

Newsletter

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Share Your Gifts

Our School Blog

We've had a lovely last week of the half term!

A group of KS1 runners represented BB with their athletic gifts and talents, with a couple gaining silver medals - well done everyone!

Some aspiring writers shared their gifts and talents of story writing when they attended a workshop at Poltair. The teacher there was blown away with their vocabulary and ideas, Mrs Lowe and Mrs Allen-Trevarton were very proud to have taken such a wonderful group who represented BB beautifully.

KS1 had their trip to Pendennis Castle. They have just completed their 'Towers, Turrets and Tunnels' unit and this trip allowed them to visit a significant historical landmark in the local area. They enjoyed exploring the castle, looking at the different artefacts that would have been used and looking at the different cannons. They particularly enjoyed the cannon that had a sound effect!

A massive thank you to Cornwall Heritage Trust for providing a very generous grant of £500 towards the cost of travel for the trip. Also, many thanks to BB friends for paying for the workshop at Pendennis Castle. Finally, many thanks to the parent helpers for supporting us on the trip.



We've had to say a sad farewell to Mr Rogers today, who leaves us to move to Bristol. He has been a valued member of the BB team and will be greatly missed (we'll even miss his pranks!!). We also waved Mrs Faull off, who will now be on maternity leave. With not long until her due date, we hope she manages to get some rest before the baby arrives and look forward to welcoming her back!

Have a great half term

Team BB

If your child is absent from school without authorisation, you will be committing an offence under the Education Act 1996. We may submit a request to Cornwall Council for a Penalty Notice to be issued, in accordance with Sections 444A and 444B of the said Act. Penalty Notices are issued per liable parent, per child and each carry a fine of £80 if paid within 21 days or £160 if paid after this but within 28 days. Failure to pay the Penalty Notice may result in legal action. Absence not authorised by the school may result in a prosecution in the Magistrates' Court under Section 444(1) or Section 444(1A) of the Education Act 1996, leading to a fine of up to £2,500 and/or a custodial sentence. Cornwall Council may also apply for the costs incurred in taking the matter to Court.

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 computing

Little Doves

Imari

For being able to talk confidently about online safety and who your trusted adults are

Little Fish

Charlie

For working diligently and using information gathered in a previous lesson to generate a pictogram

Little Lambs

James

For joining in so well with computing lessons. Well done James!

Pelicans

Liam

For sharing your skills and helping others

Peacocks

Leo

For always helping others in class during computing lessons

Phoenix

Cleo

For always giving 100% in everything you do. You persevere in ICT lessons and are becoming more confident

Angels

Sebastian

For demonstrating creativity in computing by designing an outstanding quiz based on our English topic: The Island.
Well done!

Faith

Mila

For being hugely helpful during computing lessons. You were key to making sure everyone could achieve in the lesson

Hope

Sebastian

For your amazing skills in computing, your willingness to help others and your creativity in designing a well-structured and engaging quiz. Well done!



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

Brie

For being quick to forgive others when they have made you feel upset

Little Fish

Elowen

For being quick to forgive others, not holding a grudge but aiming to get along with everyone

Little Lambs

Hallie

For being able to talk confidently about why forgiveness is important

Pelicans

Spencer

For showing understanding of others and moving on from an upsetting situation

Peacocks

Lyla

For showing the gift of kindness and understanding when others haven't behaved appropriately

Phoenix

Charlie

For showing forgiveness to your friends in class

Angels

Connor

For showing kindness and understanding when others aren't always being nice. Your actions show us that there is compassion in forgiveness

Faith

Darcie

For always showing a forgiving side. Your kindness always shines through

Hope

Caleb

For your wonderful ability to listen, consider the feeling of others, and extend forgiveness with kindness and understanding. Well done!

Dear Lord,
Thank you for technology that helps us learn and connect. Guide our hands to use computers for good and our words to be kind online.
When mistakes happen, teach us to forgive, just like You forgive us.
Help us to reset with love, like refreshing a page with grace.
Amen

Dates for your diary

Mon 17th Feb - Fri 21st Feb - Half term **BBKids holiday club running**

Sat 1st Mar - BBFriends Baby & Children's sale (see Dojo for further info)

Mon 3rd Mar - National offer day (for secondary school places)

Thurs 6th Mar - World Book day

Fri 7th Mar - Non-uniform day

Thurs 13th Mar - Class / Y6 Leavers' photos

w/c Mon 24th Mar - Extra curricular clubs finish this week

Fri 28th Mar - Rocksteady concert (2pm, school hall)

Fri 28th Mar - BBFriends Easter Fete (3.30-5pm)

Fri 4th Apr - Last day of spring term ***NO AFTERSCHOOL CLUB***

Mon 7th Apr - Mon 21st Apr - Easter holidays

Tues 22nd Apr - First day of summer term

Wed 16th Apr - National offer day (for primary school places)


Mon 5th May - Bank holiday (school closed)

Mon 26th - Fri 30th May - Half term

Wed 4th Jun - Fri 6th Jun - Y3/4 Residential at Kernow Sports, Hendra

Mon 30th Jun - Wed 2nd Jul - Y/6 Residential to Barton Hall, Torquay

Other notices...



Drop in

SEND Information event

40+ Services in attendance

March 12th
10.00am-1.00pm

Eden Project

Bring your local pass and make a day of it.



FREE!

CORNWALL COUNCIL | **Healthy Cornwall**

CRAFTERNOON

SUITABLE FOR AGES 3-12

ARTS & CRAFTS WORKSHOP

GET READY FOR A FUN-FILLED AFTERNOON OF IMAGINATION AND HANDS-ON CREATIVITY!

FALMOUTH, 17TH FEBRUARY
13:00 - 14:30, THE PARK FAMILY HUB

ST AUSTELL, 18TH FEBRUARY
12:30 - 14:00, WOODLAND ROAD FAMILY HUB

ST DENNIS, 19TH FEBRUARY
12:30 - 14:00, CLAYTAWC

TO REGISTER, GET IN TOUCH:
01872 324200
HEALTHY.CORNWALL@CORNWALL.GOV.UK

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THE LITTLE MERMAID

"A MER-MAZING ADVENTURE"

18TH - 22ND FEB 2025
@
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THIS FEBRUARY HALF TERM



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BUY ONE ADULT TICKET & GET ONE **FREE** CHILDS TICKET AVAILABLE FOR SELF-GUIDED ENTRY

EXPLORE HISTORY, MYSTERY & THE IMMERSIVE DARK WALK.

Everyday from 15th - 23rd Feb
Childs ticket is aged 15 & under

Tuesday 18th February
11am to 3pm

ACTIVITY DAY AT THE HUGS FOUNDATION!

For families with children when a parent/carer has a terminal illness

Forest School Based Activities
Equine Based Activities
Memory Scrapbook Making

Lunch Included
£5 PER Family
Booking essential






Limited accessibility venue

 in partnership with 

gimmers kids



BBFriends
 Invite you to our
Baby & Children's Sale
 in the school hall at
Bishop Bronescombe School

Saturday 1st March
 Open to the public from 10am - 1pm
FREE entry

Hire a table for £10 and sell your unwanted baby
 and children's clothing and items

or just pop along to see what preloved bargains
 there are

cash only please

**Secondhand school uniform available from
 BBFriends (50p per item)**

to book a table please message the BBFriends Events FB page






BBFRIENDS
 INVITE YOU TO JOIN US
 FOR OUR

**EASTER
 FETE**

After school
 3:30pm - 5pm

Friday 28th March
 2025




BBFriends are accepting donation of any unwanted items for this sale.

All proceeds go back into treating the children.

They can accept donations up until Wednesday 26th Feb.