

Bishop Perrin C.E Primary School

Newsletter

Friday 13th October 2023

Dear parents and carers,

It was lovely to see so many of you at our parent consultation evenings this week – thank you for coming along. Positive relationships between school and home play an integral part of a successful school experience for children, so it was good to observe a vibrant and upbeat atmosphere across both consultations. Our next round of parent consultations will be early in the spring term, however should you need to speak with your child's teacher before then, you can always ask to speak to them after school or arrange to make an appointment.

We were treated to a wonderful Harvest Festival celebration yesterday. Thank you to Fr John who led the service and to Mrs Place for her wonderful work preparing the children and the choir with their uplifting singing. The harvest tables were groaning under the weight of so many donations of food and other goods. The volunteers from Whitton Food Bank were incredibly grateful and many local families will benefit from your generosity. Thank you.

Year 6 enjoyed a trip to 'School on the River' yesterday. They spent a day on a boat on the River Thames in Kingston learning all about the river; testing water quality; finding out about river pollution and how to look after our rivers. Thank you to Miss Sweeney, Mr King, Mrs Lambrias and Ms Lytle who accompanied the children on their visit. They reported back that the children were engaged and very well behaved throughout the visit.

Thank you to the School Association and everyone who volunteered at the infants' movie night last week. A lot of hard work goes on behind the scenes in order for these events to happen, which we are very grateful for. The children had a great time!

Next week is Wellbeing Week, and the theme is mindfulness. There are a variety of activities planned for the children to help them to consider ways in which they can look after their mental, physical and emotional health. Thank you to Mrs Rogerson who has put a lot of hard work into preparing for next week.

Have a relaxing weekend, Miss Macklearn

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Celebration Worship

For hard work, great improvement or good behaviour

CLASS	
Friendship	Nia
Endurance	Freddie
Peace	Evelyn
Forgiveness	Theo T
Reverence	Ronan
Service	Sophia
Justice	Jess

Attendance

The previous week's attendance;

CLASS	%
Friendship	97.99
Endurance	97.00
Peace	98.67
Forgiveness	93.62
Reverence	99.63
Service	98.33
Justice	96.67

Parent Survey - Mufti Day

Thank you to everyone who completed our parent survey at the end of the summer term. We will be sending out a summary of how we are responding to the points raised in the summary with next week's newsletter. In acknowledgement of the high number of responses received, next Wednesday will be mufti day for all the children.

Christmas cards

Thank you for returning your child's Christmas card paperwork to school. We have sent off the returned designs to the company for processing. If you haven't returned your child's design paperwork (after placing an online order) you will need to send it ASAP to the following address, without the physical paperwork design your order can't be processed.

Missed School Collection Dept Cauliflower Group Ltd Unit 7a Woolmer Way Bordon GU35 9QE

School trips payments/permissions



Year 6

16th October Canoeing and Kayaking at the Lensbury, Packed lunch and snack required. Children to wear comfortable MUFTI clothing to school (sports clothing/leggings) they must also bring a towel, their PE kit and spare trainers/shoes/crocs to wear that can get wet. Please also provide suitable waterproofs/warm coat if weather looks to be cold/wet. Children will be provided with a life jacket at the venue and a safety boat accompanies the children on the water.

Monday 24th June to Friday 28th June 2024 Bowles Activity Centre. Please complete and return the reply slip and action your non-refundable £100 deposit by Friday 13th October 2023 to secure your child's place.

Year 4

Roman Museum on Friday 20th October. Children need to be at school at the earlier time of 08:15am for the coach to depart at 08:30am. Packed lunch required.

Year 3

14th November – Stonehenge. Children need to be at School for 8am ready for the coach to depart at 08:15am. Please complete the permission and payment within your child's SCOPAY account by 14th October. Packed lunch required, either provide one from home or pre-book a school provided trip lunch here.

Year 2

22nd **November – Great Fire of London Tour.** Please complete the permission and payment within your child's SCOPAY account by 10th November. Packed lunch required, either provide one from home or pre-book a school provided trip lunch here.

Whole School

5th December - Pantomime, more details to follow.

Autumn/Winter School Meal Menu

The new Autumn – Winter school meal menu is available on the school <u>website</u>. All school meals are currently free to all primary aged children in London.

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PE Kit

We are proud of how smart the children look in their school uniform, and this is often commented on by visitors to the school and when the children are out and about on school visits. Please help us to maintain these high standards by adhering to our school uniform policy when it comes to PE kit too. We have noticed a range of variations of our school PE kit appearing in school over the past few weeks, particularly shorts and leggings that are of an unsuitable design for school PE kit. A reminder that trainers are only permitted on PE days / PE lessons. School shoes are to be worn at other times. Thank you for your cooperation.

Learn to Swim this Half Term Holiday

Children can learn to swim this half term with our wide range of crash courses and workshops available at Teddington Pools & Fitness Centre and Pools on the Park. Bookings can be made by calling us on 020 37722999 or at the in person at the centre reception.

Please see our website for more information.

World Mental Health Day

It was World Mental Health Day on Tuesday 10th October. Please see here: for information about some of the issues that children and young people may be facing and how you can support your child's mental health.

If you would like to support your child's wellbeing through the use of picture books, here are some recommendations from The Book Trust: where you can also search for books around different subjects for different ages and find information about how books can support children to talk about their emotions. We have many of these books at school for children to borrow and your local library will reserve a copy if they do not have one in stock.



Parent Workshops with Act-attain

Parent support and understanding is a key contributor to children's development. brings families together to learn how community sport & school-based inclusion strategies, designed with therapists, help develop confident, resilient young adults.

"Parent Detectives" is Act-attain's series of six workshops exploring family/professional roles, with information from occupational and speech and language therapists, an educational psychologist, a parent panel with experience of primary to secondary transition, and an educational solicitor. We explain how hidden neuro-diverse needs impact on children and their families and explore practical, simple inclusion strategies that become skills learnt for life.

- £16 guide price contribution to Action-attainment CIC's work
- Free places and concessions are available on request, tom@action-attainment.com
- Contact Tom for links to recordings of previous workshops.

Booking links for all the workshops are below. Recordings available.

Eventbrite link Introducing Neurodiversity Workshop 1:

<u>Eventbrite link Seeing STaRS, Occupational Therapy Workshop 2:</u>

Eventbrite link Revealing Communication, Speech, Language and Communication Workshop 3:

Eventbrite link What is it with this child? Educational Assessments, Workshop 4:

Eventbrite link Meet the Parents, Workshop 5

Eventbrite link Educational Law, Workshop 6:

If you have any questions please see Miss McAvoy

If you have any concerns regarding the safeguarding of children who attend Bishop Perrin CE Primary School, these should be reported to the Designated Safeguarding Lead who is Mr Corke. In his absence, concerns should be reported to the Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead who is Miss Macklearn. The School's Safeguarding Governor is Lucy James





We will be taking individual images on Thursday 19th October





























VIEW & PURCHASE ONLINE: A few weeks after your shoot you will receive a contact sheet via your school with your login details on (not all of your images are on your contact sheet).

Please login to view/purchase your images.

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Childrens & Young Peoples Flu Vaccinations in Kingston & Richmond 2023- Catch up clinics.

For children and young people that attend school in the Kingston and Richmond borough.

We are inviting children in Reception to Year 11 and include children who live in our borough and do not attend school.

Tuesday 24th October 13.15 to 16.15

Centre House, Sheen SW14 8LP (Walk in, no appointment needed)

Wednesday 25th October

Chessington Community Centre KT9 1JE (Appointment only please contact the team to book)

Thursday 26th October 13.00 to 16.00

Teddington Health and Social Care Centre TW11 0LR (Walk in, no appointment needed)

Please contact the team on: <u>HRCH.ImmunisationTeamKingstonMailbox@nhs.net</u>
Tel: 0203 691 1043

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Tel: 0203 691 1019

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3-day Football Special

- For boys and girls aged 5 12
- · Sessions involve skills, competitions and small sided games
- Led by coaches with 25+ years experience

When:

Wednesday 25th October 10am - 2pm Thursday 26th October 10am - 2pm Friday 27th October 10am - 2pm

Where:

St Edmund's Catholic School, Nelson Road, Whitton TW2 7BB

Price:

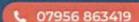
£50 for 3 days or £20 per day

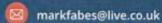
How to book/pay:

To secure your place email Mark Fabian (markfabes@live.co.uk) confirming the name and age of the child, plus the parents contact details.

Mark will then send you the account details to pay for the course.

Any further enquiries contact Mark:





Important infomation:

Please wear appropriate sports kit with either football boots or trainers & warm or waterproof clothing for cold or wet weather. Please also bring a packed lunch and refreshements.