

BYLEY PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Friday 13th October 2017



Head teacher's message:

It was wonderful, once again, to see your generosity at work as we collected and celebrated Harvest in school on Thursday. The many items of food were quickly dispatched to and gratefully received by the local Foodbank, where they will help those less fortunate than us. On behalf of the Foodbank, thank you!

Parent Consultations were also well attended earlier this week; we appreciate your support in achieving the best outcomes for all our children.

Around school children have been grappling with methods of addition and subtraction, consolidating number bonds and finding out about Harvest. And in Early Years, there was the story of 'Supertato' and some dastardly peas! (You'll have to ask them if you don't already know).

As the autumnal weather gets cooler, I would remind you that children will, on fine days, continue to have PE lessons outside. They will therefore need jogging bottoms and trainers as well as their usual indoor kits of shorts t-shirts and pumps. Please make sure that PE kits remain in school throughout the term as so much lesson time is currently being lost searching for spare kits.

A final reminder please that over-sized bows are not school uniform and should not be worn/brought into school.

I have previously shared items of interest from Cheshire police, for example regarding internet safety. This week I have been advised of some really useful information. Please follow the link – **At What Age Can I ?** <http://parentinfo.org/article/at-what-age-can>

Please remember the final instalment (£25) for Year 3&4's residential visit is due by next Friday (20th Oct.)

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Our Weekly Attendance Figures

Whole School – 97.1%

Reception – 92.7%

Years 1/2 – 97.8%

Years 3/4 – 98%

Years 5/6 – 100%

Well done to Years 5&6 for 100% attendance this week!

Letters sent out this week:
Gymnastics after school

Next Lunch Menu: **Week 3**

Can we please remind parents, dinner money is due **Every Monday** (unless paying termly)
New 3-week menus on website.

Thursday Sports club this Autumn
Term is: **Football-K\$2**

PTA news:

Please remember our Cake Sale next Friday (20th) in the hall after school. We would like to hear of any prizes you might be able to source for our Christmas Fayre raffle. Also any items to make up gift hampers!

Contact details are:
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MASQUERADE:

We hope this will now be back at school in the New Year 2018!

Byley Busy Buddies

Next week we will be looking at books, stories & poems. We will be creating some life size pictures of characters and making our own books complete with front covers & pictures. We will also be creating fantastic cakes and doing a cooking activity. As always we will try and get out to play (weather permitting) as the Byley Busy Buddies have been creating their own outdoor games.

Important Diary Dates:

Mon 16 th Oct	Mad Science Workshop 2/8 (3:15pm -4:15pm)
Wed 18 th Oct	Years 5 & 6 Residential to Standon Bowers – leave 9am
Thrus 19 th Oct	Football after school Yrs 3-6 – 3:15pm-4:15pm (6/6)
Fri 20 th Oct	Years 5&6 return from residential at 3pm. PTA Cake Sale – 3:30pm in the School Hall Break for half term
Mon 30 th Oct	School Re-opens 8:45am
Weds 1 st Nov	Individual Photos – younger siblings welcome at 8:30am PTA Film Night - school hall 3:30pm
Thurs 2 Nov	Gymnastics after school Years 1-4 - 3:15pm – 4:15pm (1/7)
Wed 8 th Nov	Year 5&6 Class Assembly – 9:15am in hall – parents welcome School Nurse – Flu Vaccine for children in Reception & Years 1-4