



# Bishops Lydeard

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Bishops Lydeard Church School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people.

**Respect**

**Endurance**

**Friendship**

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Dear Parents and Carers,

**Current Whole School Attendance – 94.74%**

## New books for the library

We are delighted to announce that we received a fantastic box of colourful Christian books for our school library. The books were presented to children this morning by Paula Renaulf, Director of the Speaking Volumes charity. Paula used to attend Bishops Lydeard and she was shown around school by some of our ambassadors and spent time in Owl Class sharing the work the children have been doing in RE.



## Blue Tit News

Today the first of our blue tit eggs hatched! Some of the children were able to witness this on our bird watch camera in the foyer.

The children said "Ohhh...it looks like an alien!" and "Chicks with no feathers do look peculiar!"



## Playground Politics

Our edition of Playground Politics on BBC Somerset has been postponed. It is now scheduled to run on Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> May. Listen in to hear pupils from Badger class!

## Auction of Promises

Our annual Auction of Promises is now LIVE! We have some fantastic items for you to bid on with more items to come. If you have anything to add please contact the BLSA or school office. Thank you to everyone that has contributed so far. Now let's get bidding on some bargains! The auction finishes on 7th June.

<https://auctionofpromises.com/auctionread.aspx?a=3201> or go to [www.auctionofpromises.com](http://www.auctionofpromises.com) and search for 'Bishops Lydeard School Fete 2018'

## Class Attendance Cup

This week Fox class won the attendance cup with 98.0% attendance and were rewarded with an extra session on the trim trail.

### Gold Book

<b>Ladybird</b>	<u>Dylan Broad</u> for super phonics and reading sentences; <u>Hannah Dixon</u> has recognised all 3D shapes quickly.
<b>Hedgehog</b>	<u>Grace Bond</u> for always listening and trying her best in all lessons; <u>Theo Hayes</u> for good work in phonics to improve his reading.
<b>Rabbit</b>	The whole of Rabbit Class for fantastic efforts in their KS1 SATs this week!
<b>Fox</b>	<u>Oliver Bond</u> and <u>Robbie Hope</u> have shown a superb effort in their writing, striving to meet the greater depth challenges and improve their handwriting in all subjects; <u>Harry Williams</u> and <u>Thomas Ashcroft</u> have shown an outstanding enthusiasm for reading and have worked hard to improve their comprehension skills.
<b>Owl</b>	<u>Poppy Potter</u> and <u>Melissa Donaldson</u> for their passion to run a dance class. They practiced and prepared all week to have ideas to teach others; <u>Charlotte Hawthorne</u> for a fantastic effort in class. Amazing handwriting, lovely ideas and improved listening to instructions.
<b>Badger</b>	<u>Chloe Binks</u> for her 'I've got this!' moments in maths. Well done Chloe!
<b>Dragonfly</b>	<u>Toby Taylor</u> for excellent hurdling technique; <u>Berry Potter</u> for super fielding and batting skills in rounders; <u>Emily Cable</u> and <u>Sarah Dixon</u> for showing great determination in a game of rounders; the whole of <u>Dragonfly Class</u> for endurance in their learning – nearly there!

### Diary Dates

#### **May**

18 <sup>th</sup>	BLSA Movie Night
18 <sup>th</sup>	Year 4 Saxon Day at the Museum of Somerset
22 <sup>nd</sup>	Year 3 Saxon Day at the Museum of Somerset
28 <sup>th</sup>	Half-term week

#### **June**

8 <sup>th</sup>	Non-uniform day (wear green if possible) to gather donations for the fete
9 <sup>th</sup>	Summer fete
22 <sup>nd</sup>	Summer disco
28 <sup>th</sup>	Blue bags collection
29 <sup>th</sup>	BLSA meeting

#### **July**

10 <sup>th</sup>	Sports Day
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