Byley Primary School and Nursery - Newsletter

Friday 5th July 2024



A message from Miss Whittingham: it seems that my lack of optimism for good weather for Sports Day was correct! We intend to do a Sports Day with the children one afternoon when the weather is better - this will not be for spectators. The Key Stage 2 children have been very busy preparing for their show - The Wizard of Oz - next week. The children and staff have worked incredibly hard to get everything ready and are looking forward to showing you all their hard work. Tickets have gone out. Please make sure you bring them with you to the performance.

Charity fundraising: Amber Williams, in Year 1, recently took on the challenge of 100 skips per day in July to raise funds for Cancer Research. The fundraising went very well; Amber and her family wanted to pass on their thanks for the support received. A whopping £645 was raised. Very well done to Amber for this. If you wish to donate the link is: https://fundraise.cancerresearchuk.org/page/lauras-giving-page-274284

Open Afternoon: Monday 8th July between 2:30 & 5:30. This is an opportunity for parents to come in to school to look at their children's books with them and to meet their child's teacher for September. No appointments are needed

Guitar Performances: well done to all those children who performed today at the Guitar Group Concert. You played so well - well done!

Uniform: pre-loved uniform will be out in the hall on Monday during the Open Afternoon if you would like to pick up any items in readiness for September.

Holmes Chapel Summer Celebration: this is taking place over this weekend. Some of the children's artwork that was up at the FAB Festival will be on display on Sunday at the Fair. For more details about the weekend's events go to: https://www.holmeschapelparishcouncil.gov.uk/summercelebration

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

Our Weekly Attendance Figures

Whole School - 94.2%

Reception - 100% Years 1/2 - 100% Years 3/4 - 79.6% Years 5/6 - 97.1%

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 7 weeks the children are in school - Summer 2

Daily £2.55
Weekly: £12.75
Half term £89.25

Important Diary Dates:

Mon 8th July Open afternoon (from 2:30) come and look at your children's work

Tues 9th July KS2 End of Year Show (afternoon performance)

Weds 10th July MHS taster day for Year 5 ONLY

KS2 End of Year Show (evening performance)

Tues 16th July

Year 5/6 Puberty Workshop -1:15pm in school

Weds 17th July

Year 5/6 Brass Performance - starts 2:30pm in hall

Thurs 18th July Year 6 Leavers' Assembly (Year 6 parents) @ 6:30 (more info to follow)

Fri 19th July School break for the summer.

Byley Busy Buddies

The telephone number for Club is 07508 949986

Prices from September 1st: Breakfast Club: £5-00/£3-50 for siblings

After School Club: £9:50/£8-00 for siblings

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 nothing. Go to the link:

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: Catherine Peake-Wildman wildmanc19@yahoo.co.uk

