

Bishop Perrin C.E Primary School

Newsletter

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.

Our School Value this week is: Forgiveness

"Forgiveness is the remission of sins. For it is by this that what has been lost, and was found, is saved from being lost again.– Saint Augustine

Dear Parents,

With an arctic blast, it has been a cold end to the week, but it has, yet again, been a busy one!

School Life

The children have been undertaking their end of term assessments this week across the classes, and it will be an opportunity for the teachers to measure how much progress has been made by the children since the last round of assessments in December. Along with the assessments, we have also had a very colourful and creative Year 3 Egyptian Day (yesterday) and it was a pleasure to see the children working together in class to make some model shadufs. The children looked amazing in their costumes and we had some very convincing Cleopatras and Pharaohs! Year 6 have continued learning about developing their personal finance skills and knowledge during their money PSHE lesson this week and a special mention must be made about the endurance shown by Year 5 and their trip to the Science Museum on Thursday. Due to unforeseen transport issues with the tube train in the morning, it became a bit of an adventure making their way to the Science Museum from Gunnersbury Station but they prevailed and the children were really well behaved throughout. Well done Year 5 and well done Mrs Crinall, Mrs Horton, Mrs Lambrias and Miss Cunningham!

The Girls' and Boys' Football Teams played their final league matches against St Edmund's on Wednesday this week. Despite creating some good scoring opportunities and hitting the post, the boys lost their match 6-2, but could well have won had their chances been taken. The girls had a very credible 1-1 draw against the St Ed's Girls, who had not lost any of their previous league matches. Well done to both teams and my thanks go to Mr and Mrs James and Mr Jefferies for helping with walking and coaching.

The Netball Team had a fixture with Nelson School yesterday and won 5-3. Well done to the Netball Team for braving the cold and thank you to Miss Holloway, Mrs Keightley and all the parents who helped with walking.

Attendance and Punctuality

It has been very encouraging to see the improved attendance rate across the school recently. We are keen to improve punctuality as we have a number of children, some of them regular, coming in to school after 8.40am when the gate to the playground has shut. Please make sure your child is in school on time so they can settle in quickly to their lessons.

Staffing Update

We will be sorry to see both Mrs Cheriton (Summer Term) and Mrs Bowe (Spring Term) leave Bishop Perrin in their roles as Teaching and Learning Support Assistants and I would like to thank them both for all their time and dedication to the school. Mrs Cheriton has been one of our Teaching and Learning Support Assistants for sixteen years and she has given great service to the school and supported many children during her time with us. Mrs Bowe will continue in her Librarian role which we are pleased about. We are very grateful to both of them for their time with us and we wish Mrs Cheriton all the best for the future.

School Association Quiz Night

It was lovely to see so many parents support the School Association at the Quiz Night last Saturday night and help raise lots of money for the school. There was a great atmosphere, lovely curry and lots of laughter. Thank you to all the parents who helped plan, organise and run the evening. Please keep your eyes out for any future adult School Association events as it lovely to be able to come together as a school community in such a way.

Please don't forget that parents are welcome to join us at St Augustine's on Tuesday for our Easter Service at 10.30am. Please do not park at St Augustine's due to the limited space that is vital for Homelink staff and clients.

Have a restful weekend.

Mr Corke

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ATTENDANCE

Week beginning 21st March

CLASS	U	%
Friendship		92.95
Endurance		99.32
Peace		100.00
Forgiveness		99.00
Reverence		94.26
Service		86.15
Justice		94.27

Well done to Peace Class for achieving the best attendance for this week.

CELEBRATION WORSHIP

Those children presented with a certificate for their hard work, great improvement or good behaviour this week are:

Friendship class Endurance class Peace class Forgiveness class Reverence class Service class Justice class

Elie James Nathaniel Isaac Jessica Lily S / Whole Class Whole Class

GOVENOR NEWSLETTER HIGHLIGHTS

The Governors met for a Full Board meeting on Wednesday 23rd March.

The Governors received a presentation from Graham Marrier of the London Diocese Board of Schools on "What Governors Can Expect from an Ofsted Visit".

Governors expressed their gratitude to all the staff and the Senior Leadership Team for all they do at the school and continue to do in what has been challenging circumstances.

They were delighted to hear of the successful Infant and Junior Film Nights that were held at the school by the School Association. It was wonderful to hear how well behaved the children were at that event.

The meeting concluded at 8.10pm with prayers led by Fr David Cloake

CLASS TEXTS

Next term, the key texts for classes are listed below - they could make an ideal Easter gift!

We do have a supply of these books in school for use in class, but it is very helpful if your child is able to have their own copy.

	Summer 1	Summer 2
Year 2	The Butterfly Lion	Charlie and the
	– Michael	Chocolate Factory –
	Morpurgo	Roald Dahl
Year 3	The Iron Man –	Planet Omar:
	Ted Hughes	Unexpected Super
	-	Spy – Zanib Mian
Year 4	Tom's Midnight	Who Let the Gods
	Garden – Philippa	Out? – Maz Evans
	Pearce	
Year 5	Why the Whales	The White Giraffe –
	Came – Michael	Lauren St. John
	Morpurgo	
Year 6	Holes – Louis	Coming to England –
	Sachar	Floella Benjamin

Year R and Year 1 will read a range of picture books over the course of the term. There is not a need for them to have their own copy of the book, but they are welcome to bring one in if they have it.

EDUCATIONAL VISITS UPDATE

We've been very busy organising educational trips, virtual workshops and finalising this year's residential school journeys. It's been a pleasure booking these in for the children, with some year groups going on their **first ever** school trip, due to COVID restrictions preventing them in previous years.

Here is brief update on upcoming visits next term, request for payment(s), permission slips and further details will follow in due course;

- Year R Bocketts Farm
- Year 1 Museum Of Richmond
- Year 2 London Zoo
- Year 4 Hampton Court and Kew Gardens
- Year 5 Orange Tree Theatre
- Year 6 Houses of Parliament Virtual Tour

We will often need parent volunteers to help support our trips, please keep an eye out for an email inviting you to sign up over the coming term. Many thanks to those parents who have supported last terms trips as volunteers. Mrs Chawla



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WEBINAR: HOW TO TALK TO YOUR CHILD ABOUT THEIR ADHD DIAGNOSIS

29th March, 2022 8pm

Join us on this webinar that will cover how best to explain to your child after an ADHD diagnosis, what it means to be ADHD and explain how you as a parent will support them. Additionally it will cover:

- Topics such as advising school
- Deciding on how best to tell family and friends
- Conversations on medication (if being considered)
- It will also highlight appropriate messaging for primary age children and teens

About the speaker: Dr Zoritch is a Consultant Neurodevelopmental Paediatrician specializing in Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder (ADHD) and its' many associated conditions. She has been a consultant in NHS for 20 years and is now doing research at the University of London.

Click here for booking and more information.

SCHOOL MEALS PAYMENT

The cost of a school meal will rise next term to £2.55 per meal. For those families who pay on a half-termly basis, the amount to be paid for the next half term is £68.85. (The half termly cost for children in Year 5 who are visiting the IOW is £58.65.) If you prefer to pay weekly please make a payment of £12.75 every Monday morning. Payment should be made online by visiting https://payments.atomwide.com/bishopperrinschool Thank you.

CHANGES TO SCHOOL MEAL MENU

A new menu will be in place after Easter. A copy is attached to this newsletter. If your child requires a special diet a copy will be sent to you individually, via email, once they are available.

BREAKFAST CLUB BOOKINGS

Bookings for Breakfast Club for the Summer Term will open on Tuesday 5th April.

SUMMER TERM CLUBS

This is a reminder that you can now book as many clubs as you wish for your child/ren to attend next term. There are still places available in all clubs except Y1/2 Football and Cross Stitch Club.

To book please visit www.schoolinterviews.co.uk and enter code xfu4e. Bookings will close on Monday morning at 9am. Details of how to pay for clubs will be sent out next week.

INFANT GIRLS UNDERWEAR & TIGHTS

If you have a pair of school issued underwear or tights please could you bring them back to school ASAP. If anyone is available to donate some to the school we would be very grateful for supplies for our younger years.

GLUE STICKS – KS2 STATIONARY

It is very helpful for children in KS2 to bring in their own stationery supplies to supplement what we can provide at school, they are currently in need of glue sticks, please could you provide your child with one, many thanks.

Date Event 1st Apr Easter Egg Raffle 5th April Easter Service at St Augustine's End of Term – School Closes at 1:30 5th April 6th – 18th Apr Easter Holidays **INSET DAY** 19th Apr 20th Apr Children Return to School 25th Apr YR4 Police, Safer Schools Officer 25th Apr YR5 HSBC Maths Session 2nd May Bank Holiday – School Closed 3rd May YR HSBC Maths Session 3rd - 6th May YR5 Isle of Wight YR1 to Museum of Richmond 12th May 16th May School Photos; Classes, Teams/Groups Y5 A Midsummer Night's Dream 19th May Workshop 23rd May YR6 Police, Safer Schools Officer 24th May YR5 to Ss Philip and James Church 27th May YR4 to Hampton Court 30th May - 3rd Half Term June 6th June INSET DAY 7th June Children Return

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