



BISHOP LOVEDAY CHURCH OF ENGLAND SCHOOL NEWSLETTER T3-6 21-22

Be kind, be honest and have courage to live 'life in all its fullness' (John 10:10)

For up-to-date advice on Coronavirus, please visit: <https://www.gov.uk/coronavirus>

All children must attend school unless they test positive on a Lateral Flow or if they have any symptoms, even if they have been in close contact with a positive case.

Friday 11th February 2022

Dear Parents and Carers,

I've seen so many DT projects this week, they are looking amazing! We've had year 6 making Anderson shelters, year 2 making smoothies and year 3 will be making bridges next week! Singing lessons have also started and we have a lot more children learning instruments, including a tuba!

We are looking to run a **holiday club** for the first two weeks of the summer school holidays w/c 25th July and w/c 1st August – full days/half days available between 08:30-17:00 at a cost of £25.00/£12.50 per child – if you would be interested please click here to register your interest: <https://forms.office.com/r/6cNr8AT13J>

We are launching **Readathon** next week - please see further information below. We hope you will help us to raise as much money as we can.

Wrap Around Care please note the two pick up times are: 4:15pm and 6:00pm and not 4:30pm as published in last weeks newsletter. Apologies for the mis-communication.

PE Uniform please may we remind parents that the school PE uniform comprises of a red polo shirt with black school logo and black shadow stripe shorts.

The black tracksuit with school logo is optional. Orders can be placed and paid for online by [visiting their website](#)

Finally, could I remind parents who are using WACKY club that you park in the car park opposite the school not in the school care park.

Many thanks and thank you for your continuing support.

Kind regards,

Mrs Dee Loader
Head of School
Bishop-Loveday CE Primary School

THIS WEEK...

Important Dates
Parents Evenings
Bikeability
Readathon
Internet Safety Day
Our week of learning
Sports Clubs
Awards
Houspoints
Brilliant Learner Stars
Other News

Important Dates:

FEBRUARY 2022	
W/c 14 th February	(All) Virtual parents evenings - to book a meeting, please go to: https://outlook.office365.com/owa/calendar/BishopLovedayCofEPrimarySchool@bishop-loveday.oxon.sch.uk/bookings/
W/c 14 th February	(All) Read for Good – please help your child to read and encourage your friends and family to sponsor them – details below.
Monday 14 th February – Thursday 17 th February	(Year 6) Bikability Cycle Training - please remember your bikes and helmets if you have signed up.
Throughout February	(All) FAMILY CHALLENGE from NOSSP – please see poster for more details.
Friday 18 th February	END OF TERM - 3.15pm (Homework Club and WAC will continue as normal)
Monday 21 st February – Friday 25 th February	HALF TERM – SCHOOL CLOSED
Monday 28 th February	TERM 4 BEGINS – 8.55AM

Parents Evenings:

Virtual Teacher/Parent Meetings will take place w/c 14th February. To book a meeting, please go to:

<https://outlook.office365.com/owa/calendar/BishopLovedayCofEPrimarySchool@bishop-loveday.oxon.sch.uk/bookings/>

Bikeability Cycle Training:

Year 6 will take place next week 14th – 17th February – if you have signed up please remember your bikes and helmets.

READ FOR GOOD – Readathon starting next week:

Please encourage your friends and family to sponsor your child to help us raise lots of money not only for our local hospital but for our school too.

Please see attached letter with more information from Read for Good.



Your child will bring home their sponsorship card and bookmark on Monday – all you have to do is:

1. Take a look at what they plan to read
2. Help your child find sponsorship among family and friends [Sponsor a pupil - First find their school Readathon \(force.com\)](#)

Our exciting week of learning:

Year 2 children have been working through the design process to make tropical fruit smoothies. They started by tasting a variety of fruits that are grown in the rainforest. After choosing their favourite fruit, they wrote instructions before making and evaluating their smoothies. We looked at smoothie packaging and made concept boards to help us create our own smoothie sleeve and logo badge. You can tell by the smiles that the children had a lot of fun! Surprisingly, lychee smoothie was a firm favourite!



After School Clubs:

Running Club - We have had lots of children ask when Running club for KS2 children will start again. We are hoping, weather permitting, that it can resume after half term.

So that's Monday & Thursday lunchtimes, 12:15-12:40 on the year 6 field. Children MUST have a pair of trainers to change in to and CANNOT enter the school building in those muddy trainers. Please bring a plastic bag to put them in afterwards.

Hockey Club (MONDAYS) - We have spaces for Years 4, 5 & 6, 3.15-4.15pm, on Playground with Mrs Gardner & Mrs Washburn – if interested please complete on-line form: <https://forms.office.com/r/sNJpjPDHXB>

Netball Club (WEDNESDAYS) - We have spaces for Years 4, 5 & 6, 3.15-4.15pm, on Playground with Elissa & Naomi Xiourouppas – if interested please complete on-line form: <https://forms.office.com/r/cG1CGATstQ>

Year 6 have been playing netball matches in PE sessions this term. They are applying their knowledge, tactics and strategies well and their progress in game play is fantastic. It is wonderful to see such fluency and enjoyment in the games. Maybe some of them would like to sign up for the netball club after school on Wednesdays to continue to improve and enjoy this great team sport.

Oxford United Girls Football Club for Years 4, 5 & 6 (TUESDAYS) Great news - Robert has agreed to increase the number of spaces available at his Tuesday after school club.

This club will only run up until Easter holidays, so sign up for this great opportunity for your daughter to enjoy in term 4. No previous experience of football required! Please follow the link below for more details:

community@oufc.co.uk

Swimming Lessons Congratulations on 5PA achieving your School Swimming Distance Awards this week...



10 Meters
 Vanessa T
 Sofia-Rose T
 Seth P
 Isabelle L
 Niamh H
 Oscar G
 Daniel E
 Alistair D
 Ollie C
 Lily A
 Ronnie A

25 Meters
 Bella L
 Ella J
 Lucia G
 Ella-May H
 Elouise S
 Bobby H
 Max G-S

YOU HAVE WORKED SO HARD YOU ARE AMAZING!

Awards:

I am delighted and proud to announce ...

Amelie B (2TC) has received a certificate and medal for achieving her Bronze Award at the Wade Gymnastics Club.

Abigail C (1SW) has received a certificate and medal for achieving her Purple Award at the Wade Gymnastics Club.

HUGE CONGRATULATIONS TO YOU ALL, YOU ARE AMAZING!!

Housepoints:

The winners this week are... **FORESTS**

FOREST 'Thunberg'	WATERFALL 'Rashford'	SUN 'Mercury'	ICE 'Ayling-Ellis'	OCEANS 'Daley'	FIRE 'Malala'
					
399	353	329	246	382	367



This week's Brilliant Learning Stars go to...

BE KIND, BE HONEST AND HAVE COURAGE TO LIVE 'LIFE IN ALL ITS FULLNESS' (JOHN 10:10)



Brilliant Learning Star of the week

F1RB **James**

F1FS **Jacob**

1SW **Noah**

1KB **Theo**

2CP **Luna**

2TC **Sebastian**

3JM **Orlah**

3OB **Amelia**

4SV **Eva**

4SJ **Leo**

5DC **Ava**

5PA **Lucia**

6CS **Oliver B**

6HW **Elliott**



Santa Fun Run in aid of Katharine House Hospice

Thank you to everyone who made donations to Katharine House Hospice in respect of the Santa Fun Runs that took place before Christmas. You raised a grand total of £444.75. Thank you all so much, I think we all agree this is a very worthy local cause.



FoBLS News:

Please find below our next event next Friday 18th February. Main school playground @ 3pm.

Please remember to bring change 😊



FAMILY CHALLENGE from NOSSP.

We would love to hear and see how you get on. Don't forget to Tweet any photographs to include @Bishoploveday1 and @NorthOxonSSP . Who will post the fastest time?

Family CHALLENGE

There are 50 letters & numbers in *Birmingham 2022 Commonwealth Games 28th July to 8th August*

Can you tick them all off by taking a walk around your local neighbourhood or village? You might see the letters on street names, or the numbers on car registration plates.

You can only use a letter/number once - so you will need to find 5 different M's & 4 different 2's!

Can you track your journey - how many steps, meters or minutes did it take you to complete the challenge?

If you are a large family maybe you could split in to two groups and go in different directions to see who completes the challenge first?

For an extra challenge why not see if you can tick the letters and numbers off in order. So first you have to find a B, then an I, then an Retc.

We'd love to hear about your challenge experience - please @ us on Facebook or Twitter @NorthOxonSSP

Other News:

ODYSSEY – Matilda The Musical Junior

Over half term, a few of the children from BLS are performing in Odyssey Juniors Matilda...

Please click here for tickets: <https://www.ticketsource.co.uk/odyssey>

odyssey Juniors production of
ROALD DAHL
Matilda
THE MUSICAL JR.
Wykham Theatre, Banbury
25th February 7.30pm, 26th February 2.30pm and 7.30pm
Tickets £12 (£10 concessions)
www.ticketsource.co.uk/odyssey
Book by Dennis Kelly
Music & Lyrics by Tim Minchin
Orchestrations and Additional Music by
Chris Nightingale
Roald Dahl's Matilda The Musical JR.
This amateur production is presented by arrangement with Music Theatre International. All authorised performance materials are also supplied by MTI. www.MTIShows.co.uk

Half Term of Signs!

This February Half Term @ The Oxfordshire Museum
Join in with **FREE** family activities during half term.

Free I Spy that sign Trail

Tom Tots: Tuesday 22 Feb 2022, 10.30am to 12pm

- Crafts and colouring for the under 5s. No need to book, just drop in

Design a sign: Tuesday 22 Feb 2022, 2pm to 4pm

- With so many signs, old and new, throughout the Museum to inspire you, come and create your own using colourful collage.

Animate that sign: Wednesday 23 Feb 2022, 11am to 3pm

- For our slightly more advanced young museum-goer, join us as we create mini animations based on the Signs of the Times exhibition.

Beware of the dog = Cave Canem: Thursday 24 Feb 2022, 2pm to 4pm

- Create new signs to hang in the Roman gallery, or on your bedroom door. We'll help you translate them into Latin so they could be read by Romans.

Check out our Website to book your **FREE** place!

Children's activities at The Oxfordshire Museum | Oxfordshire County Council



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 on. <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/255089969967>




BUFC BALLERS

BANBURY PLANT HIRE COMMUNITY STADIUM
FA QUALIFIED COACHES 10-2PM, 22-24 FEB
DBS CHECKED £14 PER DAY
FIRST AID TRAINED £40 FOR ALL THREE

COMMUNITYCOACH@BANBURYUNITED.CO.UK BUFC_COMMUNITY_COACH
 07481 55933 BUFC IN THE COMMUNITY


Indoor Football Camp
February Half Term
 Jointly run by
Oxford United in the Community & Easington Sports FC
 in Banbury



ALL CHILDREN 4-13 YEARS OLD
£55 PER 3 DAYS
£25 PER DAY

Tuesday 22nd February '22
Wednesday 23rd February '22
Thursday 24th February '22
9AM - 3PM

Venue: Easington Sports FC, Addison Road, Banbury, OX16 9DH
Book Now: quitc.org/our-events/



February half term hubs
 are here...
 Holiday activities kick off on **21 Feb 2022**
 For **5-11yr old**

When?
Monday 21 - Friday 25 February 2022

Short day
 8:45am - 3:00pm
 £15.60 per session
Short day + food*
 £20.60

Long day
 8:45am - 5:00pm
 £19.80 per session
Long day + food*
 £24.80

Book through eventbrite from 24 January
www.cherwell.gov.uk/holidayactivities
 For more information or to book contact 01295 221980

cherwell.gov.uk/holidayactivities
 cherwelldistrictcouncil



This years February hubs will be running across three venues:
 Leisure Centre **Bicester**
 North Oxfordshire Academy, **Banbury**
 Leisure Centre **Kidlington**

There will be food provided..
 ..for children eligible for free school meals.
 *If those not eligible would like food this will be an extra £5 per day. A week's notice will be required and dietary requirements will also need to be provided.


Multi skills. These activities are based around the fundamentals of movement and play, agility, balance, coordination and speed. Activities are fun, working on the fundamentals and how to progress them to improve.

Fun and games. These activities are all about engaging the children and encouraging them to participate. Clap catch, parachute games, splat and more are used as introduction games.

Team games. These are normally played in the afternoon after skills have been developed throughout the day. Obstacle relays will be played along with team games such as rounders, kwik cricket, and many more.

Arts and crafts. These will run in the afternoon to cool down and cater for young people who enjoy arts and crafts.

Sessions are split into two age groups 5 to 7 and 8 to 11. Lunch breaks are supervised. Bring your own lunch. Please note we do not accept any form of childcare vouchers. Refunds will only be given if sessions are cancelled due to unforeseen circumstances. All information is correct at the time of print and is subject to change without prior notice.



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BEST YOUNG BAKERS
AGED 9 - 12

WWW.APPLYFORJUNIORBAKEOFF.CO.UK

**APPLICATIONS CLOSE
SUNDAY 13TH MARCH 2022**

Enquiries:
applyforjuniorbakeoff@loveproductions.co.uk

Mental Health Awareness for Oxfordshire Parents and Carers

We currently have some spaces left on our Mental Health Awareness workshop for parents and carers. The session is on the 1st March 2022 and I will share the link below. Please do feel free to share this in your newsletter for parents and carers to sign up. The session is delivered in the evening online and is free for all Oxfordshire residents - they will just need to enter the first part of their postcode in the part that says 'Enter PROMO code' to ensure they don't get charged.

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/mental-health-awareness-for-oxfordshire-parents-and-carers-tickets-147802211393>



Half Term Football Camp

@ St Johns RC School

Avocet Way, Banbury OX16 9YA

February 21st to February 25th



Don't forget YOURS

Now in our 20th Year!
Our FUN Camps are now located within the safe & secure environment of St Johns RC School.

Our games have been specifically designed for Boys & Girls of all abilities aged 4 - 12

Kick Off: 10.00am
Final Whistle: 3.00pm
(Drop off from 9.30am)

Call/Txt/WhatsApp Mark on

07952 579358

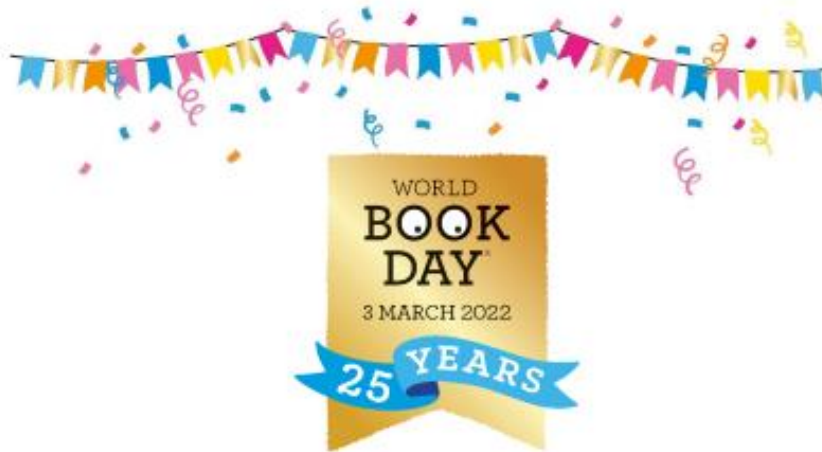
mark@markandrewsfootballcoaching.co.uk

1 day £20
2 days £35
Thereafter
£10
per day




Do YOU have any football kit, football boots or trainers that are now surplus to your requirements? We are collecting to send equipment to the children of SIERRA LEONE. Any assistance is greatly appreciated.





World Book Day® costume making session.

 Orinoco, The Oxfordshire Scrapstore

Thursday 24 February, 10:00-4:00pm.

Lock 29 Castle Quay, Event Space, Banbury

Check out [Orinoco facebook page](#) for details.

Bring along an old T-shirt and create your favourite character for World Book Day.

All children must be accompanied by an adult

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