

Bishops Tawton Primary School Newsletter

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Friday 1st February 2019

Dear Parents/carers,

It's been another eventful week at BTS, with the winter weather keeping us on our toes. Perhaps the children could design a 'cracking contraption' to help us with this as part of their topic?

We are hoping that Mrs Hughes will be able to visit school next week; she will be able to catch up with the children and liaise with the staff who have been covering for her.

Children's Mental Health and internet safety week

As with last year we are focusing on these important topics over the next two weeks. There will be a variety of learning and activities linked to the theme. This year we are inviting you to come along to an open afternoon so that you can see what the children have been doing and help them further with their tasks. The theme is 'Inside and Out' and an information booklet is available on our <u>website</u>. You are welcome to come to school and accompany your child to the hall from 2.30pm on Friday 8th Feb or Monday 11th Feb. For more information please read the letter that will be sent home today.

<u>Internet safety</u> - "Create, Connect and Share Respect: <u>A better internet starts with you".</u>

Next week is also the start of 'internet safety fortnight'. It is our responsibility to keep our children, ourselves, and our community safe online. Technology moves at a rapid pace and our children all want to keep up with it, this means that they can access inappropriate content and potentially people, very easily. Something that seems quite innocent can, in fact, be incredibly dangerous.

Do you always know what your child is watching on youtube? Is your child playing an 12/16/18 rated game? Does your child actually know the person they are messaging? Has your child shared personal information about themselves online?

For vital information for parents about <u>online safety</u>, please click the hyperlinks or visit our <u>website</u> for further links and information.

Pre-School news

This week we have been learning about Chinese New Year. We have started making Chinese lanterns to decorate next week.

Please note that all school meals must now be ordered online by midnight the day before.

Our charges are £4 per hour from January 2019



Toddler Group: Based at St John the Baptist Church every Monday from 10 am til 11.30 am

PTFA (Parent, Teacher and Friends Association) BIG SHEEP NIGHT

We have sole use of the EWETOPIA from 6-9pm, food available to buy from Big Sheep and a raffle in aid of the PTFA (donations please.)

Advanced Tickets for families £12 (2 adults, up to 4 children from the same family)

or individuals £4 by Wednesday 13th February.

Tickets on the night will be £15 (family) and £5 (individual.)

All children must be supervised by an adult.

Please send all money in a sealed envelope to the office post box, with the name of child/family and required tickets written on the envelope.

To get involved please provide your email address via families@bishopstawton-primary.org

DATES

 $\overline{\text{Children's}}$ mental health and internet safety weeks 4^{th} - 15^{th} February

Open afternoons: Friday 8^{th} February and Monday 11^{th} February

Parent Forum meeting 11th February 2pm BIG SHEEP night Friday: 15th February Half Term: 18th – 22nd February London trip Y5: 28-29th March

Outdoor Adventure Residential Y6: 1st-5th April

End of term: Friday 5th April

On site After School Child Care - 'CABIN CLUB'

Mon-Friday 3.15-5.30pm-strictly

£4.00 per hour including a snack

Please call to enquire and book your child's place for each week 01271 343002 families@bishopstawton-primary.org

Pre-booked places only due to staff ratio

You will be issued a fine if your child is collected any later than 5.30pm
If you need early morning care (from 7.45am) please contact Helen
Robinson: 07789488080 or email helenrobinson@rocketmail.com

Weekly <u>home-learning</u> can be found on the website, there will also be paper copies until half term.

School meals to order online

With very best wishes Melanie Smallwood

After school clubs next week

Monday: Drama Yr3+

Tuesday: NO Board Games, Irish Dance Thursday: NO Construction, Golf



Munch Time Menu Price £2.20

MUNCHBOX FILLINGS: Bacon* (Friday Only) Ham*, Cheese, Chicken* or Tuna unless stated (order using the online catering system)

ALL MEALS PROVIDED WITH THE PUDDING OPTION AND A DRINK Week Beginning: Monday 4th February

DAY	MUNCH MEAL	VEGGIE MUNCH	MUNCHBOX	PUDDING
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!!) and Peas	Homemade Cheese & Tomato Pizza with Wholewheat Pasta & Peas	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	Cheese on Toast	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	Jacket Potato and Baked Beans	Wrap with choice of filling and choice of salad and fruit Or Tomato Soup and roll	Homemade Iced Sponge Cake Fresh Fruit or Yogurt Milk or Water
FRI	Homemade Chicken & Bacon Pasta Bake with homemade vegetable sauce and cheese topping	Homemade Tomato & Basil Pasta Pots with Cheese Sprinkle & Salad	Bacon* Roll or Roll with choice of filling and choice of fruit & salad	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