

# Byley Primary School and Nursery - Newsletter

Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> May 2024



**A message from Miss Whittingham:** it has been another busy week in school. I have enjoyed seeing work the children have brought to show me. Seeing the pride the children take in their achievements is a delight.

**Lunchtime Stars:** I have enjoyed lunch today with Ivy, Bobby, and Ollie. I am looking forward to having lunch next week with children from Y1/2, Year 5/6 and EYFS. Well done to all those children who have completed their charts.

**Football:** well done to the Y5/6 children who represented Byley at the Middlewich Schools' Partnership football tournament on Tuesday. All the children who went were a credit to Byley. They showed resilience, perseverance, good sportsmanship and fabulous skills. It was a pleasure to take them. The team members were: Ryan, Zeke, Ted, Agnes, Lincoln, Cameron D, Calum, Darcy, Jess. Thank you all those parents who came to support us. Nellie also enjoyed the event!

**Middlewich Rose Fete:** please see the flyer sent home today for more details. School are holding a 'bottle tombola' at the fete. Please could you send in any bottle donations to school by May 9<sup>th</sup>.

**Reading:** please continue to support your child with their reading at home. When you hear them read, please date and initial their reading diaries as this informs the teachers that your child has read at home. Please don't feel you have to comment, I know that time can be short so just the date and your initials is enough.

**Reminder:** please could I ask that when waiting on the playground, younger siblings stay with the person picking up rather than running onto the field/around the playground and staff car park. This is to prevent any bumps/accidents.

**Parking:** please can I ask that you are mindful when parking outside school at drop off/pick up. As always, we do encourage you to park at the Village Hall and walk to school.

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

## Our Weekly Attendance Figures

**Whole School - 92.8%**

Reception -	78.9%
Years 1/2 -	98.3%
Years 3/4 -	95.5%
Years 5/6 -	98.3%

## School Dinners

Please remember dinner money is now **£2.55** and paid via **PARENTPAY**

**The NEW 3-week menus are on the school website.**

Next Week's Lunch Menu: **Week 1**

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

Daily	£2.55
Weekly:	£12.75
Half term	£73.95

## Important Diary Dates:

Mon 6 <sup>th</sup> May	School Closed - Bank holiday
W/C 13 <sup>th</sup> May	Year 6 SATS
Thurs 23 <sup>rd</sup> May	Sports Day (more info to follow)
Fri 24 <sup>th</sup> May	Break for half term
Mon 3 <sup>rd</sup> June	Children return back to school
Mon 10 <sup>th</sup> June	Learn with Me - Science Yr3/4 - 9am start
Mon 17 <sup>th</sup> June	Learn with Me - Science Yr1/2 - 9am start
20 <sup>th</sup> /21 <sup>st</sup> June	HCCS Transitions Days (Yr6) / Moving Up days/ Reception Taster Days
Thurs 27 <sup>th</sup> June	Learn with Me - Science EYFS - 9am start
Thurs 4 <sup>th</sup> July	Learn with Me - Science Yr5/6 - 9am start
Mon 8 <sup>th</sup> July	Open afternoon (from 2:30) come and look at your children's work
Tues 9 <sup>th</sup> July	KS2 End of Year Show (afternoon performance)
Weds 10 <sup>th</sup> July	KS2 End of Year Show (evening performance)

## Byley Busy Buddies

The new booking and payment system (ParentPay) is now up and running. Any issues accessing it please contact the school office.

Prices from April 1st: Breakfast Club £5/£3.50 (sibling) per session  
After School Club £8.50/£7.00 (sibling) per session.

**Please note:** After School Club sessions will be Monday - Thursday following the Easter break. No Friday sessions.

## PTA

The PTA needs your support to be able to continue with events and raise money to support the school. It is also a great way to get involved in school life and get to know other parents.

Please help raise funds for our school by checking out through the easy fundraising website. It's easy to do and costs no

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means you can t 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: Catherine Peake-Wildman [wildmanc19@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:wildmanc19@yahoo.co.uk)

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