

# Snapshots of the Week

## Week: 13<sup>th</sup> May to 17<sup>th</sup> May

This week **Year 5** have been amazing! They have been working on their metacognitive strategies and working on improving their learning with Mrs Wilks, who was amazed by how fantastic they were. They have also spent time looking at how speech is punctuated and why it is used ready to put into practise when writing a narrative.

This week in **Year 6** we have completed our SATS! The children were all fantastic – they focused, tried their absolute best and were a credit to BMS. They have celebrated their success with ice sundaes, non-school uniform, just dance and scooters in school!

### Reminders .....

**20<sup>th</sup> – 21<sup>st</sup> May Y6 Boys Football Team – Playing at Wolverhampton FC - Premier League Primary Stars**

**21<sup>st</sup> May Under 13's Rounders at Parkstone Grammar**

**22<sup>nd</sup> May – Auditions for the CHS Summer concert**

**23<sup>rd</sup> May Year 7 Disco**

### YEAR 7

**MATHEMATICS:** Y7 have been revising types of averages such as mean, mode, median & range. They have also been interpreting & presenting data in a range of ways and applying to real life scenarios.

**SCIENCE:** Pendulums and tennis ball bounce measurements have allowed us to study energy and its transfer – and have some fun! Maths skills have been put to the test as we calculate means and energy transfers.

**HISTORY:** Year 7 have been exploring the causes of World War One resulting in some excellent written work in explaining which was the biggest long term cause of WW1. They've also started looking at the 'sandwich guy shooting the man in the car' or the Assassination of Franz Ferdinand to everyone else, for a short term cause of WW1.

### YEAR 8

**MATHEMATICS:** Y8 have been continuing their work on measuring space. They have been learning about constructions such as perpendicular bisectors & a range of triangles.

**SCIENCE:** Building a model vacuum flask has allowed us to apply our understanding of heat transfer through conduction, convection and radiation. Next, it's see-saws and pulleys.

**HISTORY:** Year 8 are just beginning their new topic where they will be examining the changing role of women in the 20th century. They've started with an overview of the rights and equalities that have been achieved over the last 120 years whilst applying their opinions about the changes that have (and haven't) been made.

### CLUBS!

<b>Tues</b>	<i>Tennis KS3 Rounders KS3</i>
<b>Wed</b>	<i>Athletics KS3 Cricket KS2</i>
<b>Thurs</b>	<i>Athletics KS2</i>
<b>Friday</b>	<i>Tennis KS2 Volleyball – All years Acro gymnastics</i>

### Excellent Events!

**Our Y8 Sport Leaders were fantastic supporting Springdale First School on their visit to BMS to participate in the Tri-Gold Festival. A good time had by all!**



**Miss Marsh has been offered an exciting secondment opportunity at another middle school and today is the day she is leaving the BMS family. We are very excited for her and although she will be missed we wish to support her career development. I am sure you will join us in wishing her the very best of luck for the future! Thank you Miss Marsh!**