

**BISHOP LOVEDAY CHURCH OF ENGLAND SCHOOL  
NEWSLETTER 21**

**Joining Together – Learning For Life**

Dear Parents/Carers

**TERM ENDS TODAY  
3.30pm**



14th February,  
2020

We interviewed for the year 3 post today and are delighted to announce we have appointed Mrs Holland to teach 3LM after Easter.

Mr Gregory has been working with our children at lunchtimes, whilst studying for his degree. He will be taking a gap year and we are therefore looking for a **new lunchtime supervisor** to join our team. The advert and job description are on the school website and the **closing date is 28<sup>th</sup> February**.



Next term, for their Blue Abyss topic, Year 4 will be making a 'Plastic Pollution' display. Please could you send in plastic bottle tops of all colours - especially black (single serving Pepsi bottles), silver (coke), blue (whole milk), white, and orange etc. Many thanks.

Medical forms for Stackpole (Current year 5 children) will be sent home with your child today.

*Please find attached to this week's newsletter, a questionnaire about behaviour and anti-bullying at Bishop Loveday. We are extremely proud of the children who attend our school. We have received fantastic feedback from visitors about how polite, hard-working, articulate and well-behaved the pupils are. In addition, workshops we have run in the past to review our policies and procedures have always provided positive feedback about the support in place for our pupils. It is very important to us that we continue to seek your feedback on such important matters and would appreciate your responses.*

*Please send responses for the attention for Mrs O'Donnell by Thursday 27th February. Many thanks for your continued support.*

Following on from the information last week – **Message from Deputy Director of Public Health**

There is no need to make any changes to your normal day to day activity and living. You can also help yourself by taking the usual precautionary measures that would help slow the spread of almost any germs, including Coronavirus:

- Always carry tissues to catch your cough or sneeze
- Bin used tissues as quickly as possible
- Wash your hands often with warm water and soap

This week:

Year 6 had a thoroughly enjoyable time at the Black Country Museum, participating in a 'Funky Fairground' workshop.

The year 2 children entertained their parents with a super Pirates' Dance. Thank you to all who attended.

Four of our Year 5 Playground Leaders attended a Leadership workshop at BGN this week. Working alongside pupils from Orchard Fields, St Joseph's & Hanwell Primary School as well as year 7 leaders from BGN, they practised activities and games in preparation for the Year 1 multi-skills festival later this month. They will take on leadership roles at the NOSSP event for our younger pupils. Well done to all involved - can't wait to see your skills in action!

The **Parent Pay dinner menu** is now available for next term.

**PLEASE** book your child's meal with them – we are having lots of children changing their minds – this leaves other children not receiving the meal they have actually booked and endangers those with allergies!

Also, if you have any of our **yellow or blue wrist bands**, please could you return them to school.

Remember to book your child's school meals and pop a note in your diaries for the half term week. The cut off is every Wednesday at midnight, for meals for the following week. We will contact you to ask you to bring in a lunch box if you have not ordered your child's school meals as numbers are sent to the kitchen the week before.

Due to the awful weather last weekend, the playground markings were not completed – this has been re-scheduled for half term (weather permitting!).

The Oxford Maths Festival is back on 15-16 February 2020, with activities, games, puzzles and new tricks for families with children aged 4-13. You can find the full programme and details over at <https://mathsfest.web.ox.ac.uk/whats-on>

TRAVELLING BOOKS BOOK FAIR will be in school this week – open Monday and Wednesday for parents' evenings and Friday after school til 4pm.

1KW - Please note Mrs Wyatt's class have Forest School next term - this will be on WEDNESDAYs

This year we will not be dressing up for World Book Day on Thursday 5th March. This is because we will be having a whole school focus on art and reading throughout the day using the book, 'The Lost Words' by Robert Macfarlane. The book will be shared with each class in the run up to World Book Day and work will be showcased later in the term.

**Monday 24th:** Spring term 2 begins. There is **no Dance Club** today due to parents' evening. PARENTS' EVENING 3.30-6.00pm

**Tuesday 25th:** EY are having their Pancake Fun Day! **Year 1** will be visiting Banbury Museum to support the topic of Toys and Childhood. **Year 2** SATS' information meeting for parents at 3.15pm

**Wednesday 26th:** 1KW start Forest School. No afterschool table tennis club. PARENTS' EVENING 3.30pm.

**Thursday 27th:** 5PA continue their swimming lessons – remember swimming hats and costumes! Some of our Year 1 children will be visiting BGN for a Multi-skills festival.

**Friday 28th:** Y1/2 will visit St John the Baptist church, in the afternoon, for worship.

**Fashion Show** – Proceeds to Barnardo's and St John the Baptist Church Bodicote

There is a good-as-new fashion show being held at Bishop Loveday School, on 28th February, 6.30pm for 7.00pm. Entrance is £6, to include a glass of wine. For more information or to buy tickets, contact Lynette on 01295 264647

### Attachments:

Behaviour and Anti-bullying Questionnaire  
Bloxham School Open Morning

## Residential Trips Information

### Stackpole – Current Yr 5

Full Amount:	£280.00
Deposit:	£40.00
Full Balance Payable by:	1st May 2020
Deposit due:	29th November 2019
1st Installment - £48 due:	17th January 2020
2nd Installment - £48 due:	14th February 2020
3rd Installment - £48 due:	20th March 2020
4th Installment - £48 due:	17th April 2020
Final balance £48 due:	1st May 2020

### Green Park – Yr 4

Full Amount:	£86.60
Deposit:	£20.00
Full Balance due by:	27th March 2020
Deposit due:	29th November 2019
1st Installment - £20 due:	17th January 2020
2nd Installment - £20 due:	14th February 2020
Final balance £26.60 due:	27th March 2020

Medical forms have been sent home, please complete these and return as soon as possible.

### Frank Chapman – Yr 2

Full Amount:	£94.85
1st Deposit:	£5.00
2nd Deposit:	£15.00
Full Balance due by:	22nd May 2020
1st Installment - £25 due:	6th March 2020
2nd Installment - £25 due:	3rd April 2020
Final balance £24.85 due:	22nd May 2020

# FOBLS



GREAT NEWS – the new defibrillator is in school and we will update you when it is up and running!

**Gatsby Charity Ball tickets** are on sale now (for May 15th, 7pm at Whately Hall Hotel – adults only)  
Email [fobls@outlook.com](mailto:fobls@outlook.com) for a booking form - Tickets will be sold in table groups of 10!

## Congratulations



### Swimmers

Competent Stage – Aurora B, Alfie D, Emmee L, Poppy W, Abby H, Jessica B.  
Confident Stage – Christy S  
Distance Awards Poppy W, Emmee L, Alfie D, Aurora B, Jessica B, Abby H, Isabelle T, Jesse B, Eli W, David S, Lola H, Rosie C



Superheroes Jayden H, Toby K, Gianna B, Zac D, Javish S, Esme B, Saskia W, Sammy G, Hibah W, Harrison S, Kimora A, Kaiden M, Darcy L, George B, Gaby T, Tommy O, Jasmine P, Lucas P, Jasmine G, Emily W, Alice V  
Superhero Passport Sophie M, Freddie W

Lottie H – Participated in a Penguin Encounter; Alistair D - Chief Scouts' Bronze Award; Cameron M- Yellow Wade gym award; Ilianna S – Bronze Wade Gym award; Vanessa T- Brownie Promise

Have a safe and enjoyable week.

Yours sincerely

Mrs Jane Ridley  
Headteacher

### House Points tally

w/e: 14/02/2020	Sun	Ice	Fire	Forests	Oceans	Waterfalls
<b>Term Total:</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>52</b>