



Bishops Tawton Primary School Newsletter

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Thursday 19th October 2017

Dear Parents/carers,

It is hard to believe that we have reached half term already! The children have had a busy time and have already made leaps and strides in their learning. We are very proud of them and are looking forward to more fun activities next half term!

PTFA

Thank you to those who attended the AGM this week. We are thankful to the committee for all that they did for the children last year and are pleased to have elected a new committee. Chair: Gail Bunning, Vice Chair: Liz Worth, Secretary: Simon Mills and Treasurer: Claire Ridyard

The PTFA work very hard to plan and organise events for the families in our school. They are always in need of an extra pair of hands, a new idea or resource and would love to hear from you if you can help. Please don't hesitate to do your bit to make our school an even better place!

Next meeting: TBC

Pre-School News

We have been learning about Diwali, making coconut sweets and pictures in coloured sand!

After half term we will be learning about Halloween.

See you on 30th October, have a great half term!

New starters open day Thursday 16th November

***Toddler Group Monday 30th October 10-11.30am**



A few reminders:

Parking: There are still parents who choose to park in dangerous places. We really don't want to have a serious accident before everyone takes note and parks safely. PLEASE PARK SAFELY AND POLITELY. Nursery and school buses take priority on School Lane. Stop using the Lane to avoid being blocked in.

Lateness: We have noticed several children arriving late (after 8.45 am) The gates will be closed from 8.45am and you will need to report to the office if you are late.

*Registration is from 8.35 and lessons begin at 8.45am

Lost Property: There are lots of lost items in the hall; please collect and remember to name your things!

Head lice: Head lice is a continuous problem in school. We must all take the responsibility to check and treat our child's hair to avoid new infestation. Please take the opportunity to do this over half term and continue to check and treat over time.

Thank you

Dates

Children's Nearly New sale Saturday 4th November: Roundswell C Centre

Friday 20th October : Non-pupil day: School closed

October 23rd - 27th : Half Term

New starters open afternoon Thursday 16th November @1.30pm

With best wishes
Melanie Smallwood

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.***

After school clubs 3.20-4.20pm

Monday: Music Yr2+, Football Yr4+

Tuesday: Irish Dance (All ages £4) Construction (All ages),

Thursday: Creative, Soccer Skills Rec-Yr3
Paper Craft Yr3+

Please let us know if your child would like to attend and we will add them to the registers

4.20pm prompt pick up