

BISHOP LOVEDAY CHURCH OF ENGLAND SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER T5-3 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 have any symptoms, even if they have been in close contact with a positive case.

Friday 13th May 2022

Dear Parents and Carers,

We are so so proud of our year 6 children this week. They have been so committed and dedicated and have truly worked their best. A big thank you needs to go to all of the year 6 team and all of the staff who supported the children, who came in early to help with breakfast and were present during the assessments.

Next week, the year 6 children head to Devon on residential - we know they will have a fabulous time and we all look forward to hearing how they get on, on their return.

We had Clare Steadman visit us today who is writing a book. She was so inspiring and I know lots of children have already entered her competition. There is still time for children to draw their elf if they have not done so already.

We are looking to expand our team of Teaching Assistants to ensure that we are able to provide the best education to the children at Bishop Loveday C of E Primary School. If you know of anyone who would like to apply, please click here: Vacancies - Bishop Loveday Cofe Primary (bishop-loveday.oxon.sch.uk)

THIS WEEK...

Important Dates
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I am delighted to confirm that due to popular demand the BLS Summer Holiday Club will be running $w/c 25^{th}$ July and $w/c 1^{st}$ August – please see below for more details.

Nathan Allen will be in on Tuesday 24th May for GROUP Photos (All minus Year 4 who are on residential) and on Wednesday 25th May for INDIVIDUAL photographs (All plus Year 4 GROUPS), please make sure children are in full uniform and bring in their best smiles.

School Report Survey - We would be grateful if you could respond to our questionnaire about your child's school report. This survey will be available to respond to until Monday 16th May at 11pm. the link to the form is here https://forms.office.com/r/deAY3JDpvH

Please note that we finish Term 5 on Thursday 26th May for the Queen's Jubilee additional day and return on Tuesday 7th June 2022.

We hope you have a lovely weekend.

Kind regards, Mrs Dee Loader

Head of School Bishop-Loveday CE Primary School

Important Dates:

MAY 2022			
Monday 16 th May	(Year 6) Simonsbath FULL payment due		
Monday 16 th – Friday 20 th May	(Year 6) Simonsbath Residential – leaving at 8.00am		
Thursday 19 th May	(5DC) Last swimming lesson		
Friday 20 th May	(Year 4) Hill End FULL payment due		
Monday 23 rd – Tuesday 24 th May	(Year 4) Hill End Residential – leaving at 9.30am / returning at 4.00pm		
Tuesday 24 th May	(All minus Year 4) Nathan Allen GROUP photographs		
Wednesday 25 th May	(All) Nathan Allen INDIVIDUAL photographs, plus Year 4 GROUPS		
Thursday 26 th May	END OF TERM - 3.15pm		
	(Homework Club and WAC will continue as normal)		
Friday 27 th May	QUEEN'S JUBILEE DAY – School Closed		
Monday 30 th May –	MAY HALF TERM		
Friday 3 rd June			
JUNE 2022			
Monday 6 th June	INSET DAY – No children in school		
Tuesday 7 th June	TERM 6 BEGINS - 8.55AM		
Tuesday 21 st June	(Year 1) Synagogue Trip – leaving at 9.30am		

Queen's Jubilee extra day:

Queen's Jubilee Due to the Queen's Jubilee falling in half term, we have been allowed to allocate an extra day's holiday. This will be on Friday 27th May so the school will be closed on this day.

Nathan Allen School Photographs:

Tuesday 24th May (All minus Year 4) GROUP photographs

Wednesday 25th May (All) INDIVIDUAL photographs, plus Year 4 GROUPS

BLS Summer Holiday Club:

Please click here to make a booking: https://forms.office.com/r/vcmBwK2E5s



Due to the popular demand for childcare during the first two weeks of the summer holidays, we are running our Summer Club.

This will provide parents with childcare from 8.30am – 5.00pm, with the option to book full days or half days

w/c 25th July and w/c 1st August 2022

Activities included are:

Arts and crafts, den making, forest school, water fights, local walks and visits to the park!









The cost is:

Full Day £25.00 to include breakfast and snacks

(please provide a packed lunch)

Half Day £12.50 to include snack

(Childcare Vouchers accepted)

If you are interested in booking a space, please complete the on-line booking form and pay via Parent Pay by 10th June.

Our exciting week of learning:

Early Years have had a fantastic time at the Cotswolds Wildlife Park this week. We have seen and heard lots of different animals and learned about where in the world they come from. We loved going on a train around the park and looking at all the animals.

Year 1 have enjoyed writing about different endings to the fairy-tale Goldilocks and have continued their yoga programme in PE. They have looked at everyday materials and described their properties and uses. In Art they made links to their History learning of the Great Fire of London, by painting flames and are learning how to layer warm colours to create a flame page by painting curved lines and flicks. This has linked to all our learning about The Great Fire of London! We used this piece of artwork as our inspiration.



Oil on Canvas - The Heat of the Fire

Year 2 have been designing their own moving vehicles ready to make the real thing next week!! They have also received some special pets in the post- caterpillars! We are enjoying watching them transform and eagerly await them making their cocoons! In literacy, we wrote an explanation text on the lifecycle of a butterfly.

Year 3 have been busy designing aeroplanes in DT ready to make them next week.

Year 4 have started to explore electricity and circuits this week. They have used components of a basic circuit to see if they can make a light bulb light up.

Year 5 have been super scientists and have been investigating plant reproduction.



Year 6 team are super proud of every single child in Year 6 for their focus, determination and effort during SATS week. We hope you all have a wonderful time at the Residential next week.

Sports:

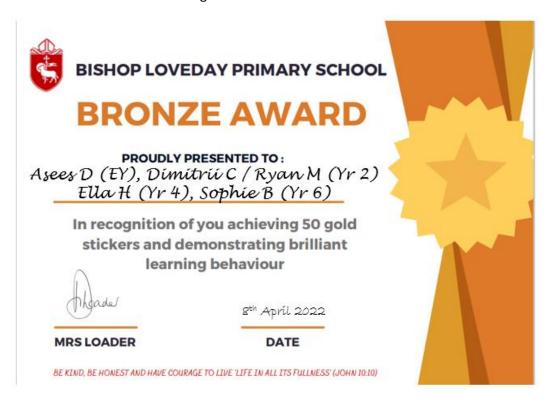
The running and Commonwealth Games clubs on Mondays and Thursday will NOT run next week due to the Sports Leaders being on residential.

Please remember from w/c 23rd May, both these clubs will recommence every Monday and Thursday at 12.15 on year 6 field for ALL Key Stage 2 pupils.

Key Stage 1 pupils can have fun with the Commonwealth Games challenges with the Play Leaders every lunchtime.

BRONZE AWARDS:

This week's BLS Bronze Awards go to...

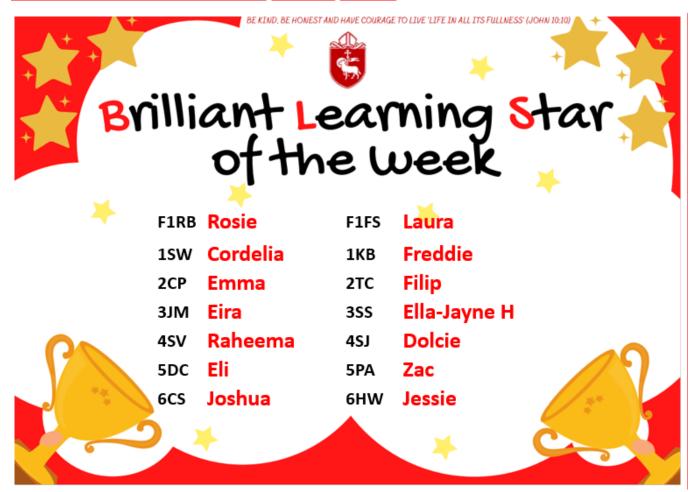


House Points:

This week's winners are....

FOREST 'Thunberg'	WATERFALL "Rashford"	SUN 'Mercury'	ICE 'Ayling-Ellis'	OCEANS 'Daley'	FIRE 'Malala'
113	128	100	129	110	123

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



FoBLS News:

Please follow our Facebook page to stay up to date of our upcoming events, communications and fun:

<u>Bishop Loveday CE Primary School | Facebook</u>



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Awards:					
Ella J (5PA) has received a certificate and badge for completing Stage 5 at Learn to Swim – now you can try to swim 25 meters in Stage 6.					
Miller R, Otis W, Stanley M, Matthew H (Year 6) have received a massive trophy for WINNERS of the Oxfordshire League Under 11's Knockout.					
HUGE CONGRATULATIONS TO YOU ALL, YOU ARE AMAZING!!					

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