

Bishops Tawton Primary School Newsletter

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Friday 22nd June 2018

Dear Parents/carers,

This week we welcome Sierra to Tarka class, we hope she enjoys her time with us.

Sports Day: Next Tuesday afternoon you are invited to our annual sports day from 1.30pm. The children will have completed many activities prior to the afternoon in their family groups. Please make sure your child has suitable footwear as the field is still bumpy in areas. Also correct PE kit, a hat, sun cream and a drink bottle will be required.

There will be afternoon teas available for you to buy served by the PTFA.

Parking

We have had a neighbour complaining that many parents are choosing to turn in his drive (Mount Pleasant by the school gate) Also that some are not using the one way system that we suggest to reduce congestion. *Please enter Mount Pleasant from the entrance nearer Barnstaple and leave down through School Lane. PLEASE be courteous to residents at all times and park in a safe place. You can always park further away and walk your children safely to school. Thank you

Online payments: Please see the attached letter regarding our trial period for this. We hope it will be a useful service for all of us.

Attendance

Our overall school attendance is 94.8%, this is well below national average. Please note our attendance <u>policy</u> points below: Holidays may only be agreed in the following circumstances:

- There are exceptional circumstances as to why the holiday cannot be taken during term time and
- The child's attendance rate is over 96% in the current year (except where a child has had a significant period of illness with medical involvement)
- Permission is sought in advance.
- The dates do not fall during SATS week in KS2 or the first three weeks of any term
- *Parental time off work is not considered an exceptional reason

We will have to issue fines in order to improve our overall attendance percentage. Please take the time to consider this if you are planning future trips.

PTFA

Please may we have donations of any unwanted cuddly toys for the Summer Fayre.

Also, we are collecting summer family fun items for the raffle. E.g bat & ball, Bucket & spade, colouring activities etc.

Any donations can be left outside Barum class.

At sports day on Tuesday the PTFA will be selling refreshments including cream teas.

Pre-school news

Next Tuesday is sports day. We will be walking to the school and joining in with the races. Everyone is welcome to come and join us, even if it is not their child's day at preschool, but they will remain the parent's responsibility.

Children will need to be collected from the school at 3:15pm.

Please make sure your child has a sun hat, sun cream and drink as the weather forecast is hot!

School Uniform new purchase process

Samuel Daw's have changed their systems for stocking uniform. From now on you can try on our uniform sizes in school, then order and pay online via: <u>Bishops Tawton Primary uniform</u> and <u>Pre-school uniform</u> (we can help with this if it is a problem for you) and the items will be delivered to school for you during term time, please allow 14 days for delivery. If you place an order before July 15th and use the code BISHOP18 then you will receive 10% off.

DATES

Sports Day: Next Tuesday from 1.30pm

Non-Uniform day: Thursday 28th June (Bring a bottle)

Transition Day: Next Friday 29th June: Children register in their current class,

Year 6 children go straight to Park/Pilton School.

Summer Fayre: Friday 6th July: 5-7.30pm

Year 6 Leavers Celebration: Thursday 19th July 2.30pm

Last day of term: Friday 20th July

Growth Mind set award Codden: Josh Tarka: Sierra Barum: Max

Saunton: Milly Exmoor: Ethan Lundy: Laura



Reader of the week!
Codden: Laila
Tarka: Evie
Barum: Henry
Saunton: Elsie
Exmoor: Daniel
Lundy: Jackson

With very best wishes Melanie Smallwood

On site After School Child Care - 'CABIN CLUB'

Mon-Friday 3.15-5.30pm-strictly

£3.60 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

Please note 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

After school clubs next week

Mon: Music

Tues: Irish Dancing Weds: Netball Thurs: Drama, Soccer



Munch Time Menu Price £2.20

MUNCHBOX FILLINGS: Bacon (Thursday Only)*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 25th June, 2018

DAY	MUNCH MEAL	VEGGIE MUNCH	MUNCHBOX	PUDDING
MON	Oven baked Coddies with Mashed Potato or Wholewheat Pasta, Sweetcorn, Side Salad & Ketchup	Jacket Potato & Beans	Roll with choice of filling and choice of salad and fruit Or Chicken Soup and roll	Homemade Chocolate Coated Bun, Fresh Fruit or Yogurt Milk, Juice or Water
TUES	"Dennis Family Butcher" Pork Chipolata Sausages* with Herby Cubes & Baked Beans or Salad	Quorn Sausage with herby cubes & baked beans or salad	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 Chicken* Fajitas with Salad and Tomato Salsa	Homemade Macaroni Cheese	Wrap with choice of filling and choice of salad and fruit	Jam Tart & Cream, Fresh Fruit or Yogurt Milk or Water
THURS	Turkey Meatballs with Homemade Tomato based sauce, spaghetti, peas & Salad	Homemade Vegetable Stir-Fry	Roll with choice of filling and choice of fruit & salad or Tomato Soup and roll	Ice Cream Tub, Fresh Fruit or Yogurt Milk or Water
FRI	Homemade Chicken* Korma Curry (very mild creamy curry), Rice, Peas, Naan Bread & Side Salad	Jacket Potato & Cheese	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