

# Byley Primary School and Nursery - Newsletter

Friday 9<sup>th</sup> May 2025



**A message from Miss Whittingham:** it has certainly been a busy week this week - even with the Bank Holiday! Year 6 have been preparing for next week (SATs week) and have been fabulous! Year 5 have been very supportive of their classmates and been as wonderful as ever. All classes have been producing artwork for Middlewich FAB Festival that will go up in the Church over the FAB weekend. The children are also working on group artwork for the Northwich Education Partnership art exhibition - more details to follow.

**Year 5/6 Football Tournament:** Miss Shackleton, Miss Donaldson and Mrs Bebbington accompanied the Year 5/6 football team to the Middlewich Schools' Partnership tournament yesterday. They played extremely well, making it through to the semi-final stage where they were pipped at the post. It was lovely to hear back from the staff about how well the team played AS WELL as their team spirit, determination and fabulous behaviour! Well done to all the players, we are very proud of you.

**Fab Festival:** Caz came into school on Tuesday morning to teach the children the songs that are being performed on the stage on the Sunday morning of the FAB Festival. She was very impressed. I am hoping we have a great turnout from Byley for this - as always.

**VE Day afternoon tea:** this took place yesterday. It was so lovely to see the Year 6 children deep in conversation with our visitors. I am hoping that this is the beginning of a regular event where the senior members in our community come into school for a cup of tea, cake and activities with groups of children. More details about this will be sent out.

**Dates:** please see below for upcoming dates - e.g. sports day, KS2 Show, reports etc.

**Lunchtime stars:** I enjoyed having lunch with Roman, Calla, Martha, Hattie, Lois and Darcy this week. I am looking forward to having lunch with children from Year EYFS and Year 3/4 next week.

Thank you for your continued support, Elizabeth Whittingham (Headteacher)

## Our Weekly Attendance Figures

**Whole School - 95.6%**

Reception -	98.6%
Years 1/2 -	87.5%
Years 3/4 -	98%
Years 5/6 -	98.3%

## School Dinners

Please remember dinner money is now **£2.55** and paid via **PARENTPAY**

**3-week menus are on the school website.**

Next Week's Lunch Menu: **Week 1**

Cost for the 6 weeks the children are in school - **Summer 1**

Daily	£2.55
Weekly	£12.75
Half term	£58.65 (23 days)


## Important Diary Dates:

Mon 12 <sup>th</sup> May	Start of KS2 SATs week
Mon 19 <sup>th</sup> May	Class Photos - 9am
Weds 21 <sup>st</sup> May	Sports Day 1:15pm
Fri 23 <sup>rd</sup> May	Break for half term
Mon 2 <sup>nd</sup> June	School reopens - 8:40am
Wk Beg. 2 <sup>nd</sup> June	Swimming pool in school for 2 weeks
Tues 10 <sup>th</sup> June	EYFS Science Learn With Me @ 9:00am
Tues 17 <sup>th</sup> June	Y3/4 Science Learn With Me @ 9:00am
19 <sup>th</sup> & 20 <sup>th</sup> June	Moving Up Days 1 & 2
Mon 23 <sup>rd</sup> June	Y1/2 Science Learn With Me @ 9:00am
Tues 1 <sup>st</sup> July	Y5/6 Science Learn With Me @ 9:00am
Wk Beg. 7 <sup>th</sup> July	KS2 Show Week - dates to be confirmed
Fri 11 <sup>th</sup> July	Reports out
Mon 14 <sup>th</sup> July	Open Afternoon from 2:30pm - 5:30pm
Fri 18 <sup>th</sup> July	School closes for the summer break

## FAB (Friends At Byley)

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/](http://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/byleypta/)

Click on support cause and then create an account. This means you can then visit the easyfundraising site and the retailers will make a small donation to the FAB.  **easyfundraising** the feel good shopping

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 FaB 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: Catherine Peake-Wildman [wildmanc19@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:wildmanc19@yahoo.co.uk)

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