



Bishops Tawton Primary School Newsletter

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Friday 15th December 2017

Dear Parents/carers,

This week saw another amazing performance from the children when they sang their hearts out at the Christingle on Tuesday in the village church. Thank you to Reverend Dodwell who led the service and to the church ladies who made all the Christingles. Thank you to those of you who came along to enjoy the event. The children sang and behaved impeccably, especially Codden class who created the nativity tableau. I am very proud of all of them.

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We wish you all a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!

Christmas Jumper Day

We raised £115 for Save the Children today, thank you everyone!

The children have had fun today at their Christmas parties and everyone received a gift from Father Christmas...HO HO HO! Thank you Santa! It's now over to you for the build up to Christmas day!



Christmas Lunch



Jacqui and Gail fed 200 on Tuesday when Pre-school children; staff and parents joined us for a delicious Christmas dinner. Many thanks to the Kitchen and lunchtime staff for all their hard work.

Pre-School News

What an exciting week we have had! We have been learning our Christmas songs and getting prepared for our Christmas party. The children enjoyed seeing Santa this afternoon.

We wish you all a very merry Christmas and look forward to seeing you when we return on Wednesday 3rd January. ***Toddler Group Mondays 10-11.30am**



Reminders...A new year a new start...

Uniform: We are proud of our high standards in school, this includes the uniform code. Please make sure your child has the correct uniform and shoes for the new year. If they do not you must write a note of explanation. Also, please make sure **all** items of clothing are named so they can be returned easily.

Parking: We know parking is difficult **BUT** please park safely so as not to risk endangering a life.

Lateness: We have noticed an increase in children arriving late after registration. Register closes at **8.45am**, your child must be in school by this time. If they are late you will have to sign them in at the main office.

Please note your child is not supervised after 3.15pm or before 8.35am

100% Attendance

Well done to all the children who achieved their bronze attendance award today!

Thank you: Everyone in our school community works incredibly hard in order to do the very best for the children. Thank you for your compliments and words of encouragement, they mean a lot to us all and encourage us to keep trying out new ideas and ways to make learning fun!

Dates:

First day back for children: Wednesday 3rd January 2018

On site After School Child Care Claire's Nurseries

Mon-Thursday 3.15-5.30pm

£3.50 per hour including a snack

Just call to enquire and book your child's place:

01271 346529

**Please note that you must pay promptly for this child care*

Wishing you all a very Merry Christmas, health and happiness for 2018!

Melanie Smallwood

After school clubs next term

Clubs will start in week 2

W/B 8th January



Munch Time Menu

Price £2.20

MUNCHBOX FILLINGS: Bacon* (Thursday Only) Ham*, Cheese, Chicken* or Tuna unless stated (order at registration in class)

ALL MEALS PROVIDED WITH THE PUDDING OPTION AND A DRINK

Week Beginning: Wednesday 3rd January, 2018

DAY	MUNCH MEAL	VEGGIE MUNCH	MUNCHBOX	PUDDING
MON				
TUES				
WEDS	Roast Chicken* with Roasted Potatoes, Carrots, Broccoli, Sage & Onion Stuffing Ball & Gravy	Oven baked Vegetable Fingers with Roasted Potatoes, Carrots, Broccoli or Side Salad	Wrap with choice of filling and choice of fruit & salad	Homemade Plain Shortbread, Fresh Fruit Basket or Yogurt Milk or Water
THURS	Homemade Chicken* Supreme (chicken in a creamy sauce) with mixed vegetables, side salad & a chunk of homemade bread	Oven baked Cheese & Onion Slice with salad	NEW Bacon* Roll or Roll with choice of filling and choice of fruit & salad Or Tomato Soup & Roll	Homemade Iced Apple (from our own orchard) & Sultana Sponge, Fresh Fruit or Yogurt Milk or Water
FRI	Homemade Cheese & Tomato Pizza with Wholewheat Pasta Twists, Peas or Side Salad	Homemade Quorn Stew & Mashed Potato	Wrap with choice of filling and choice of fruit & salad	BT Selection Day Milk or Water

All Items Subject To Availability

***All fresh meats from Philip Dennis Family Butcher at Roundswell in Barnstaple**

Please see kitchen for allergy advice if required