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## OOSC Newsletter

### **Thank you all**

I would like to take this opportunity to thank parents, children and staff for welcoming me into the Out of School Club. I have been very impressed with all of your wonderful children at BT School.

### **Voting Box**

So far this term, the children have voted for their favourite fruit at snack time (the joint winners being cherries and pineapple!), they have also voted to decide how we will spend our budget for new equipment, and we are excited to have purchased a brand new table tennis and pool table in one! Table tennis has proved to be a very popular activity for the children this half term, so we will look forward to using it for the first time in Holiday Club.

### **Half Term Holiday Club**

We are looking forward to Holiday Club during half term next week. There are lots of exciting activities planned, including indoor games and sports – hopefully some outdoor games and sports if the weather is kind to us – movie afternoons, Just Dance and other Wii computer games, cooking and crafts, the theme for which will be Chinese New Year.

### **Holiday Club Session Timings**

The committee are considering a suggestion that the Holiday Club timings reflect a term time school day, and would like to invite parents to tell us their views on the structure of Holiday Club sessions. Currently the sessions are run from 8.00am – 12.30pm and 1.00pm – 5.30pm, or a full day.

We would like to hear feedback from parents as to whether three sessions would be preferred – an ‘early bird’ breakfast session, a ‘school day’ session and a ‘twilight’ session, exact timings to be decided. If Holiday Club is a service you use, or feel that you would like to, and a change to the session timings would allow you access to, please get in touch and let us know.

### **Committee Member Vacancy**

The OOSC committee are looking to recruit new members. This will really help strengthen our provision and ensure we are the best we possibly can be. If you would be interested in this position, please get in touch- there is usually only one short meeting each term.

### **Contact Details**

Please remember to notify us in person, via email or text message of any changes to contact details, such as telephone numbers and email addresses.

Many thanks,

Ms Sophia Baillie

OOSC Manager