



Bishops Tawton
Primary School
Melanie Smallwood
Executive Head Teacher

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Dear Parents and Families,

Welcome back to the final half of summer term. We hope you enjoyed the lovely weather during the holiday. The children have settled back into what has been a busy week.

Some of you may be aware that there was an accident on the road yesterday morning. One of our pre-school children was unfortunately hit by a car. Thank fully we had very skilled parents on hand who were able to deal with the situation and the child was taken to hospital.

I wanted to thank all of the people who stayed to help, offered to help, directed traffic and directed families to avoid what could have been upsetting for other children to see.

The teachers will be talking to the children about road safety today, they will be careful in how they present this and will be sensitive to the age and needs of the children.

We will continue to be in contact with the family but will also respect their privacy.

Please remember to drive safely and park carefully on our busy road. Ms Hutchings (Jacqui in the kitchen) is the clerk for the Parish Council, she has been trying to get a crossing put into place and to reduce the speed limit to 20mph. She will continue to press this issue for us.

Site manager

This week we say Goodbye and thank you to Steve Burrige who has worked at the school as site manager. He has played a crucial role in supporting the school over many years along with supporting on trips and visits for the children. We are very grateful for all of his hard work!

Tarka Pottery

The children had a lovely time earlier in the week taking part in the Tarka Pottery workshops. The Platinum Jubilee plates and vases have gone off for firing and will be a lovely keepsake in years to come.

Sun hats and sun cream

Please make sure your child has a hat, water bottle and suncream (all named) in school during the summer term. Please apply suncream before your child comes to school and encourage them to learn how to apply it themselves. Bottles and hats are available to buy from [eduspot](#): Hats: £4, Water Bottle: £1

School shop items

Thank you everyone for your donations towards the shop uniform shop. Our stock is low of school jumpers, cardigans and P.E hoodies, we would appreciate any donations of those items.

Bag2School Collection

On July 1st we will be having a Bag2School collection. Please have a look on their [website](#) to see what they do/don't collect. The bags will be coming home soon!

Best wishes

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Dates:

Tuesday 21st/28th June: No cabin club due to staff training

Thursday 23rd June: Taw pre-school Stay and Play 2-3pm

Friday 1st July: Bag2School collection

Thursday 21st July: Leavers assembly for the Yr6 parents (2pm)

Monday 25th July: Sports day (morning) with picnic lunch

Monday 25th July: Last day of term - No cabin club