BISHOP SUTTON PRIMARY SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER

14th January 2022



January

- 17 Y6 to Lifeskills, Bristol
- 18 Flu Vaccinations (email with link sent on 30/11/21)
- 20 Build a Burger Day Special Menu order through Aspens Select
- 20 Swans Cooking Day (see link below)
- 21 Wrens Cooking Day (see link below)
- 27 Swallows Cooking Day
- 28 Kingfishers Cooking Day

February

- 02 10.30 12 Y2 to CVS Racket & Ball skills (details to follow)
- 03 Herons Cooking Half Day
- 04 Cygnets Cooking Half Day
- 10 Ducklings Cooking Half Day
- 18 End of Term 3
- 28 Start of Term 4

Don't forget all the dates are on the website.

School News

Update from Mr Cook

Welcome back – I hope you all enjoyed a good Christmas and had a chance to rest and recuperate?! The children have settled in really well after the holiday and we have already awarded many certificates for good work - as well as for excellent behaviour and kind, caring attitudes.

Cooking

You will have noticed from the list of dates above that we have Sara Hayes from 'Live, Learn, Cook' coming into school to do some cooking with the children. The sessions will be similar in format to



previous ones (pre-C19!) with a theme of eating locally produced goods, farming and linked to healthy choices.

For parents with children in Swans (Y4) and Wrens (Y3) class, please complete the permission & information form (link below) to provide details around allergies etc.

https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=bzNs8iWFaEGhOsxp4tMrqe6qMEUtXFOq5LwlT9Wd01UM00wVkZZVUdHUVVJSjlYWTQ2UVpBRE5RSi4u

We will send the link for other classes approximately one week before your child's cooking day.

Road Crossing

I have been in touch with and met with the Senior Engineer for Road Safety at the Local Authority (LA) to share our concerns about the lack of crossing patrol, as well as the added ongoing issues of the road closure of Walley Lane, meaning an increase of traffic on the A368. The LA have advertised for a replacement; unfortunately School Crossing Patrol positions are tricky to recruit because of the



low pay and unusual hours. I have also been in touch with the local PCSO (Chris) to share our concerns. Whilst he cannot take on the responsibility for crossing children/parents to school, he has assured me that he will try to be available at times when children are coming in and out of school. In the meantime do please make sure that you speak to children about road safety and we will also give regular reminders to the children about crossing the roads safely. We will also continue to make our concerns known with the LA. If you or someone you know may be interested in the vacancy, please contact: Kieran Oliver on 01225 394922 or email: Kieran Oliver@bathnes.gov.uk

Remote Learning - reminder

Mr Marriott sent this message earlier this week: To ensure there is learning available for children who are isolating but well enough to do some school work, we will be using Microsoft Teams again. Children who have joined the school since March 2021 will either have already received an email with login details or will do so by Thursday 13th January. Unless whole classes need to work from home (extremely unlikely at present), we will not be using the Assignments function mentioned or providing live lessons online. The video lessons are from White Rose for Maths, with accompanying worksheets in the Files tab, and Oak Academy lessons for all other subjects. Individual children who need to isolate can access the lessons through Teams. If you have any questions about the home learning or have trouble getting on to Teams, you can either contact your child's class teacher through ClassDojo or Mr Marriott through the school office.

Certificates

Well done to the following children who received certificates (for hard work or positive attitude or great behaviour or good manners etc) in the last two celebration assemblies:

Ducklings	Cygnets	Herons	Wrens
Mason, Connor, Eliza &	Harlow, Harry, Raffy &	Lola, Emelia P, Dougie	Toby & Logan
Noah	Ella	& Evelyn	
Swans	Swallows	Kingfishers	Headteacher Awards
Oscar, Charlotte, Teddy	Robert, Fred, Rosie &	Grace, Devyn, Henry &	Robert B
& Fearne	Amelia	Muzzamil	

Note: the records are made by Y6 children so apologies if there are any omissions/mistakes

Enjoy the weekend when it comes! DC

Nits and Lice

We have had reports of children having nits. Please could all parents check their child's hair over the weekend and treat as appropriate.

Price Increase for School Meals

The school has been informed by Aspens that with effect from Monday 28th February the price of paid school meals will increase by 10p from £2.25 per meal to £2.35. This increase will only affect children in Year 3, 4, 5 and 6 who pay for their meals.

Build a Burger Day - Thursday 20th January

Mrs Light is cooking a special 'Build a Burger Day' menu on Thursday 20th January. The menu is below. If your child would like to enjoy this special menu just book their meal on the Aspens Select site in the usual way.



PTA

PTA LATEST NEWS

We really look forward to welcoming you and your children to one of our events soon – and remember, we ALWAYS need extra helping hands on our PTA – whether a committee role, a specialist skill or just an hour or so helping to make an event safe and fun on the day – so please do let us know if you can join our band of parent volunteers! Just email Tracey at pta@bishopsuttonstantondrew.co.uk for more details.

Thank you for your continuing support from BS PTA

Term Dates for the Academic Year	2021-22	
Inset Days	Thursday 2/9/2021 and Friday 3/9/2021	
Term 1	Monday 6/9/2021 – Friday22/10/2021	
Half Term Holiday	Monday 25/10/2021 – Friday 29/10/2021	
Inset Day	Monday 1/11/2021	
Term 2	Tuesday 2/11/2021 - Friday 17/12/2021	
Christmas Holiday	Monday 20/12/2021 – Monday 3/1/2022	
Inset Day	Tuesday 4/1/2022	
Term 3	Wednesday 5/1/2022 – Friday 18/02/2022	
Half Term Holiday	Monday 21/2/2022 – Friday 25/2/2022	
Term 4	Monday 28/2/2022 – Friday 8/4/2022	
Easter Holiday	Monday 11/4/2022 – Friday 22/04/2022	
Term 5	Monday 25/4/2022 – Thursday 26/5/2022	
Inset Day	Friday 27/5/2022	
Half Term Holiday	Monday 30/5/2022 – Friday 3/6/2022	

DEADLINE FOR NEXT NEWSLETTER 24th January 2022

The newsletter is also available on our website http://bishopsuttonstantondrew.co.uk

