



Bishops Tawton Primary School Newsletter

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Friday 1st December 2017

Dear Parents/carers,

The Christmas Market last night was a great success, a huge thank you to the PTFA members who worked so hard to make it happen and to the staff and parents who helped with this magical evening...poor Santa was exhausted but he loved meeting all the children who were so well behaved!

PTFA Christmas Shopping Event

Next Thursday is shopping day. Your children will join their family group and go to the hall where they can choose presents for £2.50 each, (sibling presents 50p) the elves will help them wrap and label them to put under the tree until Christmas day. If you'd like to come and help wrap then please let us know.

We ask that the children choose no more than two presents for adults to begin with, they can go back to the shop for more if they have brought in more money and there are enough presents available.

Please send the correct money in a named envelope.

Pre-School News

This week we have been reading 'Stick Man' and thinking about how he feels when he gets lost and when he returns home.

This has got us all excited for Christmas. We are transforming preschool into Santa's workshop where the children can build their toys, wrap and post them.

We have been learning some Christmas songs for our Christmas party on Friday 15th at 1:30pm.



Parent Forum

We were surprised to find that no-one came along to the first parent forum meeting on Wednesday. We think it is really important that you have a say on how things work in school for your children, it is also a great opportunity to meet other parents. If you are interested in representing your class please let Mrs Clark (Tarka) know.

Internet safety and School Identity. It has been brought to our attention that some parents have set up group representing the school/class on social media. It is a great idea for you to communicate; however, we have very strict policies about social media and would appreciate it if parents were to check with us first. Our aim is always to keep our children and the reputation of our school safe. Thank you.

Dates

Year 1 and 2 Christmas Play: Tuesday 5th 2pm and Wednesday 6th December 6pm

Christmas Shopping: Thursday 7th December in the afternoon

Christmas lunch: Don't forget to order your meal! And...Christingle Service at Newport Church: Tuesday 12th December 6pm

Growth mindset of the week...

Codden-Ella
Tarka-Ellie & Kirsty
Barum-Will
Saunton-Molly
Exmoor-Oliver
Lundy-Jack



Mathematician of the week...

Codden-Laila
Tarka-Jack B
Barum-Isaac
Saunton-Josh
Exmoor-Alex
Lundy-Daisy B

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+, NO Football

Tuesday: Irish Dance (All ages £4)

Construction (All ages), NO Netball

Wednesday: NO Netball

Thursday: Paper Craft, Board Games,

NO Soccer Skills

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

4.20pm prompt pick up



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 4th December, 2017

| DAY | MUNCH MEAL | VEGGIE MUNCH | MUNCHBOX | PUDDING |
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| MON | Oven baked Coddies with Mashed Potato or Wholewheat Pasta, Sweetcorn, Side Salad & Ketchup | Homemade Vegetable Nuggets, Mash or Pasta Sweetcorn, Side Salad & Ketchup | Roll with choice of filling and choice of salad and fruit Or Chicken Soup and roll | Homemade Ginger Shortie, Fresh Fruit or Yogurt Milk, Juice or Water |
| TUES | Homemade Shepherds Pie (Minced Lamb* with our own vegetable based homemade sauce topped with creamy mashed potato – oh & a sprinkling of cheddar cheese!!) | Jacket Potato & Baked Beans | Sandwich with choice of filling and choice of salad & fruit or Vegetable Soup and roll | Homemade Fruity Flapjack, Fresh Fruit or Yogurt Milk or Water |
| WEDS | Homemade Sweet & Sour Chicken* with Noodles & Prawn Crackers | Homemade Tomato & Basil Pasta Pots with Cheese Sprinkle Salad & Bread | Wrap with choice of filling and choice of salad and fruit | Homemade Chocolate Sponge & Chocolate Sauce, Fresh Fruit or Yogurt Milk or Water |
| THURS | Oven Baked Pork Sausage* with Roast Potatoes, Carrots & Green Beans, Yorkshire Pudding & Gravy | Oven baked Vegetable Fingers in breadcrumbs Roast Potatoes Carrots & Green Beans or Salad | Roll with choice of filling and choice of fruit & salad Tomato Soup and roll | Homemade Iced Sponge Cake Fresh Fruit or Yogurt Milk or Water |
| FRI | Homemade Chicken* Korma Curry (very mild creamy curry), Rice, Peas, Naan Bread & Side Salad | Cheese on Toast | Wrap with choice of filling and choice of salad and fruit | BT Selection Milk & 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**