

BLETCHINGDON PAROCHIAL CE PRIMARY SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER

8th July 2016

Dear Families

We are very proud of you...

Well done to all our children for being brave and 'moving up' a year group yesterday. For some, this meant a new classroom and / or a new teacher. For others it meant catching the bus to school and finding their way around a large campus.

Year 3 / 4 parents – you should be very proud of your children. They were great ambassadors for the school during their trip to Chedworth. Not only were Miss Follen, Mrs Jones and I proud of your exemplary behaviour, but Miss Follen received several compliments from members of the public. Well done.

Collection for Mrs Jenny Hardy

If you would like to make a donation towards a leaving present for Mrs Hardy, please see Jackie in the office or leave it in an envelope in the post box inside the school foyer.

Mobile Phones

Please can we remind you that NO child should have a mobile phone in school. IF a child is seen with a phone, it will be confiscated until the end of the school day.

Sports' Day for Year 1 – Year 6

A big thank you to Stuart for running our Sports' Day this year.

Soak the Sixes

This traditional event is taking place on Monday 11th July in the courtyard at 3pm. Please come along and join in this fun activity to raise money for the Year 6 Leavers' BBQ. Access will be through the Year 1/2 and 3/4 cloakrooms.

Year 6 Leavers' BBQ

This is taking place on Thursday 14th July in school at 6pm.

School Lunches

As from September 2016, lunches will only be ordered if paid for a week in advance. Lunches will need to have been ordered by the previous Monday for the following week.

School Uniform

The deadline for online ordering of school uniform for home delivery (a delivery charge is made) is 12th August 2016. Please use the online ordering site www.bletchingdon.gooddies.co.uk. **May we just remind you that our uniform is:**

BOYS

black trousers, school polo shirt and sweatshirt with logo

black shoes – indoors

trainers – outdoors

GIRLS

black trousers (NOT leggings) or black skirt/pinafore, school polo shirt and sweatshirt or sweatshirt cardigan with logo

green and white summer dress

black low heel shoes – indoors

trainers - outdoors

PE

indoor – black shorts, sports T shirt with logo, white/black socks

outdoor – as above, plus black tracksuit, trainers

No Jewellery should be worn. In the case of pierced ears, a small pair of gold or silver studs may be worn.

SWIMMING

Our final swimming session is on Monday 18th July. This term each class will have had 5 sessions so we are asking for a voluntary payment of **£5 per pupil** .

OLYMPICS 2016 Lunch

Food with More are offering a special lunch in celebration of the Olympic Games on Tuesday 19th July. Cost £2.10.
Murray's Curry with Rio Rice and The Nations Naan **or** Farah's Fajitas with Pentathlon Salad
Jessica's Jelly with Ice Cream **or** Wiggy's Watermelon Frozen Wedges

PTA News

The **PTA AGM** will be held during the Teddy Bears Picnic on Thursday 14th July at 3:15pm. For those interested, please come along and listen to the current members and see how you could help fundraise for our school.

Dates for your diary:

Thursday 14th July PTA Teddy Bears' Picnic - school field @ 3pm
Monday 18th July EYFS 'All Creatures Great and Small' assembly @9am
 End of year performance
Tuesday 19th July Y6 Leavers' Service - 2:15pm – St. Giles Church, Bletchington
Wednesday 20th July Leavers' Assembly 9.00am 'ish - Term finishes at 1.30pm

Summer Holidays

Monday 5th Sept. School Starts

Food & More

Our school meal provider Food & More are currently looking to recruit a general kitchen assistant to work alongside Natasha our school cook from September 2016.

12 noon – 1:15pm Monday/Tuesday & Thursday 12noon – 1:30pm Wednesday & Friday
Total Hours 6 ¾

For further details please call Julie Brown 07979 501237 or email: Julie.brown@carillionplc.com

Yours sincerely

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