



Let Your Light Shine – Matthew 5 v 16 Schools Fest Newsletter 2022



This week the children have taken part in our Schools Fest event 2022. Enjoyed by all 181 children in school they have been able to participate in a range of different activities which have included: Forest skills, Silent disco, Football workshops, Dance and Drumming workshops, Nerf Battles, Canoeing, Cave Bus and Climbing wall to name but a few. A huge thank you also to our parent workshop leaders Mr Bennett, Mrs Morrisroe, Mr Tomlinson (DT Soccer Camp) and Mrs Brockley who have led the Breakout tent challenge, workshops with an author, football skills and face painting.

Through the week our KS2 children have all enjoyed an overnight camp on the field and it has been fantastic to see all the children challenging themselves and enjoying new experiences. The enjoyment and laughter has been infectious all week and I know everyone has thoroughly enjoyed what the week has offered.

Schools Fest began last year and was born out of the fact that these children had not taken part in such activities due to the covid pandemic. I am a firm believer and extremely passionate that our school provides so much more than academic learning for our children and so for a second-year Schools Fest has returned. This would not be possible without the Bunbury staff working as a team to bring this event to life and provide an even better experience than last year. I am humbled by the dedication, commitment and enthusiasm that each staff member has shown this week and I am sure you will join me in thanking them. Without all of them working together this event could not take place. A special thank you needs to be said to Mrs Armitage who has organised all the timetables and activities, Mrs Walker for preparing 106 pizzas for our KS2 children and Ms Charlesworth for all the risk assessment paperwork which needed to be in place for the event to take place.

There are so many more things I could say about this week but I think the photos of the children below really do sum up just what an incredible week it has been.....









These are only a small selection of the photos we have taken this week in Schools Fest. For all of us, this week has brought with it a lot of fun, laughter, opportunities to 'Let Your Light Shine' in many different ways and above all happy memories. There are many more things I could say about Schools Fest but I think the final words need to be from the children and what it has meant to them.....



"You have lots of fun at Schools Fest"
Alyssia Reception

"Incredible"
Reuben Year 6

"Best week ever"
Evelyn Year 5

"It's a dream"
Sky Year 5

"We should do it every week"
Emily Year 5

"Lots of fantastic activities"
Florence Year 5

"Very proud of myself for getting to the top of the climbing wall"
Keira Year 6

"Lots of different activities for everyone to show off their talents"
Isabelle Year 6

"Incredible fun"
Corey Year 4

"Best week of school"
Mia Year 6

"There are lots of activities and fun things to do to add to our curriculum"
Zac Year 4

"I enjoyed everything"
Oliver Year 6

Thank you as always for your continued support of the school.
We hope you all have an enjoyable weekend and we look forward to seeing
you all back in school on Monday morning after a good rest!

Here's to Schools fest 2023!