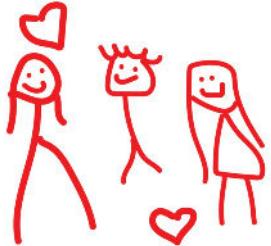


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Friends at Bilton

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Lent Term 2026

FAB Lent Term

- **Saturday 10th January** – FAB Meeting, 8.45am in Earle House
- **Friday 23rd January** - (first Advent Term Exeat) - Pre-Prep Film Afternoon 1pm-3pm
- **Friday 30th January** – The Quiz that Cannot be Prepared For RETURNS! In the Prep Library, 7.30pm - 10.30pm
- **Friday 27th February** – Juniors Disco, 4:40pm - 5.45pm Middle School Disco, 6pm - 7.30pm
- **Saturday 28th February** - FAB Meeting in Earle House, 8.45am
- **Saturday 14th March** - BG Easter Egg Hunt, 2pm - 4pm

About FAB

FAB is an informal and voluntary committee of parents from all year groups across the school. All parents are part of FAB and we hope that everyone feels welcome to participate in any way – from helping out at end of term fairs, promoting & volunteering for events to just socialising at FAB events.

If you would like to know more or get involved in any way large or small, contact us on fab@biltongrange.co.uk

We Raised £4k This Term!

Diwali Celebrations 15th October

What a wonderful start back to the second half of Advent Term with a Diwali celebration. We had arts and crafts, henna hand painting, gems galore and delicious food to celebrate Diwali as a community. With a huge thank you to Komel, Suky, and Sonia for being the driving force and creative masterminds behind this event.



BG Wreath Making

26th - 27th November

This year's creative Christmas Wreath and Table Centre Pieces Workshops were a huge success, selling out two consecutive evenings. This was a great opportunity for parents and friends to join in making a spectacular wreath for their own front door and make a second which was sold in aid of FAB funds at the Christmas Fair. It was such a splendid couple of evenings to come together for some creative fun and a drink or two, really getting into the festive spirit ahead of the Christmas break. With a huge thanks to Bry, for leading the events. Through the sales of the second wreaths we have raised nearly £2,000, and added to our fund raising target.



BG Christmas Fair 29th November

The FAB Christmas Fair this year saw lots of families joining us for fun and activities, tea, cake and an opportunity for the children to meet Father Christmas, hopefully without parents hearing any requests for gifts we didn't already know about! With thanks to Andy Whitford and Ian Wicks for taking on the lead role of the big man himself. Many families have the chance to have a Christmas family photo taken, with thanks to John Bolton for taking the photos and raising funds for St Cross Hospital.

Along with the professional stall holders at the fair we also had a great deal of fun and activities thanks to the hard work and creative ideas of the children from Prep organising their own stalls. A huge thank you goes to Richard and Sarah Gregory for arranging the whole event for us and to the volunteers who brought cake, manned stalls, kept things running and even had 'elf' duties, without you all these FAB events are not possible. This event raised almost £1,000 for FABs work.



Pre-Prep Christmas Shopping Event

On Friday 5th December we held the FAB Annual Shopping Event for all Pre-Prep Children. This lovely event enables all Pre-Prep children to buy a small gift for each member of their family. The children were able to choose and help wrap their gifts, which means they can truly give a surprise gift.

We can only hold this joyful event with the generosity of parents and our volunteers, so a huge, big thank you to those involved. Through your incredible donations we can bring a little bit more excitement to Christmas morning for our little ones, often with them being more excited about giving their little surprise gift than receiving their own! This years event raised £1,000+.



BG Christmas Ball

What a wonderful time was has by all the families and pupils of the Prep School at their annual Christmas Ball, held in the very beautifully decorated Gallery and Library. A good time was had by all and everyone looked very festive and smart in their black tie and ball gowns!

A huge thank you to Marleen Enright for organising the entire event and for our volunteers, including the gappies, who helped with the evenings event. A real highlight for many in the Advent Term Calendar.

