



Bridstow CE Primary School Newsletter

Thursday 4th May 2017

Diary Dates

MAY

- **Friday 5th 10.15am**
Celebration Assembly for Parents/Carers
- **Monday 8th /Tuesday 9th**
CL3 Residential to YHA St Briavels Castle
- **Mon 8th - Thurs 11th**
KS2 Tests (SATs)
- **Monday 15th**
Y6 Bikeability Cycle Training
- **Friday 26th**
Last Day

JUNE

- **Monday 5th**
Return to school
- **Monday 12th**
Photographer in school
Class/Leavers/Whole School
- **Saturday 17th**
PTFA Summer Fayre
- **Thursday 29th**
Y6 Induction Day at JKHS

This month's value is
HOPE

Summer Term

As you may be aware, the Summer Term gets very busy very quickly! The school calendar is filling rapidly with sports fixtures, day trips, residential trips, Summer Fayre, tests, performances and so much more. The children will, as ever, be busy and happy and the staff will be doing their best to keep up with them!

We realise that many/most of you do not get to see how happy and busy breaktimes are, but we are lucky as a school to have such a big field that the children can use at this time of year. The field has been back in action now for some time at morning and lunchtime breaktimes where the children love playing such a variety of games from their own imaginary games to practising gymnastics and dancing, football (of course), cricket, bouncy hoppers and running races. The playground is now set up for tennis at breaktimes with 3 child-sized tennis nets.

Later in the term, the whole-school performance will take place (July) in which all the children will take part with the older children having the major parts. The performance is always a special event in this school and something that the children look forward to and work hard for.

Cricket after school club

As Mr Evans will be with our class 3 residential trip, Cricket club will **not** be held on **Monday 8th May**.

School garden fundraising lunch

On Sunday 14th May, Vicki Page and Tess Walton who are well known to many people, will be holding one of their charity Sunday Roast Lunches in our school hall. This time, the money raised will go towards our school gardening project. Please support this by buying tickets and coming along and enjoying one of these delicious lunches. To book your place, please get in touch with Mrs Page on 07929 198742 or email apullen@bridstow.hereford.sch.uk (full details on back).

Letters, forms and money

It helps us a lot if letters and forms that come into school are either sent in with your children to hand in at registration or left in the post box in the reception lobby. Please could you put any money in an envelope with name of child and a brief word or two about what it is for and again send in with child or leave in post box.

Parent gardening help

Is anyone willing to give a tiny bit of time to help dig and weed thoroughly some of the vegetable beds ready for the Gardening Club and classes to start using? Although Gardening Club made a good start on this last term, a bit of adult input would make it easier for the children to use the beds sooner rather than later for sowing and planting. If you could spare half an hour or a bit longer after school (maybe when your children are at another club) to do a bit of light digging then please get in touch with me either by seeing me in the playground before or after school or alternatively, emailing me: apullen@bridstow.hereford.sch.uk

Car park safety

Please can we remind you that children should not play in the school car park at any time of day. Although we understand that parents/carers sometimes need to talk before or after school, children should stay in cars or be closely supervised by their parent/carers away from any areas which can be used by vehicles.

Charity Lunch in Aid of Bridstow School Gardening Project

Sunday May 14th

12.30-1.00pm

Adults £8.00 Children £5.00

Price includes a choice of beef, turkey or
vegetarian main meal; dessert; glass of wine
or fruit juice.

To book a place please contact

Mrs Page 07929 198742

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