

BUDE PRIMARY ACADEMY NEWSLETTER: FRIDAY 20TH MARCH



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All our communication with parents during this time will be via email. Please ensure we have the correct email address. To check this please log on to your Arbor app and if changes are required please email

secretary@budeprimary.org with

- Childs name
- Your name
- Relationship to child
- Correct email address



Dear Parents and Carers,

As I have mostly been working beyond headship for 5 years, I did not expect to feel ownership and belonging as a senior leader in a school again but have found it here. There is a really great staff team here who support and challenge each other with love and laughter to do the very best that they can for every child. We have been working together to improve and develop teaching and learning across the curriculum and have made a great deal of progress. We have also been developing our behaviour policy and I have seen individual children gain confidence and self-discipline as well as behaviour around the school becoming more respectful. We are all really sorry to be halting our improvement journey just as it is gathering momentum. Rest assured that we will press on once we return, however!

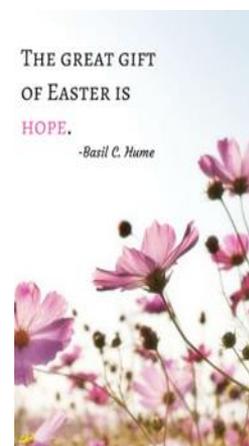
The children here are such a pleasure to work with and I have learnt quite a few names and come to know some lively and some quiet personalities. This temporary, mostly home-schooling experience is going to be a very different for all of us, whether we are at school in a different way or at home. There will be many things still to enjoy but a great deal to miss.

I hope we will be able to gather again as a whole school community at the end of the summer term but in the meantime, I would really like to thank you all for your welcome and your support.

Keeping in touch

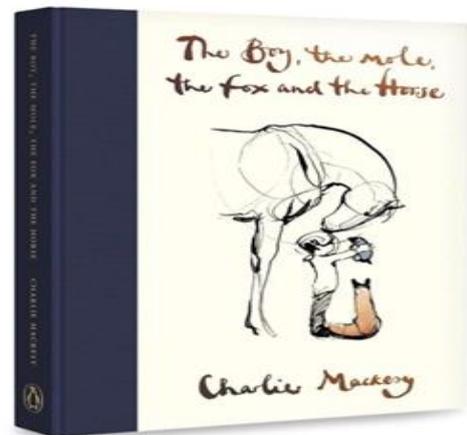
We will be developing ways to keep in touch over the coming weeks, so expect emails from us with further information. The website will also be updated under the parents' section. You can still use the usual email and phone number to communicate with us.

I hope, despite the current difficult circumstances, that you will have some happy family times this Easter.



Jo Osborne Acting Head of Bude Juniors

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Website: There is a link on the website homepage to home learning packs which includes all the documents that have already been sent out to you.

"United we stand, divided we fall". Every being on this planet, be it social or wild, flourish when they live, share, and grow as a community. A sense of togetherness lies in the soul of every individual. This comes from our care and dependency on our fellow beings. From our childhood days to our adulthood, we care for our family members, our relatives, our neighbours and friends. This leads to a need of togetherness among people, which helps in creating a community. Without it, people will be alone. Right now, community has never been more important. As we close the gates on our school this afternoon and begin our journey into the unknown it would be easy to surround the current situation with much pessimism. However, in the words of Winston Churchill "a pessimist sees the difficulty in every opportunity; an optimist sees the opportunity in every difficulty". Over the forthcoming days we will continue to be presented with much challenge within our community as we seek to constantly adapt to the ever-changing goalposts the government set. I urge you to maintain the overwhelming sense of community that makes Bude such a special place to work and remain hopeful for the future. Mr Josh Tyers Acting Head at Bude Infant School.

Whether you are learning at home or at school from next week. Happy learning.

