



Bishops Tawton Primary School Newsletter

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Friday 9th March 2018

Dear Parents/carers,

This week we were delighted to receive a letter from Rt Hon Nick Gibb MP, congratulating us on our performance, it is great to be able to celebrate the hard work of our whole school community. We have also sent out copies of letters to raise awareness about fair funding for schools. If you would like to send a letter to our local MP perhaps a group of you could do so on behalf of all our parents. Let me know if this is something you would like to lead. Thank you.

Book week: Thank you for all your donations this week and last, we raised £220 towards new guided reading books for school.

Netball: Very well done to the netball team who took part in the Local area final on Tuesday. They played exceptionally well and came 4th overall.

Joseph: Spread the word! All of the children and class groups have been practising for our up and coming show. The children are excited to be able to share this with you on **Thursday 19th April**. Tickets are now available in the school office. We are expecting all children from Year 2 up to perform in the show. If you already know that your child is not going to be available on the night you **must** let the school know in writing as soon as possible so that we can consider arrangements for this.

The children in Codden and Tarka class have been learning some of the songs, they are invited to come along and watch the show with you. Don't forget some proceeds from the ticket sales will go to the school! (£5 adult, £2 child)

PTFA

Easter Bingo-This week you should have received letters in your book bags inviting you to buy books for the Easter Bingo event planned for Friday 23rd March. We have had little response so far. If there are not enough books purchased by Wednesday next week we will have to cancel the event. Please remember that we are organising this event to raise funds that will benefit all of our children. Thank you

Mother's Day Service

Come and celebrate **Mother's Day** with the Open the Book team at St John the Baptist church, Bishop's Tawton.

This year-at our morning celebration on Sunday 11th March-there'll be children's activities, an Open the Book story (parents, finally a chance to see what the kids enjoy at school), flowers for all mums, nans, aunties and carers, plus a cuppa and a cake at the end with no washing up or clearing away!

The service starts at 11am so you can enjoy a lazy start and still be finished in time for the kids to cook you lunch or take you out somewhere nice. No need to book, just come along. For more information call Rev'd Andy Dodwell 371068.

School Council-Sport Committee

The sports committee invite children to 'dress up as an athlete' next Friday in exchange for £1 or more. All funds to Sports Relief. Throughout the following week they will deliver daily fun fitness activities for all children: this means you can wear your trainers every day!

Pre-school news

This week we have been making mother's day surprises, we hope you enjoy them. We are preparing for Science Week next week, we have been experimenting with giant bubbles. We are looking forward to more next week.

School Hall Available for regular hire: Please visit our website for more information

Dates: **Sports Relief:** Next Friday (dress up as an athlete for £1 or more) throughout the following week (wear your trainers every day) Georgeham meeting for year 3's: Tuesday 20th March 2.45pm

'Joseph' production: 19th April 6pm at Christ Church, tickets available in the school office or via email to admin.

Easter Bingo: Friday 23rd March: DEADLINE FOR DECISION TO GO AHEAD IS NEXT WEDNESDAY, depending on numbers.

Growth Mind set award
Codden: Laila
Tarka: Poppy
Barum: Julie
Saunton: Elsie
Exmoor: Oscar
Lundy: Alfie



Writer of the week!
Codden: Edward
Tarka: Izzy
Barum: Edward
Saunton: George
Exmoor: Erika
Lundy: Megan R

Science week
Next week is science week; the teachers have planned some exciting activities for the children during the week!

On site After School Child Care, Claire's Nurseries

Mon-Thursday 3.15-5.30pm

£3.50 per hour including a snack

Just call to enquire and book your child's place:

01271 346529

**Please note that you must pay promptly for this child care service. If your child is not attending you must let Claire's know so that they can arrange staffing around the numbers.*

With very best wishes
Melanie Smallwood

After school clubs next week

Mon: Music, football
Tues: Irish Dancing, Construction
Weds: NO Netball
Thurs: Drama, board games, soccer



Munch Time Menu

Price £2.20

MUNCHBOX FILLINGS: Ham*, Cheese, Chicken* or Tuna unless stated (order at registration in class)

ALL MEALS PROVIDED WITH THE PUDDING OPTION AND A DRINK

Week Beginning: Monday 12th March, 2018

DAY	MUNCH MEAL	VEGGIE MUNCH	MUNCHBOX	PUDDING
MON	Oven Baked Salmon & Sweet Potato Fishcake with Wholewheat Pasta, Mixed Vegetables, Side Salad & Ketchup	Homemade Macaroni Cheese and side salad	Roll with choice of filling and choice of fruit & salad items Or Chicken Soup & Roll	Homemade Chocolate Biscuit, Fresh Fruit Basket or Yogurt Milk, Juice or Water
TUES	Homemade Beef* Lasagne, Peas and side salad (layers of pasta sheets, homemade beef bolognaise sauce & béchamel sauce)	Jacket Potato with Baked Beans	Sandwich with choice of filling and choice of fruit & salad Or Vegetable Soup & Roll	Homemade Syrup Sponge & Custard, Fresh Fruit Basket or Yogurt Milk or Water
WEDS	Roast Chicken* with Roasted Potatoes, Carrots, Broccoli, Sage & Onion Stuffing Ball & Gravy	Oven baked Vegetable Fingers with Roasted Potatoes, Carrots, Broccoli or Side Salad	Wrap with choice of filling and choice of fruit & salad	Homemade Plain Shortbread, Fresh Fruit Basket or Yogurt Milk or Water
THURS	Homemade Chicken* Supreme (chicken in a creamy sauce) with mixed vegetables, side salad & a chunk of homemade bread	Oven baked Cheese & Onion Slice with salad	NEW Bacon* Roll or Roll with choice of filling and choice of fruit & salad Or Tomato Soup & Roll	Homemade Iced Apple (from our own orchard) & Sultana Sponge, Fresh Fruit or Yogurt Milk or Water
FRI	Homemade Cheese & Tomato Pizza with Wholewheat Pasta Twists, Peas or Side Salad	Homemade Quorn Stew & Mashed Potato	Wrap with choice of filling and choice of fruit & salad	BT Selection Day Milk or Water

All Items Subject To Availability

***All fresh meats from Philip Dennis Family Butcher at Roundswell in Barnstaple**

Please see kitchen for allergy advice if required