

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

Staying Safe

- If you have a Child Protection (Safeguarding) concern, please see a Safeguarding Lead (Mrs Harvey or Mrs Culverhouse) or ring Somerset Direct on 0300 123 2224
- If you notice a Health & Safety concern, please report it to Mrs Harvey or Mrs Fillingham
- We have children with nut allergies so please remember our school is a nut free school
- Mobile phones must not be used within the school grounds
- If you drive your children to school, please park responsibly on the surrounding roads

Current Whole School Attendance - 94.99%

28th June 2019



Come along and enjoy the School Fete tomorrow!

Our biggest fundraiser of the year opens tomorrow at 1.30pm, come along and support your school and enjoy the fun. Games, face painting, toys, sweets, gin bar, BearClaw meats, chance for children to drive a car, win chocolates, bottles and tins on the tombolas – fantastically well stocked this year thanks to your generosity. Baked donations for the cake stall can be dropped off from 10am. Please remember that no dogs are allowed on site. We look forward to seeing you tomorrow!

Year 3 Flute Performance

Parents of children in Year 3 are invited to the class flute performance on Tuesday 2nd July at 1.15pm.

Year 6 Kingsmead Transition

On Wednesday 3rd July, please could all Year 6 children be in school by 8.40am for registration. The bus to Kingsmead will leave school at 8.45am. If you have not already done so, please visit ParentPay to give consent for your child to attend.

Sports Day, Friday 5th July

<u>Gates will open to parents at 1.15pm for a 1.30pm start.</u> After consulting the Parent Forum it has been unanimously decided we are going to return to a more competitive format for sports day this year, however there will be two activities led by the Premier Sports coaches in order to promote teamwork.

Sponsored Run

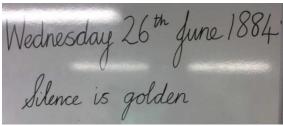
Final call for Years 5 and 6 sponsorship money – please bring to the school office on Monday 1st July. Many thanks for your generous donations so far.

After School Spanish Club

If your child is interested in learning Spanish next year and you have not yet returned the slip, please let the school office know on Monday 1st July.

Victorian School Workshop













Years 5 and 6 took part in a Victorian School morning. They dressed up in Victorian clothes and wrote on slate boards. The children were able to experience what it was like to be a child in the Victorian era.

Year 4 and 5 Orienteering Festivals at Norton Manor









Year 4 had an epic day at Norton Manor Camp during their Orienteering Festival. They learnt to orientate maps, find markers spread out over a vast area, and adventure in the woods looking for digital markers. Their times were recorded and one of our groups set the 2nd fasted time out of 70 groups. The class were bubbly and enthusiastic all day. Year 5 also enjoyed a day in the sunshine at Norton Manor this week. Their team building skills were excellent and their support of each other was highly impressive. The children were complemented on their manners and behaviour. A great day had by all!

Leavers' Service

The Year 6 Leavers' Service will be held at St Mary's Church on Monday 22nd July, 10am. All welcome.



Eco Club

This week the Eco club started weeding the flower borders and flower boxes. We are going to be painting and restoring the flowers boxes. The children thought that it would be nice to put herbs in them.

Bottle Caps

Please bring your bottle caps to the school office! We are collecting caps of all colours for an activity during our outdoor learning week starting on Monday 8th July.

Maths and English updates

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Ladybird	In English the children will be writing their very own stories with new characters and settings. In Maths		
	we will be focusing on 2D and 3D shapes.		
Hedgehog	In Maths we are continuing to work on Time. In English we are working on applying capital letters to		
	pronouns.		
Rabbit	Rabbit class will be planning and writing their own adventure stories in English. In Maths, we will be		
	learning to use efficient methods to solve problems.		
Fox	Next week in English, we will be learning to use conjunctions and apostrophes in the writing of our own		
	persuasive letters. In Maths, we will be continuing our learning about adding and subtracting mass and		
	will begin to learn about capacity.		
Owl	Next week, Owl class will be writing persuasive texts. We will look how we persuade people to agree		
	with our point of view. In Maths, we will be looking at properties of shape, namely quadrilaterals and lines		
	of symmetry.		
Badger	Next week in Maths we will be looking at metric measurements In English we will be continuing with our		
	Oliver performance		
Dragonfly	Next week in English we will explore the characters in the story of Oliver Twist and write descriptions of		
	them. In Maths we are continuing to develop our ability to calculate mentally. Year 6 also have their		
	move up day to Kingsmead next Wednesday.		

House Points		This week	Overall
	Brendon	276	770
	Blackdown	153	533
	Quantock	152	633
	Mendip	123	428

Class Attendance Cup

This week Badger class won the attendance cup with 96.67% attendance and were rewarded with an extra session on the trim trail.

Rainbow Award

<u>Isla V.</u> and <u>Lily-Mae H.</u> for being helpful in sorting out lost property with Mrs Hopkins and for assisting Mrs Byrne label new books for the school library.

Gold Book

Ladybird Daniel for improved cursive script. Alexandra for joined up handwriting.

Hedgehog Fletcher for super Maths this week, working hard on telling the time and solving problems relating to time.

Ciara-Leigh for trying to challenge herself in Maths, even when it's really challenging and always being a

good friend to others.

Rabbit Bruno and John for always being encouraging and considerate to others. They both do this in many

ways, not just through language, but in their actions and support too.

Fox Scarlett is always polite and helpful in class and is considerate and encouraging to others. Caleb has

worked superbly this week and has been kind, helpful and considerate to others.

Owl Elsie and Thomas have been praised by our supply teachers over the last few weeks as always being

helpful and polite. They helped ensure the routines remained the same and the class met their learning

potential.

Badger Maddie, Claudia and Sophie for always encouraging each other and making me laugh.

Josh, Kian and Charlotte for encouraging their team during the Norton Manor camp day

Dragonfly Daisy for being so encouraging to people and making sure that they are ok. Rihanna for a great conversation in maths -clearly explaining her reasoning.

June 29 th July	School fete	mater for
2 nd	Year 3 Flute Performance, 1.15pm	Dates for the Diary:
3 rd	Moving Up Afternoon	6166
5 th	Sports Day, 1.30pm	
8 th	Eco Week	
12 th	Open Classrooms, 2.45 – 3.15pm	
16 th	Years 5 and 6 performance, 2pm	
17 th	Years 5 and 6 performance, 6.30pm	
22 nd	Leavers' Service, St Mary's Church, 10am	i
23 rd	Last day of term	
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