

Bishops Tawton Primary School Newsletter

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Friday 20th January 2017

Dear Parents/carers,

We are very proud of our children this week who have represented the school at hockey and tennis events and on a trip. It is always great to hear from others that our school were the best behaved and have the best team spirit! Very well done Yr4, 5 and 6!

Tarka and Barum classes had an amazing time at Exmoor Zoo this week. These experiences really bring their learning to life and help our children to achieve amazing things as a result of their first hand experiences. Again, behaviour was impeccable...well done!

School Uniform/PE kits

Following discussions with staff and Governors we would like to remind you of our uniform code and ask that you ensure your child has the correct uniform in school:

For PE and sports events: plain black (or dark navy) shorts or long trousers for the winter, School logo hoodies or sweatshirts only (not fashion hoodies.)

(Your child can wear their funky sports kit for after school clubs if they wish.)

Correct black school shoes (for protection and comfort) trainers can be changed into for play times.

No fashion accessories such as stick on earrings, nail polish, hair extensions or tram lines, no oversized hair accessories such as 'Jo Jo' Bows.

No toys to be brought into school. Pencil cases etc.. at the class teachers discretion.

All of this will help you to look after your expensive gear while maintaining equality, it will also mean that it will be more special on our, regular, non-uniform days when you can show off your fashionable kit!

Dance School

Barnstaple Dance Academy run classes in our school hall every Saturday morning. If your child is interested in learning Ballet, modern or tap please call: Sarah Anne Westcott School of dance on 01237 471954 for further information.

Irish Dancing classes are also available on a Tuesday evening Call Nicki on 07402 912164 for more information.

Interested in learning an instrument? Rebecca: 01271 329050/07828601778 (violin/keyboard/piano)

Gary: 07977486529 (quitar) Simon: 07974849303 (saxophone/flute/clarinet)

PTFA Meeting next Wednesday 25th January 2.30pm

Dates:

Tuesday 7th February: Parent and pupil meeting for Y6 2017 residential at 3pm

Friday 10th February: Big Sheep Night!

February 13th-17th: Half Term

Writer of the week... Codden-George Tarka-Julie Barum-Kieran Exmoor-Flynn Saunton-Ellie Lundy-Casey



Growth Mindset Award...
Codden-Freya L
Tarka-Olivia
Barum-Charlie S
Exmoor-Isla
Saunton-Megan
Lundy-Luke

With very 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.

After school clubs next week

Mon: Gaming club

Tues: Irish Dancing, Construction, creative (until

4.20pm)

Wednesday: Netball

Thurs: Soccer skills (4.20pm)

Please collect promptly from after school clubs