



BISHOP LOVEDAY CHURCH OF ENGLAND SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER T6-1 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 17th June 2022

Dear Parents and Carers,

What a hot and sunny end to the week! Even though it is due to rain tomorrow, I think we're hoping for some nice weather before the end of term so please could I take this time to remind you that children need water bottles in school, hats and please make sure children have sun cream on before attending school. Please could I also remind you that children should not be wearing open toe sandals to school.

Due to the extreme heat today, we have decided to have a shorter assembly and will celebrate all awards in Monday's assembly instead.

We had a special visitor at school today. Mr Probert is a brass teacher from the music service, and he came in to demonstrate how all of the instruments in the brass family work. It would be lovely to have more brass players within the school as we are hoping to set up an ensemble next year. If you are interested in your child learning an instrument, please follow this

link: <https://www.oxfordshire.gov.uk/residents/music-service/music-lessons/learning-instrument>

Some of our Eco reps went to People's Park yesterday to take part in a 'planting in the park' event. They had to create a centre piece, which will be judged by the Town Council. The children were so kind and tackled the task with enthusiasm and team work. Well done to all who were involved and a huge thank you to Mrs Shadbolt, who organised the event and to Mrs Morrell, who helped with the art work.

We have been awarded GOLD for the School Games Award. A huge thank you to Mrs Gardner, who tirelessly organises events and clubs within our school. Thank you to all of the staff who support and continually bend over backwards to make these events happen.

Don't forget our Fete is fast approaching on Friday 1st July at 5pm - admission is free. We're looking forward to seeing you all there with the introduction of a whole school song to open the event.

Have a lovely weekend

Mrs Dee Loader

Head of School

Bishop-Loveday CE Primary School

THIS WEEK...

Important Dates

Our weeks of learning

Sports Day

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Important Dates:

JUNE 2022	
Tuesday 21 st June	(Year 1) Synagogue Trip – leaving at 9.30am
Monday 27 th June	(All) Transition session - meet new classes
Thursday 30 th June and Friday 1 st July	(Year 6) Wykham Park Transition
JULY 2022	
Friday 1 st July	(All) Bodicote Church School Fete – 5pm-8pm FREE ADMISSION
Monday 4 th July	(All) MOVE UP MONDAY
Friday 8 th July	SPORTS DAY KS2 will be in the morning KS1 and EYFS in the afternoon with a whole school picnic with parents invited to stay at lunchtime.
Monday 4 th – Thursday 7 th July	(Year 6) BGN School Transition Days
Monday 11 th and Tuesday 12 th July	(Year 6) The Warriner School Transition Days
Wednesday 13 th July	(Parents/Carers of 6CS) Performance 'What a Knight' 5pm
Thursday 14 th July	(Parents/Carers of 6HW) Performance 'What a Knight' 5pm
Friday 15 th July	BACK UP SPORTS DAY
Thursday 21 st July	END OF TERM - 3.15pm (Homework Club and WAC will continue as normal)
Friday 22 nd July – Monday 5 th September	SUMMER HOLIDAYS
Monday 5 th September	INSET DAY – SCHOOL CLOSED
Tuesday 6 th September	TERM 1 BEGINS - 8.55AM

Our exciting week of learning:

Early Years have had a lovely time inviting Dads/Uncles/Friends into early years today for Story Time and making a lovely surprise that will come home with children today. They have also enjoyed Rainbow challenges outside in the sunshine and loved water play to cool themselves down.

Year 1 have been enjoying their PE lessons outside in the sunshine. They have been learning about London in Geography and working with halves of numbers Maths.

Year 2 have been learning about position and direction. The children have loved programming the beebots to move around the classroom. We have also learned how to write in the first person and made spreadsheets on the computers. In Dt we are busy making our vehicles which will be coming home soon!



Year 3 have been using exciting and creative language to write their Viking Journey stories, well done everyone!

Year 4 have loved exploring the 'Flotsam' story by David Wiesner in Guided Reading. The beautiful picture book has sparked lots of conversation and great discussion using the VIPER skills. They have also improved in their rounders skills by demonstrating great tactics in their fielding and batting.

Year 5 have been studying the layers of the sun and how the planets orbit around the sun. We have also been learning about what causes years, months, night and day.

Year 6 have been completing some amazing writing, really enjoyed being on the stage for rehearsals and meeting some secondary school teachers.

Sports Day:

Friday 8th July: KS2 will be in the morning 9:15-12:15 / KS1 and EYFS in the afternoon 1:15-3:15.

Parents are invited to watch their children's Sports Day and also invited to a **whole school picnic from 12:15-1:15** – please enter via the Community Door.

Hot dinners will be replaced with a packed lunch (sandwich, veg/fruit snack, cookie & a drink). If you would like your child to have a packed lunch please book the following (alternatively please provide your own):

Main Option 1 (meat) = Ham Sandwich

Main Option 2 (vegetarian) = Cheese Sandwich

Main Option 3 (Jacket Pot) = Tuna Mayo Sandwich

(Allergies will be catered for accordingly).



Friday 15th July is BACK UP SPORTS DAY (If the weather is unsuitable on Friday 8th July).

Eco Reps @ Banbury in Bloom:

Some of our older Eco reps had a super time yesterday at Planting in the Park. It was a beautiful morning and they all worked hard with great enthusiasm. They made a careful design for their flower bed and added the centrepiece that they have been working hard on for the last 5 weeks. If you get chance to visit People's Park, go and check out the results of their hard work! Thank you to everyone involved in making the trip happen. Well done everyone!

Bishop Loveday School received an award for participating at Planting Day in the Park by Banbury Town Council.



Sports:

Please note the last sessions for the after-school sports clubs are as follows:

Rounders (Years 5&6) – Friday 15th July (please note no Rounders on Sports Day Friday 8th July)

Cricket (Boys Year 5&6) – Monday 11th July

Netball – Wednesday 13th July

NOSSP BGN Leadership Academy

Some of our **Year 6** pupils attended BGN this week to train as Leaders for the upcoming year 3 & 4 multi-skills festival. The session was led by Rory from NOSSP and year 7 pupils from BGN. They prepared our pupils in various activities, including: howler throwing, archery, tag games, relays, parachute games and tennis skills. We look forward to attending the festival next week with some of our year 3 pupils too.



We've got a busy week of inter school sport next week.

On Wednesday our **year 4 Quadkids team** who won the BGN event, will take part in the finals at NOA. Letters have gone out to the parents of the children concerned. This finishes at 6:00pm, so we are asking parents to collect their child directly from NOA.

On Thursday some of our **year 3 pupils and our year 6 Leaders** who attended training this week, will be going to BGN to take part in a Multi-skills festival. Also on Thursday our **year 5 boys cricket team** are taking part in the County Dynamos cricket finals. We will be spending the day at St Edwards School in Oxford along with other winning year 5 teams from across the county. Letters have gone out to the relevant parents for both of these events.

School Games – GOLD

The School Games Mark is a government led awards scheme launched in 2012 to reward schools for their commitment to the development of competition across their school and into the community.

We are so proud to have bounced back after the disruption of Covid to be able to offer such a broad range of opportunities for our pupils, not only at school during PE lessons and extra curriculum clubs, but also in competitive situations both within school and against other schools at external events. Our thanks goes to NOSSP for their support in helping us achieve this with their comprehensive competition calendar.



Summer Fete (Cash Only):



The poster features a vibrant background with a large yellow sun, green palm fronds, and a pink and yellow geometric pattern. At the top left, the date "01 JULY" is displayed in large black font. To the right, "BISHOP LOVEDAY SCHOOL" is written in bold black capital letters. Two overlapping event cards are shown. The left card, with a red and white triangular border, contains the following text: "St. John the Baptist Church, Bodicote and Bishop Loveday School, supported by FOBLS", "Summer Fete on Friday 1st July 5-8 pm in the school grounds White Post Road, Bodicote, OX15 4BN", "BBQ Licensed bar Entertainment and all the usual stalls", "FREE admission — all welcome", and "Proceeds to be split between the church and school". The right card, with a wood-grain border, says "FOBLS PRESENTS AT BODICOTE CHURCH SCHOOL FETE", "BARBECUE & Bar", and includes a table with "BISHOP LOVEDAY SCHOOL", "JULY 01", and "STARTS AT 5PM TILL 8PM". At the bottom, a green banner with a blue arrow points to the word "FETE", and the text "FREE ENTRY" is on the right.

01 JULY

BISHOP LOVEDAY SCHOOL

St. John the Baptist Church, Bodicote and Bishop Loveday School, supported by FOBLS

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on
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5-8 pm
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BARBECUE & Bar

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SUMMER FETE

FREE ENTRY

House Points:

This week's winners are... **ICE**

FOREST 'Thunberg'	WATERFALL 'Rashford'	SUN 'Mercury'	ICE 'Ayling-Ellis'	OCEANS 'Daley'	FIRE 'Malala'
					
81	74	81	103	102	66

Brilliant Learning Stars of the Week 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 Quona	F1FS Evie
1SW Chloe L	1KB Harry B
2CP Emma	2TC Sebastian
3JM Bella	3SS Imogen
4SV Jasmine	4SJ Jade
5DC Jaden	5PA Sofia-Rose
6CS Lexi & Jayden	6HW Isla

Bronze Awards Winners...



Awards:

Lilia M (1KB) has received a certificate and badge for achieving the British Gymnastics proficiency award for Level 8.

Abigail C (1SW) has received a certificate and badge for completing Stage 1 Learn to Swim.

Isla M (1SW) has received a certificate and badge for completing Stage 2 Learn to Swim.

Nathan T (1SW) has received a certificate and medal for achieving his Green Award at the Wade Gymnastics Club.

Parker, Joseph (2CP), Kaiden, Jack, Jenson, Rowan (3JM), Jonah (2TC), Tia, Issy (4SJ) have all received a trophy at the End of Season presentation for Easington Sports Football Club

Alfie J (2TC) has received a medal and certificate for passing his Yellow Award at the Wade Gymnastics Club.

Jonah (2TC) has received a medal for winning the tournament at the Easington Sports Football Club tournament.

Leo B (2TC) has received a medal for playing in a football competition.

Marnie P (2TC) has received a certificate for making her Brownie Promise.

Poppy L (2CP) has received a certificate and badge for completing Stage 1 Learn to Swim.

Darcy L (2CP) has received a certificate and badge for completing Stage 2 Learn to Swim.

Ryan M (2CP) has received a certificate for completing Stage 1 - Learn to Swim. You can try to jump into the pool in Stage 2 now.

Lucia (1KB), Amelie, Arianne, Nancy, Fleur (2TC), Alice, Amelie (2CP), Imogen (3SS), Poppy (4SJ), Eva (4SV) all received a medal for competing in the Sharon Green Academy of Theatre & Dance Show 2022.

Ruby F (3JM) has received a certificate and trophy for demonstrating proficiency in Street Dance Team 'Bronze Highly Commended' at the Sharon Green Academy of Theatre & Dance Show 2022.

Eira H (3JM) has received a certificate and medal for achieving her Topaz Award at the Wade Gymnastics Club.

Oki T-O (3SS) received a trophy for coming 2nd in the U9 Girls QUADKIDS at Banbury Harriers Athletics Club and also received a medal for competing in the U9 Vortex activity.

Issy W (4SJ) has received "Manager's Player" trophy at the Easington Sports Football Club End of Season Presentation.

Joseph (2CP) with his trophy that he got at the weekend for playing football



Felicity N (1SW) has received a certificate and badge for achieving Level 1 with Swim England.



HUGE CONGRATULATIONS TO YOU ALL, YOU ARE AMAZING!!

FoBLS News:

FREEZE POP FRIDAY



Early Years will be available in EY's

FoBLS PTA will be hosting the BBQ and Bar



FREE ADMISSION



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

[Bishop Loveday CE Primary School | Facebook](#)



Please continue to help and support FOBLS via



www.easyfundraising.org.uk



www.cherwelllottery.co.uk

Other News:

Summer Reading Challenge 2022



Presented by The Reading Agency.
Delivered in partnership with libraries.

Children across Oxfordshire can take part in the Challenge at their local Oxfordshire Library from **9th July to 10th September 2022**. This year the Challenge is celebrating science and innovation. As they read, the children will discover how the Gadgeteers are using their skills to come up with amazing inventions to plan an epic summer party for their community.

Children will be encouraged to read at least six library books of their choice over the summer holidays. As they read, they collect stickers (some smelly) and rewards. If they complete the Challenge, they will be rewarded with a Gadgeteers medal and certificate. They will also be entered into a countywide prize draw.

It's fun! It's free! It's local!

Our overall aim is to encourage children to carry on reading over the long summer holiday and at the same time have some fun! In previous years over 8400 Oxfordshire children have taken part in the Summer Reading Challenge and we often receive comments from parents and carers:

'The summer reading challenge has turned my child into a reader overnight!'

'We've never read so many books over the summer before!'

There's also a website the children can visit: [The Summer Reading Challenge](#)
It has ideas of books to read, games to play, competitions to enter and more....

I have attached a flyer about the Summer Reading Challenge and would be grateful if you could share it in your newsletters to parents and carers. I have also attached a Communications toolkit to help your school promote the Challenge.

For more information about the Summer Reading Challenge in Oxfordshire Libraries, visit www.oxfordshire.gov.uk/summer-reading-challenge

Please contact me if you would like to arrange an assembly at your school and we will do our best to accommodate you.

Alternatively, there is a [Powerpoint presentation](#) which could be used to promote Gadgeteers in assembly or class. There is also a [Welcome to Oxfordshire Libraries](#) video we produced for the children to enjoy.

Many thanks,

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