



Bishop Perrin C.E Primary School

# Newsletter

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Friday 6<sup>th</sup> September  
2019

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 Father David Cloake.

## Dear Parents,

It has been lovely to see the children back with smiles on their faces and stories of their summer holiday adventures! I hope you and your family found some time to get away to rest and relax.

The children have settled in well to their new classes and have been getting down to settling into new routines and getting their first bits of work completed. Please don't forget that you are able to pop into your child's class after school today to speak to your child's new class teacher and ask any questions you may have.

From Wednesday next week we welcome the children in our new Reception Class and look forward to both them and their families becoming part of the BP community

You'll find accompanying the newsletter today the results of our parent questionnaire from last year and some responses to the specific questions that were asked on the other side of tick-box grid. We are very grateful for the time and thought that was put into the responses, so thank you to everyone who was able to return a questionnaire. The results will be shared with the Governors and we will explore what we can do to improve those areas in the questionnaire that have raised concerns with parents. We will also look to use our new Parent Forum to get some more insight into the issues and how they can best be addressed.

I would like to let you know of an initiative we will be trialling at the Parent Interviews for this term. Our Autumn Term Parent Interviews are scheduled for Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> and Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> October. **On Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> school will finish at 2.30pm rather than 3.15pm.** This is to allow for some additional interview slots to be made available. Children who attend after school clubs will be supervised up until 3.15pm when they will then be collected by their coaches/tutors. Children who are not attending after school clubs will therefore have to be collected at 2.30pm that day rather than 3.15pm.

As we start the new school year, I would be very grateful for your support and co-operation with the following points:

- If you are driving to and from school, please park safely and considerably on the local roads for the sake of all pedestrians and for our neighbours.
- Please do not leave your car engine running outside the school ("idling") in order to avoid unnecessary pollution
- If your child cycles or scoots to school, please ensure they are aware of other pavement users and that they dismount before they enter the school forecourt
- Children are allowed to use the activity trail and climbing frame after school, but they must be supervised by an adult as the school cannot be held responsible for their safety.
- As always, if you have a concern or worry, please do not hesitate to get in touch as soon as possible.

Father David will be holding a New Term Mass in the Hall on Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> September at 9am to which you are very welcome to attend. We wish our Year 5 and 6 footballers all the best in the Hampton School 5-a-side Tournament tomorrow morning. The chance of some early silverware?!

Have an enjoyable weekend.

**Mr Corke**

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## MISS MACKLEARN'S OUTREACH WORK

Miss Macklearn will be starting her outreach work at Queen's Manor Primary School next week. She will be working at Queen's Manor on Tuesdays and Thursdays for this term whilst Queen's Manor recruit their own Deputy Headteacher, ready for January 2020. We wish Miss Macklearn all the best and know that she will be a great asset to Queen's Manor.

## LDBS CIRCLE OF PRAYER

This year we will be taking part in the LDBS Circle of Prayer which aims to connect LDBS schools more closely with one another in prayer. Schools have been grouped by diocesan area and each school in each area assigned to a week or fortnight in the year. All the other schools in the area will pray for the named school at some point in the given week. This means that over the course of the year, as part of our Collective Worship, we will pray for other local schools and in turn receive their prayers.

## SCHOOL MEAL PAYMENTS - REMINDER

The cost of a school meal has risen to £2.50. For those families who pay on a half-termly basis, the amount to be paid this **half term is £90**. If you prefer to pay weekly please make a payment of £12.50 every Monday morning. Payment can be made either on line via <https://payments.atomwide.com/bishopperrinschool> or by cash or cheque made payable to Bishop Perrin School).

## Y3 SCHOOL MEALS - REMINDER

If you have a child in Year 3 please note that your child is no longer be entitled to Universal Free School Meals and you will need to pay for school meals. Please see the item above in this newsletter giving details on costs and how payments can be made.

## YEARS 5 & 6 WALKING TO AND FROM SCHOOL

If your child is in Years 5 or 6 they may walk to and from school by themselves. Please send in a note if your child has permission to do this. **They may not collect or bring younger siblings.** The school office holds a separate "Walk to School" register so that we can check that children who walk alone all arrive safely each morning. Please call the school office before 9.15am if your child is not attending school.

## GOING HOME INFORMATION

As part of our safe-guarding practices, we ask that you inform us in writing as to who has permission to pick your child up from school. Please complete the form attached with this newsletter (the children will be bringing a paper copy home with them as well) and return it to school by next Friday, 13<sup>th</sup> September. Thank you.

## INFORMATION FOR PARENTS

We hope many of you will have the opportunity to come along to meet your child's new class teacher after school today. In addition, please find attached some key information for parents about the year ahead, and a curriculum document giving details about the children's learning for this half term.

## AUTUMN TERM CLUBS

The information about the clubs which will take place this term is being sent out with this newsletter. Please look at it with your child/children and decide which club/s they would like to join. Please check carefully which year groups each club is open to.

On **Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup>** you will be able to access the booking form on line to choose your first choice club only. Details on how to book will be sent out on Monday.

**From 6pm on Thursday 12<sup>th</sup>** you will be able to put your child's name down for any other clubs they would like to join. Once the club is full it is not possible to add any more names, if your booking has gone through your child has a place in that club.

All bookings will close on **Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup>**, **it will not be possible to add names to the clubs after this time.** Lists of all the clubs will be put up in the corridor windows facing into both sides of the playground.

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## SCHOOL PANTOMIME TRIP

We have provisionally booked for the whole school to go to Richmond Theatre to watch "Snow White". We will be travelling by coach to Richmond and attending the afternoon performance on Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> December 2019, returning to school at around 4.30pm (exact time to be confirmed).

In order to secure the seats, we need to make the payment to the theatre very soon. If you wish your child to attend please make your payment of £12.20 by Friday 4<sup>th</sup> October. Payment can be made by cash or cheque made payable to Bishop Perrin School or online via <https://payments.atomwide.com/bishopperrinschool> The cost of this trip, including transport, is subsidised by the School and the School Association.

We will not be able to accommodate late replies so please be prompt with your response and payment, returning it by **Friday 4<sup>th</sup> October**. If you do not meet this deadline your child will not be able to attend the trip.

The majority of staff attend this trip, however, we may need a few parent helpers. If you are able to help please complete the slip below.

## RETURN BY FRIDAY 4<sup>th</sup> OCTOBER TO SECURE A PLACE!

Child's Name	Child's Class

I do/do not give permission for my child/ren to attend the pantomime trip to Richmond Theatre on 17<sup>th</sup> December 2019, travelling by coach.

I do/do not enclose payment of £

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

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## SCHOOL PANTOMIME TRIP 17<sup>th</sup> DECEMBER 2019

I am able to assist on this trip:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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## DIARY DATES

- 11 Sept** Y6 to Lensbury Club
- 23 Sept** Clubs start today
- 30 Sept** Y6 to Junior Citizen
- 1 Oct** Y6 to River and Rowing Museum
- 2 Oct** Y6 Weight and Height Checks
- 7 Oct** Y5 to Ss Philip and James' Church
- 8 Oct** School Photographers in for individual / sibling photographs
- 9 Oct** Flu Immunisation programme for all years
- 16 Oct** Y2 Class Assembly
- Y5 and Y6 Tag Rugby Festival - NPL
- School closes at 2.30pm**
- 3.30pm-5pm Parent Interviews
- 17 Oct** 3.30pm-7.30pm Parent Interviews
- 23 Oct** Y5 and Y6 Tag Rugby Reserve Date
- 25 Oct** INSET DAY
- 28 Oct-1 Nov** HALF TERM
- 11 Nov** Y6 to Ss Philip and James' Church
- 13 Nov** Girls' Football Festival, NPL
- 18 Nov** Y3 to Ss Philip and James' Church
- 20 Nov** Parent Carousel Workshop Evening
- Girls' Football Festival, Reserve Date
- 24 Nov** Y4 to Tate Britain
- 29 Nov** Borough Cross Country Festival – Richmond Park
- 3 Dec** Drama Club Presentation
- 6 Dec** Clubs finish today
- 10 Dec** Nativity Evening Performance
- 11 Dec** Nativity Afternoon Performance
- 13 Dec** Christmas Jumper Mufti Day – Homelink
- 17 Dec** Whole School Pantomime – Richmond Theatre
- 18 Dec** Reception Class Christmas Performance to Parents
- 20 Dec** LAST DAY OF TERM

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