



"Learning that lasts a lifetime"

Newsletter

Reminder: Parents consultations are being held next week in classrooms, there will be no after school clubs except BBkids and Plymouth Argyle running.

Penrice/Poltair Transition days—3rd & 4th July.

Your child will need to go straight to their chosen secondary school on these days, in full BB uniform, with a packed lunch. Many Thanks

What a wet week we've had but it hasn't dampened our spirits! Nursery children have had a great time on their visit to Mevagissey and children were truly inspired to achieve excellence when we were treated to a visit by Phillipa Brett, a local professional 'skeleton' athlete. She demonstrated aspiration, passion and enthusiasm, which was truly infectious.

I hope you enjoy reading our new staff member introductions later in the newsletter. We are thrilled to be welcoming such lovely new members of staff. They will be getting to know their new classes during our transition sessions over the next 2 weeks and they are already busy planning exciting learning experiences for the Autumn Term!

I hope to see lots of you at Parent Consultation Meetings next week, which will be held in classes. Can I express my apologies for some of the 'issues' over the Parent Evening Booking System, which were beyond our control. Mrs Kay, our School Secretary, did a brilliant job of resolving these issues but please contact us if you experience any difficulties with your allocated appointment.

Mrs Carmichael

On Thursday BBeebies went to visit Mevagissey. We saw the lighthouse, which was built in 1896, at the entrance of the harbour. We visited the old lifeboat house, which is now home to Mevagissey Aquarium, and we went on a teddy bear hunt in Mevagissey Museum. Despite the weather, the children had a great time and their impeccable behaviour was noted by both staff, parents and the public. Well done everyone. A special thank you to Mrs York and Mr Baker who drove the minibuses for us.



Five children from BB have recently competed in the regional finals of the Delancey UK Schools' Chess Challenge. Alex, Daniel, Oscar, Lucas and Molly all excelled in the qualifying rounds played at school and did a fantastic job of representing BB at the Cornish Mega Final. Chess club takes place every Thursday lunchtime in Mr Daysh's class. Now is the time to start training for next year's competition. All children from year 2 to year 6 are welcome.

Last Friday, the children from Phoenix, Pelicans and Peacocks visited the Minack Theatre to perform their Greek plays on the famous stage. All performances were absolutely brilliant. After lunch, we then watched, 'The Emperor's New Clothes'. This was an amazing performance full of laughter and songs, with a spectacular setting. The children really enjoyed themselves, especially the ice-lollies during the interval. A very big thank you to all our parent helpers and for providing your children with costumes; we really appreciate your support. What a fantastic day!



Our Christian values: Compassion, forgiveness, trust, respect, courage and perseverance

SUMMER TERM DIARY DATES

Penrice/Poltair taster days/evening

3rd & 4th July

Parents Evening consultations—in classrooms

w/comm Mon 3rd July

Year 6 Beach Trip

Friday 7th July

Maths Open afternoon

Thursday 13th July at 2pm

BB Sports Day

Friday 14th July pm

BBeebies graduation

Tuesday 18th July at 10am

Rainbows graduation

Tuesday 18th July at 2pm

Year 2 Graduation

Wednesday 19th July at 2pm

Year 6 Communion

Thursday 20th July at 2pm

Year 6 Leavers' Ball

Friday 21st July

Year 6 Leavers' performance

Monday 24th July at 2pm

Please note: Parents Evening Consultations will be held the week commencing Monday 3rd July—
THERE WILL BE NO CLUBS RUNNING THAT WEEK.

Attendance by class -

Congratulations

**To Little Lambs Class with 97.5%
attendance!**

Little Doves	92.9
Little Fish	92.5
Little Lambs	97.5
Peacocks	90.8
Phoenix	93.8
Pelicans	92.1
Angels	96.6
Faith	96.6
Hope	95.8

ST LUKE'S CHURCH

Join us at 2pm on Saturday 8th July for
St Luke's Church Summer Fete:

Bouncy Castle, Face Painting,
Children's Games, Tombola's, Name the
Teddy, BBQ & Refreshments.



Due to the up and coming
merger with the Saint's
Way Trust, it has been
decided that there will be
an extra INSET day on
Monday 4th September.
School will begin on
Tuesday 5th September
2017

BB FRIENDS SUMMER DISCO

FRIDAY 7th July

Reception & KS1 3.30pm—4.15pm

KS2 4.30pm—5.30pm

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

(Reception & KS1 children to give money to teacher in the morning, along with disco clothes)

Ice Creams will be sold on Thursday 6th July instead of Friday this week



New Staff 2017/18



Hello! My name is Sophie Greenaway and I am extremely excited to be joining Bishop Bronsecombe as the new Assistant Head of School in September.

I am currently Lead Teacher at Veryan C of E Primary School and have this year been teaching the Nursery and Reception Class. Throughout my four years at Veryan, I have also taught Years One and Two and am thrilled to be returning to the Key Stage One classroom. I have worked with the trust since the beginning and am glad to be joining colleagues that I have got to know through the process of collaborative and shared practice.

Outside of school, I enjoy taking part in amateur dramatics, especially musicals and enjoy working with my local theatre company. I also enjoy reading, singing and taking part in various sporting activities (yoga being my newest venture!) At the weekends, I enjoy spending time with my daughter, Rose, and my husband, exploring the countryside and going to the park.



Hello. My name is Richard Jones and I am extremely excited to be joining Bishop Bronsecombe as the Year 5 teacher in September.

I have been teaching for 17 years. I started working in education as a TA at Newquay Tretherras. Since qualifying as a teacher, I have taught in lots of different types of schools, most of them in Essex. At the moment I am currently working as a Year 5 teacher at Pondhu Primary School in St Austell.

I am glad to hear that your sports teams are very strong as I love sports, especially football, swimming, kayaking and fishing. Currently, I am a volunteer coach at my son's village football club. I am also a governor at my children's primary school.

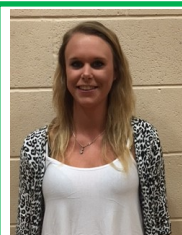


Hello, my name is Vicky Oliver. I am really looking forward to joining Bishop Bronsecombe C of E Primary School in September, teaching in reception.

I am very passionate about the early years. I will soon be completing my teacher training with Cornwall SCITT Partnership where I have gained valuable experience and knowledge to qualify as a teacher. Prior to my training, I have always been based in the early years, working in children centres and nurseries.

In my spare time, I love to be outside exploring beautiful Cornwall with my dog. I volunteer as a brownie leader which is lots of fun. I also love to read and like to get creative so I am usually looking for the next thing I can sew or make!

Having completed one of my teacher training placements at Grampound Road School, another school in the Multi Academy Trust, I am extremely excited and grateful to be joining such a brilliant school. I am particularly keen to welcome my new class as we embark on our first year in school together!



Hello! My name is Kerri Moore. I am currently finishing my third year of teaching at Veryan Primary School on the Roseland where I have taught years 3, 4, 5 and 6. I am really looking forward to joining Bishop Bronsecombe in September and, having visited several times already, I know what a welcoming, caring and exciting place it will be to work in. As both Veryan and Bishop Bronsecombe are part of the St Piran's Multi Academy Trust, I have already had the opportunity to work alongside your teachers and I am familiar with lots of the teaching and learning strategies that are used within the classrooms. In my spare time I enjoy walking, reading and I love creative art and craft activities. I am really looking forward to September and embarking upon our learning experiences together!

Join us for...



A Parent's Guide to Internet Safety



Worrying about what your children are doing online?

Wednesday 19th July

6.30 – 8.00pm

at Bishop Bronsecombe School

Want to know more about keeping your children safe online?

Year 6 Leaver's Ball – Friday 21st July 2017

Our Year 6 Leaver's Ball organising committee of parents and staff met on Wednesday 28th June to complete the planning for this special event for our Year 6 pupils. We are very grateful to the Year 6 parents who are helping to organise this event so far. The committee have two requests:

1. Do parents have any **battery powered white fairy lights** that they could lend us for the evening? If so, please pass to your child's Year 6 teacher.
2. We need parent helpers to set up the hall at Bishop Bronescombe CE at **1.15 pm onwards on Friday 21st July**. Many hands would make light work of this. We have walls to cover, tables to decorate and set etc.
3. We will be writing to Year 6 parents shortly with the details of transport from our village schools and other vital information.

The committee are grateful to all five school PTAs who have generously donated money to help pay for this special event for our Year 6 pupils.

Once again, we hope this red carpet special event will be an extremely memorable event for our Year 6 children.

Mark Lees

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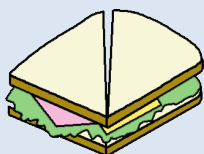
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MAT Maths Munch!

On Wednesday 5th July, BB will be welcoming some children from across the MAT to join us in a MAT maths lunch!

School dinners will have a mathematical theme and we would like to invite parents to include something mathematical in their children's packed lunch - for example: sandwiches cut into equal parts to represent fractions or biscuits/cakes representing a variety of different shapes...anything linked to maths!

Many thanks.



JUNE INSET WEEK EVALUATION

The Trust would like to gain some feedback from its stakeholders about the June INSET week. Please could you complete our survey by following this link:

<https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/HMYS9YY>

If you would like to complete a paper copy of this survey please speak to your school office. The closing date for the survey is the 10th July and we would appreciate you taking the time to provide us with your views.

As a reminder, the Trust has already agreed to continue with this arrangement for the next academic year. The INSET week for 2017/18 will be 4th–8th June 2018 and the schools will be closed during this time.