families.

HAF funded activities are available during the easter, summer and christmas holidays. Half terms are not included.

For more information about the programme and how to take part, please click on the parent/carer or children and young people boxes below.

Details of HAF activities running during the summer holidays will appear here when available.

**Providers and educators** - contact us if you provide:

- holiday activities in Bournemouth, Christchurch or Poole and would like funding to support free places for children in receipt of benefits-related free school meals
- food which meets the school food standards
- nutritional education to children and families

[HAF information for parents and carers \(bcpcouncil.gov.uk\)](https://bcpcouncil.gov.uk)

Information for children  
and young people



Information for holiday  
activity providers



Information for  
parents and carers



Information for food suppliers  
and nutrition experts





# Dates and Reminders

20/06/2023	-	Mufti day (please see summer fair letter for more details)
23/06/2023	-	Elms Summer Fair (3.30pm – 5.30pm)
30/06/2023	-	<b>INSET DAY</b>
30/06/2023	-	Year 6 Transition Day
03/07 – 05/07/2023	-	Year 6 Little Canada Residential
06/07/2023	-	Year 2 & 3 Sports Day
07/07/2023	-	Year 4, 5 & 6 Sports Day
10/07 – 12/07/2023	-	Year 5 Hooke Court Residential
13/07/2023	-	Reception & Year 1 Sports Day
14/07/2023	-	School Production (more info to follow)
19/07/2023	-	Nursery Graduation (am)
19/07/2023	-	Year 6 Graduation (pm)
20/07/2023	-	End of term parties (more info to follow)
21/07/2023	-	Last day of term (3.15pm pick up)



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**COURSE START DATE**

**07.09.23**