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BJS Bulletin



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HEADLINES

Dear Parents/Carers,

What a difference a bit of blue sky makes...I hope you all enjoyed the flurry of snow we had last weekend. I was praying it all disappeared before Monday and thankfully it did as I know it can cause you quite some disruption :-)



I endeavour to keep the school open at all times where possible. I want to take this opportunity to say a big thank you to Mrs Burton for this week as she was able to conduct her Partnership Progress Evenings a little early so that 3MB parents could find out the progress of the children and they all got to meet their new teacher Mrs Ravenhall. I am sure I am not alone in wishing Mrs Burton well while she is away with the excitement and hard work that a new baby brings! I am also pleased to welcome Mrs Ravenhall. If you did not manage to make the 3 MB Partnership Progress Meetings we arranged then please telephone the school as I am sure Mrs Ravenhall would like to meet you.

Partnership Progress Meetings for everyone else are planned for Monday 8/2/16 and Wednesday 10/2/16 please follow the link:

<https://biltonjuniors.parentseveningsystem.co.uk/>

We really welcome our children at these events so please if you can, bring them along. :-)



Thank you also to our PTA, who met on Tuesday evening in school. They work tirelessly to fundraise for the school and are planning lots of exciting events in the coming months for adults and children alike. If you feel like you would like to be involved then please contact them on pta@biltonjuniorschool.co.uk Amongst the ideas are quizzes, family bingo and a traditional Summer Fete. More details will follow.

Reminder:

Please do not use the school carpark unless you have prior agreement from Mrs.Norton to use it. When picking up from clubs we do allow access after 5pm but not before.

Can we please remind parents / carers that you should not be entering the school building unless you have reported to the school office first. Please do not walk around the back of the school to gain access.

Inspire



Challenge



Achieve



E-safety

As the e-safety day is fast approaching on the 9th February, we would like to invite all parents/ carers/ governors for an e-safety information evening session on Monday 1st February. The session will be run by Jane Key, the Warwickshire e-safety advisor.

To get you thinking before the session please complete the survey using the below link

<http://kwiksurveys.com/s/aaEx251T>

We look forward to seeing you on Monday 1st February, at 6.30 pm



Wild Club

Breakfast, After School and Holiday Club

Wild activities for children aged 4-11 years

Do you sometimes find it a rush to drop off or pick up your child from school?

We offer morning and afternoon sessions from 1 to 5 days a week at Bilton Junior School

Call us on **07497 337124**

Email us wildclubbjs@gmail.com

Holiday club may be run from a variety of settings

Starting
Jan 2016!



Breakfast 8am

After School until 6pm

Holiday Club 8am-6pm

Cross Country



A huge well done to the cross country team who competed on Monday. They ran a tough, muddy and bitterly cold first race in Binley Woods grounds. There were over 70 runners in each race and we received some fantastic results.

Girls race: Anna F 1st, Molly E 3rd, Emily P 20th, Emma C 32nd, Hebe H 39th and Karina P 47th

Boys race: Justin H 2nd, Jack C 7th, Tom G 8th, Charles H 14th, Thomas N 32nd, Max A 35th, George S 36th and Harvey G 54th.

Fingers crossed for the next race in a few weeks time.

We have a few school jackets for sale at a below cost price of £10.

Sizes are the same as sweatshirts.

If you would like to purchase one please contact the office.

Thank you

Generosity
changes everything

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Lunch Time Awards—Top Table

Every week Mrs. Reeves-Brown awards children for demonstrating our Christian values during lunch time, the nominated children get an invitation to join the top table on the Friday of that week. This week the lunch time top table awards go to:

COMPASSION & RESPECT

Kiel H - 4FW, Imogen C - 5SS, Sam N - 4JE,
Tarrel L - 5AB and Brody C - 5AB

RESPONSIBILITY

Josh S - 4SV and Ben H - 4SV



GENEROSITY

Daniel C - 6AL, Miles C - 6AL, Ben B - 6AL,
George S - 6AL and Christian V - 6AL

Emergency School Closures

In the event that the school needs to close at short notice (for example in the case of severe weather conditions), we will be using the Warwickshire County Council emergency school closure text system. You can find out how to sign up to receive text messages about BJS and other schools by visiting www.warwickshire.gov.uk/schoolclosures

Other ways we will notify you of a closure:

Text2Parents

Local Radio

Bilton Junior School Website



Excellence Awards

This week's Excellence Awards were presented to the following children during Thursday's assembly:

3AT—Ethan F for a fantastic shelter piece of homework

3ED—Noah K for a fantastic shelter for home learning

3MB—Eden C for a positive and enthusiastic approach to learning

4SV—Millicent G for beautiful presentation in all her work

4FW—Connie T for working hard in independent tasks

4JE—James M for fabulous learning attitude and some great written pieces

5FM—Joshua C for a brilliant piece of home learning including a model of a castle

5AB—Sandee P for a fantastic attitude to learning 100% of the time

5SS—roll over

6BG—Hebe H for being a fantastic learner. She is always ready and tries her absolute hardest.

6AL—Daniel C for always having a great bubbly attitude to learning

6KC—Fearne B for making a really exceptional effort in her literacy

French—Sophie C (3MB) for always trying her best, having a go and being a great role model!

Well Done to everyone—keep up the great work!

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PARK OR WAIT ON**



**SCHOOL ENTRANCE MARKINGS
OR DOUBLE YELLOW LINES
HIGHWAY CODE RULE 238**



Sainsbury's
Active Kids
Eat well • Move well • Live well

Sainsbury's will be issuing their Active Kids vouchers from the 27th Jan to the 3rd May. If you shop at Sainsbury's please collect them and send them into school. There's a collection box outside the office. Thank you.

School—Diary Dates

Monday 1st February—esafety meeting 6.30pm

Monday 15th February—Friday 19th Feb 2016 - half term week

Monday 21st March—Friday 1st April 2016—Easter break

Friday 29th April 2016—teacher training (school closed)

Monday 2nd May 2016—Public holiday (school closed)

Monday 30th May—3rd June 2016—half term week

Tuesday 21st June—Sports day

Friday 22nd July 2016—teacher training day

Fuel Cost Awareness Programme run by the Brownsver Buddy

Club

For free advice on fuel debt, boiler replacement grants etc., attend a Fuel Debt

Surgery with National Energy Action Line at Benn Partnership Centre. Phone 553033 or email: info@bennpartnership.org.uk for more information.

Please find attached to the bulletin the 1st article issued by the Fuel Cost Awareness Programme.

BE INSPIRED. TRY A SPORT FOR FREE

THE QUEEN'S DIAMOND JUBILEE CENTRE

Come along to our **FREE** open day on **Sunday 31st January 2016 from 11.00am – 3pm**. There's something to get everyone feeling better.

Come and have a go at the following:

- Swimming (1-3pm)
- Climbing
- Multi sport activities and much more.....

For further details see reception or contact
01788565369
rugby@gll.org



The Queen's Diamond Jubilee Centre

Bruce Williams Way, Rugby,
Warwickshire, CV22 5LJ



PTA NEWS

Diary Dates

Next meeting - Wednesday 2nd March 7pm (School)

Easter egg comp - Thursday 17th March

Family Bingo Night - Friday 11th March (school)

Disco - Friday 22nd April

Adult quiz night - Friday 20th May (school)

Disco - Friday 10th June

Summer Fayre - Saturday 25th June(11-2)

Leavers Disco - Friday 15th July

The next time we meet will be at the Disco on Friday 5th Feb. If anyone can help out on the night please email pta@biltonjuniorschool.co.uk

Year 3/4 6 - 7:15pm (help needed from 5:30pm)

Year 5/6 7:30 - 8:45pm (help needed from 7:15pm)

Thanks for your continued support.

FRIDAY 5th FEBRUARY

Years 3 & 4 - 6.00-7.15pm

Years 5 & 6 - 7.30-8.45pm



Entry £2 (on the door)

There will be drinks, sweets, UV face paints and glitter tattoos for the children to buy on the night.

Please note strobe and UV lighting may be used.

