

# Bathampton Primary School Newsletter



Dear Parents/Carers

Welcome back after a sunny half term break.

It doesn't seem long since our last newsletter and the academic year is starting to race by.

Thank you to all those who have responded to the recent survey monkey on 'Christmas Performances'. If you haven't responded yet but would like to, it is still live and will be until Friday 8<sup>th</sup> March. You were sent a link via email. Please ask the school office if you need the link to be sent again.

We'll post the results in the March edition of our newsletter.

Mr Brewer  
Headteacher

## Upcoming Events

### Monday 25<sup>th</sup> February

Start of term 4

### Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> February

Class 1 Trip to 'The Crescent'

### Friday 1<sup>st</sup> March

Friends meeting 9am

### Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> March

Parent E-Safety talk 6pm

### Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> March

World Book Day

### Friday 8<sup>th</sup> March

After School Pancakes 3:15

### Friday 29<sup>th</sup> March

Parent's Quiz Night 7:30pm

### Friday 5<sup>th</sup> April

Easter Extravaganza! 3:15

### Friday 5<sup>th</sup> April

End of term 4

### Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> April

Start of term 5

### Monday 29<sup>th</sup>/Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> April

Class 4 Charterhouse Trip

### Monday 6<sup>th</sup> May

Bank Holiday Monday

### W/B 13.05.19

KS2 SATs week

### Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup>-Friday 24<sup>th</sup>

May Class 6 Mill on the Brue trip

### Friday 24<sup>th</sup> May

End of term 5

## Bathampton Eco Warriors

The Eco Warriors have ordered 3 new school bins. Thank you to the 'Friends' for paying for these. One of these bins will be a 'Compost Bin'.

The Eco Warriors have also recently purchased some new litter pickers and devised a whole school rota so that all children can help keep our school tidy and litter free.

HELP - Parent Helpers – If you're a keen or willing gardener and would like to help with Eco club, please speak to Mr Brewer or the school office.



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## School Council Information



The School Council is incredibly proud to announce that the final grand total raised for the NSPCC during our January Colour Run was a whopping **£2084**. The NSPCC were astounded at the enthusiasm of our children and community. Great work everyone!

## Pupil WOW section

*In this area we'd love to hear about children's achievements outside of school. If your child has achieved something brilliant outside of school let us know by sending us the information.*

*Recently, Alexa from Year 3 came fourth in The Baskervilles Gymnastics competition. I know many other children succeeded in this event.*

*Well done to you all.*



## Year Six Lunchtime Helpers

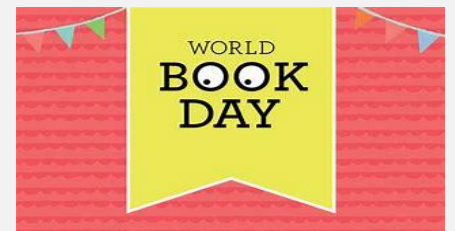
Several children from Year 6 have kindly volunteered to help in the dining hall for 15 minutes during their lunchbreak. We're so proud of them and the younger children love having them in the hall.

Thank you children.



## World Book Day

We are celebrating World Book Day on Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> March, please see the separate email from Mrs Evans and Mrs Edmund.



## Parent Helpers

We're on the look-out for enthusiastic parent readers to help during the school day. If you're interested, please visit the school office.

## School Policies

Various policies including Safeguarding and Child Protection have been updated and are available from the school website.

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## Super Pirates

Well done children on our super pirate day. We raised lots of money for 'The Trauma Recovery Centre'. We'll have the exact amount in our next newsletter.



## Conker Crossing NEWS! Fantastic!

Amazing news – Our Conker Crossing has been **granted planning permission** following a full team effort from the local community and businesses including Stephen Melville (Bathampton parent) of Format Engineers who brought forward the design. B&NES Highways are responsible for the next step, the detailed design and procurement and has money set aside to do this. Thank you so much to all those who have been involved in this, it has been a massive piece of work and as a community we are very grateful to each and every one.

## Message from Bathampton Pre-school Playgroup

Places are available at Bathampton Pre-school Playgroup for children aged 2 and a half to 5 years old. Playgroup has been established for over 50 years and is a great way for children (and parents!) to get to know each other before they start school in Reception.

Our friendly, qualified staff have lots of experience helping children get ready for school and we were pleased to be rated Good by OFSTED in our latest inspection.

Playgroup takes place 4 days a week during term time in the village hall on Holcombe Lane. There are plenty of craft and play activities for the children to choose from each day and we encourage outdoor play in all weathers.

Please call us to find out more or visit our website.

Tel: 07716 600 269

Web: [www.bathamptonplaygroup.org](http://www.bathamptonplaygroup.org)

## Hall Rental

Our School Hall is now available for hire. If you have a club such as; badminton, karate, cubs, rainbows or anything else, we'd love to hear from you. You can hire it for only £20 p/h!

## Fire Training

Some staff received fire training yesterday. You're in safe hands!



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