

BYLEY PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



Friday 24th November 2017

Head teacher's message:

This letter is arriving a little late due to our delayed arrival back at school on Friday.

Years 3 and 4 enjoyed their first school residential visit and learned many new skills; including fire lighting, shelter building and bed making!

They were still positive and in good spirits despite road closures. Thanks to those parents who supported them in attending this visit and for collecting when we finally arrived.

Back at school, this week year 5 and 6 have been learning and using the 24 hr clock and reading timetables. They've also written some super descriptions about a cave and in RE learnt about many of the Hindu Gods and Goddesses.

Years 1 and 2 have been on an adventure with "The Pirates Next Door". They have been acting out parts of the story and have been researching how to be persuasive to try and get more people to the island of Dull-On-Sea. In art they have made a treasure map with clues to the buried treasure and have aged them by tea staining them brown. In maths there has been lots of 2D and 3D shape discussions going on.

Nursery and Reception have been busy with their birthday themed counting activities this week. They particularly enjoyed making play dough birthday cakes and counting out sets of candles for them.

Our Busy Buddies club continues to go from strength to strength and I must remind you that although we try to accommodate families when things crop up last minute, there remains the need to book in advance to secure a place.

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Our Weekly Attendance Figures

Whole School – 96.9%
Reception – 96.4%
Years 1/2 – 98.6 %
Years 3/4 – 93.5%
Years 5/6 – 98.8%

Letters sent out this week:

N/A

Next Lunch Menu: **Week 3**

Dinner Money next half term:

Weekly: £11.25

Half term £87.75 (39 days)

Weds/Fri £33.75 (15 days)

Please remember dinner money is due **Every Monday** (unless paying termly)

New 3-week menus on website.

Thursday Sports club this Autumn

Term is: **Gymnastics - Years 3 & 4**

PTA news:

Bags 2 school collection day Tuesday 28th November.

Contact details are:

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MASQUERADE:

Due to be back at school in the January 2018!

Byley Busy Buddies

After consulting with the children this week we have decided to start doing some Christmas crafts next week, including starting to make cards and our own wrapping paper. We are still doing our reading club a Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

Please could we remind parents to book as early as possible as some after school sessions are becoming fully booked.

PS. There will no **NO** After-School session on the last Thursday of term (21st Dec), as school is closing at 1:15pm.

Important Diary Dates:

Mon 27th Nov Mad Science Workshop 7/8 (3:15pm - 4:15pm)

Tues 28th Nov 'Bags to School' collection. – please drop bags off at front of school at 9am

Thurs 30th Nov Football League 3 – Years 5&6 @ MHS (3:45pm – 4:45pm)

Gymnastics after school with Sports Coaching Years 3&4 - 3:15pm – 4:15pm (1/3)

Fri 8th Dec Christmas Performance in Village hall at 6:15pm

Thur 14th Dec Panto 'Aladdin' – Northwich Memorial Hall – morning performance

Fri 15th Dec 'Christmas Jumper' Day (wear a christmas jumper in exchange for chocolate for Fayre

PTA Christmas Fayre – School Hall – starting at 3:30pm

Wed 20th Dec Christmas Dinner & class parties - non uniform day

Thur 21 Dec break for Christmas @ 1:15pm

Tues 9th Jan 18 School re-opens to pupils at 8:45am

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