

# BYLEY PRIMARY SCHOOL & NURSERY

## NEWSLETTER

Friday 7<sup>th</sup> May 2021



### A message from Miss Whittingham:

It has been exciting to watch the progress of the MUGA this week. Hopefully, it will be ready for use next week. I know the children have enjoyed watching it develop and are excited for it to be finished so they can play on it.

This week, I have enjoyed sitting with different tables of children at lunchtime to talk with them; we have chatted about their learning, favourite fruits and foods and what they like best about coming to school. There has also been a little bit of joke telling!

An email has been sent out today regarding Parents' Meetings. Please check your emails as there is a link and instructions about booking appointments. The Year 5/6 After School Circuits Club went well on Thursday evening - despite the rain! There are still a couple of places left if any more Year 5/6 children would like to join.

Year 1 and 2 are bringing spelling homework home today.

### Just a couple of reminders:

- please do encourage your child to read at home. Just 15 - 20 minutes 3-5 times a week makes such a difference to their word recognition, fluency, understanding and confidence
- if looks like rain, please ensure your child has a coat in school as we do still go outside to play if it isn't raining too heavily
- please continue to drive carefully when passing school and adhere to the 30mph speed limit
- please check your children's hair regularly (at least weekly) for head lice and treat if necessary. [Click here](#) for advice on the best ways to treat any infestation.

Thank you for your continuing support,  
Elizabeth Whittingham (Headteacher)

### Our Weekly Attendance Figures

**Whole School - 97.2%**

Reception - 100%

Years 1/2 - 91.4%

Years 3/4 - 99%

Years 5/6 - 98.3%

Well done to Reception Class for 100% attendance for the 2<sup>nd</sup> consecutive week!

### Letters/emails sent out recently:

Parents' Meeting information and booking details

### School Dinners

Please remember dinner money is now paid via **PARENTPAY**

**3-week menus on website.**

Next Week's Lunch Menu:

### Week 2

Cost for the 6 weeks the children are in school - Summer 1

Daily £2.30

Weekly: £11.50

Half term £66.70 (29 days)

Weds/Fri £27.60 (12 days)

### Byley Busy Buddies

This week we have taken part in various indoor activities.

Next week we are hoping for better weather so we can enjoy the outdoors in our 'Sports themed week'!

**PLEASE REMEMBER TO BOOK & PAY IN ADVANCE**

Please use the Busy Buddies phone number to book **07879 967701**

*(Our club closes as 6pm. Late collection will result in additional charges.)*

### PTA

Our PTA are organising another Bag 2 school collection. It will be the morning of Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> May. Families are asked to fill their own bin liner / carrier bags and bring into school on that morning.

Details of what is / isn't allowed are on the website [www.bag2school.com](http://www.bag2school.com)

They will be also organising an Online Big summer raffle by 'Parentkind' (like we did last Christmas). More details to follow on that.

Byley PTA Virtual Shopping Event Or click the link in the parents Facebook page. Thank you!

Our contact details are: [byleyprimarypta@gmail.com](mailto:byleyprimarypta@gmail.com)

### Important Diary Dates:

Mon 17<sup>th</sup> May Parents' meetings - all classes: 3:45 - 6:45pm

Wed 19<sup>th</sup> May Parents' meetings - Years 5/6 & Years 3&4: 3:45 - 6:45pm

Thur 20<sup>th</sup> May Parents' meetings - Years 1&2: 12:25 - 2:55pm & EYFS: 3:45 - 6:45pm

Thur 27<sup>th</sup> May Bags2 School Collection - drop off 9am on the day at the front of school

Fri 28<sup>th</sup> May School closes for half term holiday



## Byley Primary School

Please help raise funds for our school by checking out through the easy fundraising website. It's easy to do and costs nothing. Go to the link:

[www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/byleypta/](http://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/byleypta/)

Click on support cause and then create an account. This means you can then visit thousands of websites through the easyfundraising site and the retailers will make a small donation to the PTA.

You can also set up reminders on your toolbar so that when you visit one of the named sites it will ask you if you want to donate - this will not cost you ANYTHING and saves you visiting easyfundraising to see your chosen shopping site is listed.

Any funds the PTA make go straight back into making our school an even better learning environment for our children, so any help is greatly appreciated.

If you need any more information, please contact:

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Disability