# BYLEY PRIMARY SCHOOL & NURSERY

# NEWSLETTER

Friday 6th January 2023



## A message from Miss Whittingham:

The children have continued to work hard and impressed teachers with their attitudes to learning and work. I was very impressed to read a lovely story that Amber in Reception had written - it was 10 pages long! Super work, Amber!

Computers: I would just like to say a huge 'Thank you' to one of our parents - Mr Allan-McLean - for the donation of 15 laptops from his workplace. They are certainly going to have a very positive impact on the children's ICT work and will support in other curriculum area too.

**Visitors:** on Monday, we had visitors from our local English Hub. The Principal and head from Lacy Green came to look at our teaching of Phonics and Early Reading. They were impressed by our children - particularly their behaviour and learning.

I had a lovely morning teaching Years 5 and 6 on Wednesday - what a super group of children - they are certainly setting a great example to the rest of the school and the Year 6 children will undoubtedly be ready for the transition to secondary school in a few months' time! I am looking forward to accompanying them on their trip to York in a few weeks.

Byley Busy Buddies: Just a reminder that we run great Breakfast and After School Clubs every day at very reasonable rates.

The times and very reasonable costs are:

Breakfast Club: 7:45 until start of school - £4.00 (£2.50 per sibling) After School Club - end of school until 6pm - £7.50 (£5.00 per sibling) Please see below for the contact number, or call into the school office to pick up forms/book your child/ren in. Lots of exciting activities are planned for the upcoming term.

I hope you have an enjoyable weekend and thank you for your continuing support,

Elizabeth Whittingham

(Headteacher)

### This Week's Attendance Figures:

Whole School - 97.8%

Reception - 96.5%

Years 1/2 - 97.2%

Years 3/4 - 99.6%

Years 5/6 - 97.8%

Super attendance again this week - Thank you!

Letters/emails sent out recently:

Year 3/4 residential trip

### School Dinners

Please remember dinner money is now £2.41 and paid via PARENTPAY

#### 3-week menus on website.

Next Week's Lunch Menu:

#### Week 3

Cost for the 7 weeks the children are

in school - Spring 1 Daily £2.41

Weekly: £12.05

Half term £79.53 (33 days)

# Byley Busy Buddies PLEASE REMEMBER TO BOOK & PAY IN ADVANCE

Please use the Busy Buddies phone number to book **07879 967701** (Our club closes as 6pm. Late collection will result in additional charges.)

#### PTA

NEXT MEETING - 25.01.2023 @ 7pm in school

**Important Diary Dates:** 

25<sup>th</sup> Jan 2023 PTA meeting - 7pm in school Weds 1<sup>st</sup>-Fri 3<sup>rd</sup> Feb Year 5&6 Residential to York

Weds 1<sup>st</sup> Feb

Year 1&2 visit to Nantwich Museum

Fri 17<sup>th</sup> Feb

Break for half term at 3:15pm

Mon 27<sup>th</sup> Feb Children return to school

Mon 6<sup>th</sup> Mar Learn With Me - English - Year 1&2 - 9am start

Mon 13<sup>th</sup> Mar Learn With Me - EYFS

Weds 22<sup>nd</sup> Mar Parents' Evening - school hall 3:30pm - 5:30pm \*\* Year 1&2 only\*\*

K52 Spring Concert - 6:30pm in school hall

Thurs 23<sup>rd</sup> Mar Learn With Me - Year 3&4

Mon 27th Mar Parents' Evening - school hall 3:30pm - 5:30pm - EYFS, Year 3&4, Year 5&6

Weds 29th Mar Parents' Evening - school hall 3:30pm-7pm - Whole Sch

Thurs 30<sup>th</sup> Mar Learn With Me - Year 5&6

-Whole School



Please help raise funds for our school by checking out through the easy fundraising website. It's easy to do and costs nothing. Go to the link:

www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/byleypta/

Click on support cause and then create an account. This means you can then visit thousands of websites through the easyfundraising site and the retailers will make a small donation to the PTA.

You can also set up reminders on your toolbar so that when you visit one of the named sites it will ask you if you want to donate - this will not cost you ANYTHING and saves you visiting easyfundraising to see your chosen shopping site is listed.

Any funds the PTA make go straight back into making our school an even better learning environment for our children, so any help is greatly appreciated.

If you need any more information, please contact:

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