

Newsletter

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Our School Blog...

In response to an action point at a recent local governing body meeting, we have conducted reviews of the risk assessments in place for the start and end of day procedures in the school. Therefore, after the half term break, all Y5 and Y6 pupils will need to use the main gates and Boldventure side gate only so that we can use the small car park for disabled access and the increasing number of taxis that bring pupils into school.

We understand that this change may take a while to get used to as the existing measures have been in place since social distancing protocols were necessary. However, the advantages of opening a third gate onto the school site and splitting the entry of junior pupils are outweighed by the increasing traffic and the need to use the disabled car parking facility more frequently.

We are happy for parents to access the school playgrounds; so those parents and carers of pupils in Y5 and Y6 that previously waited for their children by the small carpark, will be able to wait on the junior playground next to the KS2 play equipment for their child at 'home time'.

May I also take this opportunity to remind you that the 'drop off' bay in front of the school should be considered a 'no waiting' area so that we can keep the traffic flowing freely at peak times.

I'm so pleased to share with you that Miss Burr will be returning to Stars class from maternity leave next week! Mrs Mullen and Miss Burr will share leading the class and have been closely planning together so there will be no disruption to daily routines or teaching. Whilst I'm sure Miss Burr will be sad to be away from her daughter, we at school are thrilled to be welcoming her back.

Lastly, please make sure you have read the letter that was sent out today via email (also available on your child's class story page on Dojo). It contains important information regarding the NEU industrial action taking place next week.

Have a good weekend

Mr Gynn

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

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

Little Doves

Tyler

For confidently identifying the properties of different materials

Little Fish

Leo

For your contribution in science lessons and your contributions in both new learning and in topic flashbacks too

Little Lambs

George

For fantastic work this week investigating materials and their properties

Peacocks

Alex

You joined in enthusiastically with the class discussion about how different instruments change pitch

Pelicans

Demelza

For your excellent knowledge of sound and how it is created

Phoenix

William

For your amazing recall of learning about sound

Angels

Jamie

For having a wonderfully curious mind and asking insightful questions during your science lesson this week!

Faith


Alex

For showing great care in the presentation of your science work

Hope

Jowan

For your impressive knowledge of plants in science lessons!



This week's achievers...



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

Little Doves

Chloe

For facing your fear and standing up in front of the class to play maths splat

Little Fish

Lowenna

For having the courage to contribute more in class inputs

Little Lambs

Ella

For having the courage to share your interests and join in with your peers in small work groups this week

Peacocks

Amy

You have been joining in with reading lessons which shows bravery and courage - well done

Pelicans

Oscar

For showing great courage and determination in PE to become our tag-rugby champion!

Phoenix

Olivia

For having the courage to read aloud to an adult and complete a quiz afterwards!

Angels

Ruby

For having the courage to challenge yourself in maths this week, completing a range of increasingly complicated calculations and embracing your learning!

Faith

Courtney

For showing amazing courage in class to volunteer and read aloud

Hope

Charlie

For always coming into school with your positive attitude every day

Dear God,
Thank you for your protection and care. Thank you Jesus that you came to Earth to show us how to live. Please continue to be the light to guide us through the darkness, helping us to learn how to follow your way and be courageous just as you teach us
Amen

Match reports

Y5/6 Netball

What a win! I am so proud of the girls, who dominated the court from the offset and were victorious against Lostwithiel!

Well done to Elizah (captain) for her court coverage, Mia for her shooting, Lily for her defending, Keevy for her intercepting, Ruby for always finding the space, Annie for her speed and Ophelia whose confidence grew as the match went on and scored a beauty of a point right at the end!

The girls all worked together as a team, communication was super and their hard work paid off. It's been a long time coming but they got their win!

Mrs Provis

Result: BB 14 - 1 Lostwithiel

Y5/6 Football

I would like to give a big round of applause to the BB school football team for their commitment. Also, a big well done to Jenson for getting everyone involved., to Jaxx for scoring the winning goal and the whole team for their determination and courage. Well done team!

Man of the match - Tyler

Mr D

Result: BB 1 - 0 Lostwithiel

Y3/4 Football

After a few cancelled matches BB football team were able to dust off their boots and get back to the pitch.

BB looked threatening from the off, with pretty much all of the possession they were challenging for a goal. Their efforts were rewarded when Piran struck the ball from outside the penalty area and the ball saw the back of the net just before half time. Not long into the second half, Benji and Beau fought through the defence to tip the ball to Sam, who slotted it in with his cool, calm and collected manner. Lostwithiel had a bit of an attack later on but after a hassle in the box, Jed cleared the shot.

A couple of shots from Piran and Sam were denied by Lostwithiel's keeper and then Jed saved another shot, ensuring a clean sheet for the game. A few more shots from BB were either saved or just wide, but Lostwithiel's keeper definitely earned his stripes in this game!

Man of the match - Kaiser

Match report from BB biggest fan.....Mrs Horwell

Result: BB 2 - 0 Lostwithiel

Dates for your diary

Monday 30th January - YR vision screening

Thursday 2nd February - YR Fluoride Varnish application

Friday 3rd February - BB Friends non-school uniform

Thursday 9th February - BB Friends Valentines Disco (further details to follow)

Friday 10th February - KS1 Pendennis Castle trip

Thursday 2nd March - World Book Day

Friday 31st March - Last day of the spring term ***No BB kids after school club on this day***

Monday 17th April - First day of the summer term

Monday 8th May 2023 - Additional Bank Holiday for the King's Coronation (school closed)

2022-23 Inset Days - Mon 24th July 2023, Tues 25th July 2023