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MULTI-ACADEMY TRUST

"Learning that lasts a lifetime"

## Newsletter

### Shrove Tuesday / Pancake Day

We are, once again, holding our annual Pancake Day races this year but with a twist!!

Yesterday, children from Reception to year 6 participated in 3 events: Best pancake-tosser, Pancake toss and run and Pancake obstacle race. The winner of each event in EYFS / KS1 and KS2 were selected to represent the school at the inaugural MAT Pancake Day Grand Finals at Grampound Road during the afternoon of Tuesday, 9th February. Congratulations to Kendal, Ed and Tilly Phillips in KS2 and Jake, Piran and Morgan in KS1 who battled their way through to the finals. Good luck!

We will still be holding our Pancake Day races in school on the day. Please ensure your child brings in a frying pan (named, if possible) and a pancake (real or 'pretend'). We will, of course, be reminding children of the reasons why we celebrate Shrove Tuesday in this way and will be holding our Ash Wednesday Communion on Wednesday, 10th February at 9:15am. All are welcome to attend!



### BB FRIENDS - VALENTINE'S DISCO

Friday 12th February

Rainbows/KS1 **3.30pm - 4.15pm**

KS2 **4.30pm - 5.30pm**

£1 ENTRY £1 SNACK PACK PAY ON THE DOOR ON THE DAY

Wear something Red (optional)

Please note there will be no homework club this week.




We are pleased to announce that this half term the winning team is the **RED** team and their reward will be not having to wear school uniform on Friday 12th February.

Well done!!



### Attendance by Class

Congratulations to Little Fish Class with 99.0% attendance.

Rainbows 1	96.4
Rainbows 2	93.1
Little Doves	96.7
Little Fish	99.0 
Little Lambs	84.0
Peacocks	95.2
Phoenix	95.7
Pelicans	96.7
Angels	94.5
Faith	95.0
Hope	92.1

### Safer Internet Day 2016—Tuesday 9th February

Safer Internet day aims to promote the safe, responsible and positive use of digital technology for children and young people. The staff recently received online safety refresher training from South West Grid for Learning so are well prepared for the day.



We want to enable the children at Bishop Bronescombe to become good 'digital citizens', but we need your help! We encourage you to visit the safety page on the school website (use the QR code) and to talk to your child about their online behaviour outside of school. Do you know what games and apps they are using, what youtube videos they like to watch?

The half term homework will also focus around this theme—look out for that next week.



### The School Council Conference

We were very proud of our School Council who attended our Trust's School Council Conference on Friday. They gave a presentation about our school to the other councils, had a look around Grampound Road School and worked on the values and vision for our Trust of schools. The children were a credit to BB.

### Chinese New Year

Tuesday 9th February

Sweet and Sour Chicken

Or

Vegetable Stir Fry

Egg Noodles

Steamed Rice

Stir Fried Vegetable

Sticky Bananas

in a Honey Sauce

Or

Fresh Fruit Platter

Or

Frozen Mango Yoghurt



As the evenings are drawing out, after the February half term BBKids will go back to being picked up at the KS1 classrooms.

If you need to drop anything off to Reception in the mornings or afternoons, please use the post box located in reception. This will alleviate any time waiting around.

Thank you



### BAD WEATHER EMERGENCY PROCEDURES

In the event of snow or extremely bad weather, we will text out to all parents any closure news. It will also be posted on our website and on Radio Cornwall/Pirate FM. If we take the decision to close the school during the school day, you do not need to contact us before collecting your child as this would only overload the telephone lines. Please rest assured we will NOT close the school until all children have been collected.

Many Thanks



### Carpark/Parking

Please could you ensure you do not park in either of the staff car parks, this is solely for disabled drivers and the taxi pick up point.

Also there have been some complaints from residents of Boscoppa Road, could you please not park on the pavements, as this can be hazardous. Many Thanks



**WORLD BOOK DAY—3RD MARCH**  
Children to come dressed up as their favourite book character.