## **BISHOP SUTTON PRIMARY SCHOOL**

#### NEWSLETTER

# 11<sup>th</sup> June 2021



June

- 16 Bikeability Year 6
- 17 Bikeability Year 6
- 29 Kingfishers Trip to Mill on the Brue letter already sent

#### July

- 05 Swallows Trip to Mill on the Brue letter already sent
- 08 Transition Day for all year groups- more details will be sent closer to the time
- 14 PTA AGM 8pm (venue to be confirmed)
- 19 Bikeability Year 6
- 21 End of Term 6

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

## **School News**

## Help to minimise the Risk

Please help us to minimise the risk to our school from Covid-19 by;

- Wearing a facemask that covers your nose and mouth when entering the school site including the school reception
- Only one adult per family coming onto site to drop off or collect children
- Dropping off and collecting your child as quickly as possible
- Keeping your child with you whilst waiting for other children
- Informing the school when your child is absent and the reason for the absence
- Please do not let the children play on the play equipment after school. (Children should not be playing on the equipment anyway; we have also opened the play equipment to designated classes on a weekly basis and need to avoid cross contamination).

## Quick note from Mr Cook

## C19 update

We await the UK gov announcements on Monday 14th June next week to see what restrictions will be lifted and how that may affect our procedures and events in school. There is always a balance to be achieved here e.g. if we were to extend the bubbles to two classes, but subsequently had to close a bubble, more children/families are affected. (Another local school is dealing with three positive cases as I write, and this has had a knock-on effect for two classes...). As always we will keep you updated once we know more, and thank you for your support in trying to keep school running as close to normal as we can.

## **PTA updates**

I'd like to make all parents aware that we have the PTA AGM on Wednesday 14th July at 8pm – venue to be confirmed. We have some key members stepping down this year, and it would be great to have some new members joining us to help maintain our thriving PTA. Members have worked

really hard during the last tricky months and have been able to fundraise with great imagination and provide additional resources for school. So AGM 8pm on 14th July – all welcome! PTA are also planning to sell ice creams after school every Friday from Friday 25th June. We'll have additional measures in place e.g. sales at two points, hand sanitizer available, social distancing queuing, masks worn, separate adults to handle cash and ice creams etc to try to make sales as safe as possible. As always on PTA matters, please contact Maria on pta@bishopsuttonstantondrew.co.uk for details/queries.

# Mini Sports Day for Herons, Cygnets and Ducklings Classes

So far the weather has been kind to us and all KS2 classes had a mini sports day before the half term holiday; now it's the turn of KS1/EYFS children!

Monday 14th June will be Cygnets and Herons

Monday 21st June will be Ducklings

Children will have a mini sports day in their class bubble, led by a member of staff from PH Sports. (These events are for children and sadly parents cannot be involved). Children will need to come to school in their PE kit please and bring water bottles/coats etc. If the weather prevents us from running these days, we will postpone to another week.

And finally, Tennis lessons for Y1 children (Cygnets) are due to start on Friday 25th June, with the last one on Friday 16th July. Lessons take place in the afternoon at Bishop Sutton Tennis Club – Miss Storer will need additional adults to help walk the children down to the club. Please contact her if you are able to help.

## **PTA News**

Have you booked your table yet for our **Table Top Sale?** It's on Sunday 27 June at school from 10am to 2pm. So make some cash from your Lockdown sort out on your own table for just £10. Or if you don't have enough stuff for a whole table or the time to run one, we're offering a 'We Sell It' service. Just drop off your priced items, choose your commission donation, and then just return to collect your money or unsold item at the end of the day - how easy is that! Contact Lucy (to reserve your table) or Tracey (to register for 'We Sell It') on <u>pta@bishopsuttonstantondrew.co.uk</u> Entry on the day for browsers will be £1 (kids are free) and we'll have a great selection of refreshments and homemade cakes and treats for sale too!

**Congratulations to our latest local School Lottery cash winners – Kelly I and Danielle W!** And you could be our weekly winner on a Saturday night, just sign up now for your tickets now - <a href="https://www.yourschoollottery.co.uk/play">https://www.yourschoollottery.co.uk/play</a> and select 'Bishop Sutton Primary'. As school fundraising gets ever harder, please do **support your child or grandchild for just £1 a week** - by supporting us you are also in with a chance to win up to £25,000 on Saturday too! It's a WIN/WIN all round! Remember the funds from our School Lottery and fundraising events go direct to making our village school the best it can be for all our children. And by supporting your PTA, you can really make a difference to the resources and opportunities we can offer. From trips, excursions and activities, to special learning resources, new books and play equipment, your PTA funds support their learning on a daily basis. But we can't do it without you, so please do help us to help keep our PTA thriving! We also have a number of our wonderful PTA team moving on at the end of the school year, so to keep things moving along it would be great to **sign up some new parents** to the team. Any time or skills you can give to support our fundraising efforts all helps to keep money going back into activities and resources for the children. So if can join us please contact **Maria** 

**on** <u>pta@bishopsuttonstantondrew.co.uk</u> - or catch her at pick up for a quick chat in the lower playground. Thank you!

Term Dates for the Academic Year	2020/21
Term 5	Monday 19/4/2021 – Friday 28/5/2021
Half Term Holiday	Monday 31/5/2021 – Friday 4/6/2021
Inset Day	Monday 7/6/2021
Term 6	Monday 8/6/2021 – Wednesday 21/7/2021

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
Term 6	Monday 6/6/2022 – Friday 22/7/2022

# DEADLINE FOR NEXT NEWSLETTER 21<sup>st</sup> June 2021

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