

# Newsletter

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Share Your Gifts

## Our school blog

As many of you will have noticed and be aware of, Miss Moore (Phoenix Class) is about to begin her journey to becoming a mum. She is expecting her new arrival just after the half term break and will, therefore, be taking some time away from school on maternity leave. We look forward to saying hello to him/her and sharing the good news with you all when baby arrives.

We are delighted to say that Phoenix class will be taught by our very own Mrs Cunningham during Miss Moore's absence. Mrs Cunningham qualified as a teacher in 2017 and prior to joining BB has successfully taught at a number of schools across the St Austell area. She also has the advantage of knowing many of the children and is of course very well respected by them and her colleagues. We are fortunate to have a qualified teacher amongst our support staff that has agreed to this new role as there are currently real difficulties in recruiting teachers.

Over the next few weeks Mrs Cunningham will spend some time with Miss Moore and Phoenix class and we are in the process of recruiting a replacement for Mrs Cunningham's responsibilities in Pelicans Class.

Have a good weekend  
Mr Gynn

## Dates for your diary

Tues 6th Feb - Lent Collective Worship / Communion (School hall, doors open 9am)

Mon 12th Feb to Fri 16th Feb - Half term / BBKids Holiday club running (see last week's newsletter or Dojo for booking info)

Fri 29th Mar 24 and Mon 1st Apr - Bank holidays (school closed)

Tues 2nd Apr 24 to Fri 12th Apr - Easter holidays

Mon 6th May - Bank holiday (school closed)

Mon 20th May to Wed 22nd May - Y5/6 residential (London)

Mon 27th May 24 to Fri 31st May - Half term

Wed 5th Jun 24 to Fri 7th Jun - Y4 residential (Kernow Sports, Hendra)

Mon 17th Jun 24 to Wed 19th Jun - Y3 residential (Porthpear)

Mon 22nd Jul, Tues 23rd Jul, Wed 24th Jul - Inset days (school closed)

Thurs 25th Jul to Fri 30th Aug - Summer holidays

## This week's achievers

Well done to the children below for following our BB Rules for Life. This week, we are celebrating our achievements in reading

### Little Doves

#### Alfie

For trying really hard to read tricky words in phonics lessons

### Little Fish

#### William

For consistently reading at home and for making fantastic progress - well done!

### Little Lambs

#### Harry

For showing great expression and fluency when reading aloud in guided reading sessions

### Peacocks

#### Amy

For working extremely hard each morning and taking charge of your own learning on Rockerbox

### Pelicans

#### Alice

You always have your head in a book and are a superstar reader. Well done for completing over 20 reading quizzes during your time in Pelicans!

### Phoenix

#### Harvey

For your amazing reading ability. You scored so highly when we took our assessments which shows what a capable reader you truly are

### Angels

#### Christian

For showing a great understanding when reading and getting a fantastic score in your recent Star Assessment!  
Well done!

### Faith

#### Ethan H

For always applying yourself in reading comprehension.  
You are a master of understanding the text!

### Hope

#### Jamie C

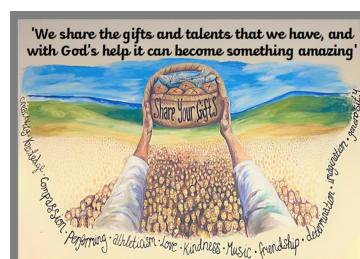
For completing your Star Reader test to an exceptional level. Well done, we are all very proud of you



This week we celebrate our Eco committee. They share their gifts and talents for saving the planet. They do so many things from helping conserve energy, encouraging people to compost and emptying the compost bins, to watering the plants.

Well done guys, we're so proud of you ALL!

Our school vision is at the heart of all we do at Bishop Bronescombe. We feel it is important to share the achievements of children who have worked hard to share their gifts and talents.



## This week's achievers...



This week, we learnt about and celebrated our school vision of forgiveness

### Little Doves

#### Bobby

For being a forgiving person and always accepting people's apologies

### Little Fish

#### Charlie

For showing forgiveness to a class mate this week

### Little Lambs

#### Evie

For always being quick to forgive your friends

### Peacocks

#### Seb

For forgiving a peer after a playground altercation

### Pelicans

#### Harry

Well done Harry for showing forgiveness during your maths lesson when another child was struggling and being very distracting

### Phoenix

#### Rozina

You always show forgiveness and you are a valued member of Phoenix class

### Angels

#### Emily H

For showing such a positive attitude, in spite of classroom challenges that you face on a daily basis!

### Faith

#### Lily

For always showing a forgiving nature. You're a star!

### Hope

#### Poppy

For always having a forgiving nature and being mature enough to understand the importance of this.

Dear God,  
Thank you for helping us to forgive each other, just like Jesus forgave us for our sins. Help our friendships continue the way they were before  
Amen



## BBFriends news...

BBFriends; our saviours!

The volunteers work hard to fundraise which in turn funds so many things for the children. You can see here an overview of our events, fundraising and expenditure for the last 18 months. Without this vital income, we wouldn't be able to do a lot of the things listed here, because as a school, we simply can't absorb the costs.

We're always on the look out for new recruits and welcome any ideas! If you're interested in becoming part of BBFriends or have any fundraising ideas, please get in touch.

Mrs Clifford

BBFriends Treasurer

Money in	£
Ice cream and refreshments sales	301.89
Non-uniform days, Valentines disco, Bingo, Summer fete, Secret Santa	2,140.48
	2,442.37
Money out	£
Sweets/snack packs for Valentines Disco	98.31
Transport	880.00
Easter treats	129.80
Postage	9.19
Ice cream, cones, scoops	55.65
Sports Day ice lollies	44.48
SATs breakfast	67.45
Y6 Leavers' BBQ	66.33
Summer fete prizes/supplies	70.79
Refreshments stock for Carol concert	57.21
Christmas treats for classes	66.65
Christmas show for whole school	500
	2,045.86

## Amazing news...

Some of our children are taking to the stage this month while they perform in two amazing productions being shown locally!

Scarlett (Y5) is in 'Jack and the Beanstalk' whilst Sennen, Bow (Y6) and Lilli (Y5) are in 'Puss in Boots'.

The girls have all been busy rehearsing for a while and we can't wait to see them in action. There are some tickets still available for both but be quick as they're selling fast!!

We're extremely proud of you all girls and well done for taking part, what an experience this will be for you all!





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### **FREE Active Travel programme designed to help adults to begin to make cycling and walking part of their everyday lives.**

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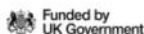
- An adult seeking to improve their mental health and wellbeing
- An adult with poor physical health (including long term health conditions)
- disabled people (adults)
- an unemployed adult
- Aged 50+

#### **REFERRAL IS ESSENTIAL**

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Providing support for you to use free tools and links to make active travel decisions and achieve sustainable travel goals through:

- 1 to 1 support of a Health Improvement Practitioner working with you to break down barriers and build walking, cycling and wheeling into your everyday life.
- Support to develop a personalised travel plan with you.
- Identify existing walking and cycling provision that you can access and support you to access it.
- Work with you to help identify your barriers to active travel.

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