

BYLEY PRIMARY SCHOOL & NURSERY

NEWSLETTER

Friday 23rd September 2022



A message from Miss Whittingham:

Despite being a shorter week, it has been very busy. The children are continuing to impress me with their attitudes to school life and behaviour. I was delighted to be able to interview the Year 6 children with Mr Trude for the different leadership roles. Every child completed an application form and went through a short interview. The roles were announced in Assembly today. I was so proud of them all.

The roles are:

Head Boy - Marley; Head Girl - Phoebe;
House Captains: Beech - Kara; Fir - James; Ash - Clair; Elm - Lacey
Junior Safety Officers: Charlotte, Jessica
Eco Warrior - Sam

Sports Captains: Robert, Bethany

School Councillors: Lottie, Cian

School Councillors in other year groups: Year 5 - Ryley, Year 4 - Darcy, Year 3 - Ellie, Year 2 - Maisie, Year 1 - Holly, Reception - Amber

The Macmillan coffee afternoon is next Friday - 30th September from 2pm.

Information about this has been sent with the newsletter.

Cycle to School Week - 3rd - 7th October: An email with more detailed information about this was sent out earlier today. There are different ways to take part and get involved. Visit <http://www.bikeability.org.uk/cycletoschoolweek> for more information. you do cycle with your child to school, their bikes can be locked to the railings inside school. Please ensure your child wears a helmet.

Mr Burgess raised over £600 for his charity - Victa. This will be matched by Barclays to over £1200. Mr Burgess was very grateful for the bottle donations and thanks you for your support. We wish him well in the London Marathon next week. Please continue to **encourage your child to read at home**. Every Monday morning, children's reading diaries are taken in. If a child has read 3 or 4 times in the week, they get 1 spot on their chart. If they have read 5 times or more, they get 2 spots. Once they reach 20 spots, they will receive a certificate in our Friday Celebration Assembly. Reading regularly - or being read to - very much supports children with developing their understanding, confidence, reading fluency and writing.

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

Our Weekly Attendance Figures

Whole School - 95.2%

Reception - 97.1%

Years 1/2 - 94.8%

Years 3/4 - 94.6%

Years 5/6 - 94.6%

Letters/emails sent out recently:

Cycle to school week - email

Data Collection sheets/ Home School Agreement. Please return asap

Macmillan coffee afternoon information - with this newsletter

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 1

Cost for the 7 weeks the children are in school - Autumn 1

Daily £2.41

Weekly: £12.05

Half term £84.35 (30 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 at 6pm. Late collection will result in additional charges.)

PTA

The PTA needs your support to be able to continue with events and raise money to support the school. It is also a great way to get involved in school life and get to know other parents.

Over the next few weeks, information will be sent out with the date and time of the next meeting.

It would be great to see as many new and familiar faces as possible!

Important Diary Dates:

Fri 30th Sept. Macmillan Coffee Afternoon - from 2pm

Fri 7th Oct. School Photos (siblings welcome) - more info to follow

Fri 14th Oct Flu Vaccine - whole School

Mon 17th Oct Open afternoon - prospective parents for Reception '23

Weds 12th Oct Parents' Evenings via schoolcloud 3:30pm-5:30pm (Yrs 1&2 only)

Tues 18th Oct Parents' Evenings via schoolcloud 3:30pm-5:30pm (Years 3-6 & EYFS)

Weds 19th Oct Parents' Evenings via schoolcloud 4pm-6:30pm (whole school)

<http://byleyprimary.schools.uk.com>



Byley Primary 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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For young people 0-25 with
Special Educational Needs or
Disability