



St Peter's
CE Primary School
Bratton

NEWSLETTER

Friday 14th June 2019

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome to another edition of the newsletter. We have reports from swimmers, bug hunts and Pentecost for you this week. As well as a plea about how you can help the 2019 nativity. Yes, we did mention Christmas.

Thank you to those of you who alerted us to the paths in the area around school flooding in the awful weather this week. I know many of you informed Telford and Wrekin of this, we will do the same. The weather doesn't look like it's going to let up any time soon, so this is a good opportunity to remind everyone about coats! Really in June I should be sending out reminders about sunscreen!

Best wishes,

Mark Davis

Head Teacher

UPDATES AND INFORMATION

Reception and KS1 Sports Day

Just a reminder that sports day is rescheduled for Wednesday 26th June.

Reports and New Class Arrangements

Reports and new class arrangements will be available on My Child at School week commencing 8th July.

Danger in the Home

Please find a link below from the BBC.

https://www.bbc.co.uk/news/extra/D1qVRFeHpC/the_danger_in_our_homes

Class Photographs

Further to our parentmail earlier this week, school class photographs will be taken on Monday 17th June. If this is normally a PE day for your child can they please come in school uniform with their PE kits to change into after the photograph has been taken.

Nativity Appeal

If you have any old nativity costumes that you no longer need we would be very grateful of them. We endeavour to provide as many costumes as possible for the KS1 nativity and some of our current costumes

are getting a little old. If you have a costume lurking at the back of a cupboard that is no longer used or needed we would love to give it a new home and a chance to shine once more!

Thank you.

Bank Holiday Change

Please note the May Bank holiday for 2020 has changed to Friday 8th May 2020. The new term dates are on the school website.

UPDATES FROM THE CLASSES

The Great Bug Hunt 2019

On Monday Year 4 took part in The Great Bug Hunt 2019. Each class went to a different habitat around school. 4S1 went to the wild area and 4S2 went to the orchard. The children were separated into groups so that they could survey the living things within the habitat and make notes about how many of each living thing they saw and any specific information about where in the habitat they were. Once the children had collected this information they then used this to collate a whole class record of the habitat and the living things within it. This information was then used to create a bar chart that the children could then draw conclusions from about the habitat.

Following this the children took as inspiration the work of Charles Darwin and his studies of the living things he encountered on his voyages of exploration. The children drew various living things from different perspectives to show them in as much detail as possible.



On Thursday 6th June Year 4 went on a trip to High Ercall church to learn about Pentecost. Firstly, a lady told us what Pentecost was. She told us that Pentecost was when the Holy Spirit came. Then we had some different activities to do. One of the stations was about telling good news and we got to light a candle because it shows the light of the world. The station after that was where we had to act out helping someone poor. Then we wrote on a paper foot asking to have help helping someone by having the courage

to do it. The third station was where we wrote a prayer on a paper flag asking for help with something. On the fourth station called sharing we learnt all about not wasting, helping, sharing food and more. We put people on a cardboard church to show a church of people. Another one was where we wrote on a dove about trying to do something. Then we went into another room and learnt about being a Christian in other countries where it can be very difficult. Finally, we had biscuits and juice and then went back to school bursting with things to tell our parents.

By Alice Williams and William Brown 4S1



SPORTS UPDATE

Year 5/6 Swimming Gala



A team of year 5 and 6 pupils represented the school at a recent school swimming gala. This is the report written by the pupils:

“On Monday 10th June, Jarrod, Grace, Grace, Harriet and Madison all went to the schools swimming club championships. When we arrived, we met Miss McCunnin and Miss Parton outside the changing rooms, then we went into the spectator’s benches where we waited for the races to begin. When we went down to get ready for the races by the poolside, we met two ladies called Nikki and Hazel who sorted us into the right groups and lanes. At the end, Miss McCunnin said it had been the best swimming gala she’d ever been to since we had so much fun and we were very supportive of each other.”

DATES FOR THE DIARY

Date	Event
Tuesday 11 th June	Prayer for School 10:00-11:30am
Tuesday 18 th June	Year 1 visit to Blists Hill
Wednesday 19 th June	Reception visit to Weston Park
Thursday 20 th June	Year 4 visit to Shrewsbury Museum
Thursday 20 th June	Years 5 and 6 Hobgoblin Theatre Company Workshop in school
Monday 24 th June	Reception September 2019 Induction morning
Tuesday 25 th June	Reception September 2019 Induction morning
Wednesday 26 th June	Rescheduled Reception and KS1 Sports Day
Friday 28 th June	St Peter’s Day celebrations
Friday 28 th June	Year 6 Crucial Crew trip
Friday 12 th July	School Fete – details to follow
Tuesday 16 th July	Hopes and Fears Workshop Year 6 – details to follow
Wednesday 17 th July	Leavers Service in school Year 6 pupils and parents only – details to follow
Thursday 18 th July	Year 6 Leavers Service 10am St Peter’s Church, Wrockwardine
Friday 19 th July	End of term