



Dear Parents/Carers

THE BISHOPS' SCHOOL NEWS



The **Green Team** members from Year 4 walked down to County Hall last Friday to keep up the worldwide protest for combatting **Climate Change** and caring for The Environment. We were met by Vicky Ford MP, and various other Council members including the Director of Education and the Councillor for Education. The children sang campaigning songs and Vicky Ford explained how she was trying to support green issues in Parliament. The children were brilliant, as was Mrs DeBie who helped to organise the protest, and we sang in The Cathedral on the way back!

Live Fully, Laugh Often, Learn Deeply,
Love as God Loves You and Let Your Light Shine



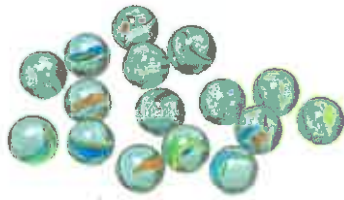
Sunday was a truly special day for many of our pupils who received their **First Holy Communion**. We are so fortunate to enjoy our connections with the local church, and it was a privilege to see the children so beautifully dressed and so well prepared for this special occasion.



Today we are officially launching our fund-raising campaign for a new hall – **The Bishops' Community Hall**. We have a great team helping to organise grant applications and events, and you will hear from us in more detail at a later date. Today we are not asking for donations (that will come!) but we want you all to know we are doing this for your children, for their future, and for the local community. Please have a look at the leaflet that is coming out today, and think about whether you know any businesses or people who would like to make donations – we want to hear from you if you have any such contacts. Thank you.



Year 1s have been studying toys, and have been playing the games we played (or our parents) when we were young – here marbles.



Cycling safely demands so much of our pupils on the busy roads and paths around Chelmsford. We are grateful to the **Bikeability Team** for teaching these essential skills and we hope that the messages go deep.

Year 6 pupils have much to keep them busy 'til the end of term, and academic preparation for Year 7 and secondary school is still going on, as well as the beginnings of preparation for *Matilda*, their end of year show.



We were visited by a **Swarm of Bees** on Wednesday, which was very exciting! We are grateful to **Mr Bull** from **Chelmsford Bee Association**, for coming to take them away. Hopefully they will find a good home.



Thank you to the **PTA** for organising **Jazz** and the **Discos** this week!



It has been a glorious sunny week for **Sporting Competitions** and with **SATS** out of the way many of the **Year 6's** have been out to play.

First up on Monday was the **Year 5/6 Boys' Kwik Cricket Tournament** with many of the children fresh from Paddy's training regime. The A team finished 4th, one win from the finals, and the B team 7th.

On Tuesday, two Year 6 teams travelled to St. John Payne to compete in a **Rounders Competition**. Both teams finished 3rd in their pools and thank you to Coach Chris for his support in preparing the children.

Finally, we followed the sun on Wednesday to New Hall for **Mini Orange Tennis**. Again both Year 6 teams finished 3rd in their groups and enjoyed cookies as their reward.



For many this was their last opportunity to represent **The Bishops'** before moving on to secondary school, but before they go the girls have their **Kwik Cricket** competition and a few will take part in **Districts Track & Field** after half-term.

Congratulations and well done to Logan Prile in Class 3M on signing an academy contract with Ipswich Town Football Club yesterday.



It's a pleasure to see our parents doing exciting things - congratulations to Mr and Mrs Kozlowski for being invited to a garden party at The Palace!

Safety Concerns

Please be advised that there have been a couple of incidents of car windows being shot at with air rifles whilst parked in the car park to the flats on New Bowers Way. These incidents have been reported to the police. Please do not park there, as it is a private car park and, more importantly, for your family's safety.

Please may we also ask you not to drop off and pick up your children on the roadside, but to park considerately first before anyone alights from the vehicle.

Thank you.

Lunchtime Menu—
Week beginning Tuesday 4th June 2019

Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Spaghetti Bolognese or Jacket Potatoes with a choice of Fillings Garlic Bread Vegetable Crudites Cookies	Roast Pork Yorkshire Pudding Apple Sauce Rich Gravy or Vegetarian Sausage Twist Roast Potatoes Carrots Green Beans Medley of Fresh Fruit	Chicken Korma or Jacket Potatoes with a choice of Fillings Wholegrain & White Rice Nan Bread Chunky Flapjacks	Harry Ramsden's Fish Fillet with Tomato or Tartare Sauce or Boston Bean Burger Potato Wedges Peas Baked Beans Fruit Smoothie
Bread, Salad Bar, Fresh Fruit, Yoghurt, Milk and Water available daily			

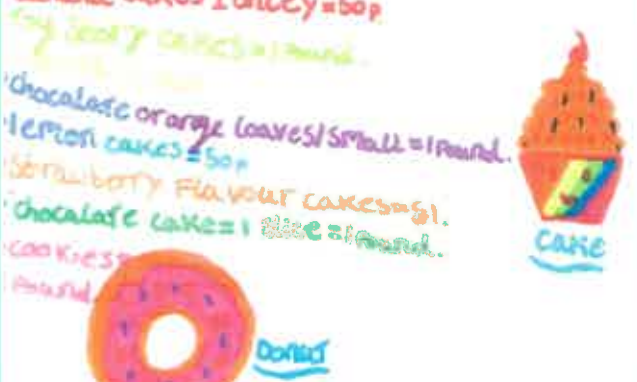
Cake Sale

Friday 7th June.
 Maximum money is £2.

Banana cakes 1 only = 50p
 Chocolate or orange (loaves) small = 1 pound.
 Lemon cakes = 50p
 Strawberry Flavour cakes = 50p.
 Chocolate cake = 1 slice = 1 pound.
 Cookies = 1 pound

Donut information!

Money going to help towards for Ruby/Kate Ruby. owner of Ruby is Miss Jones so more information come to Miss Porter for name or Miss Jones in class EE.



Bag2School



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Our next **Bag2School** collection has been arranged for
Monday 10 June 2019
 at **09:00** am/pm

Any questions - please ask your school collection organiser **The PTA**

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WHAT WE COLLECT


We accept the following 'good quality' items for RE-USE:

- Men's, Ladies' and Children's clothing
- Paired shoes (tied together or elastic band around)
- Handbags
- Hats
- Bags
- Scarves and ties
- Jewellery
- Lingerie
- Socks
- Belts
- Soft toys
- Household linen
- Household curtains
- Household towels
- Household bedding (bed sheets, pillow cases and duvet covers)

We DO NOT accept:

- Duvets and blankets
- Pillows and cushions
- Carpets, rugs and mats (including bath, shower and toilet mats)
- Soiled, painted, ripped or wet clothing
- School uniforms with and without logo
- Corporate clothing and workwear
- Textile off cuts, yarns or threaded material

In the event of inclement weather please protect your Bag2School investment by covering with a plastic sheet or storing bags undercover as wet items cannot be accepted.



PTA

Thank you to all those who organised the fantastic discos this week. We had some brilliant helpers who made the event possible so thank you. Also thank you children as you really showed off your best moves and loudest voices!!

We had a great night and raised around £600 towards our target of £10,000 for this year!

Please don't forget to contact us if you want any Adventure Island tickets during the holidays. You can contact us via Facebook or email. Please give us notice where possible as most of us are working during the holidays and collection on the day may not always be possible.

Have a lovely week off! The PTA

Contact us on thebishopspta@gmail.com

Find us @BishopsPta, Or The Bishops' School PTA on Facebook

Twitter!

We are thinking about a PTA twitter account to publicize the work of the PTA.

Children would not appear on this if they do not have parents' permission to be on our website, but please let us know if you are happy for them to be on the website, but not happy that they might be on a Twitter feed. Thank you.

Looking Ahead ...



Monday 27th May to Friday 31st May—Half Term Break

Monday 3rd June—Non Pupil Day; Bikeability, Group 2

Tuesday 4th June— Children Back to School;

Church Service for Group 2 led by 2C;

Year 3 trip to Barleylands Farm, 9.15am to 3pm;

Choir to Mildmay Junior School, 9am to 12pm

Wednesday 5th June—Church open for quiet reflection, 8 to 10am

Year 2 trip to Mini Olympics at CSAC, 9am to 12.30pm



Thursday 6th June—Bikeability, Group 2;

New Intake Induction Session 1, 1.30pm;

Year 5/6 football match v Perryfields at home, 3.30 to 4.45pm

Friday 7th June—1CD's Class Assembly, 9.15am (doors open 9am);

5E Cake Sale for KS2 in aid of Hypohounds, breaktime

Monday 10th June—Science Week; Bikeability Group 3; Bag2School;

Year 5/6 Girls' Kwik Cricket, Chelmer Park, 12 to 4pm



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Thursday 30th 1300 - 1500

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Ages 7+

(Under 7's must be accompanied by a parent or guardian taking part in the session)

To secure your child's place
 please send an email to admin@ebcinspire.co.uk



THE 'KIDS WHO LUNCH' CLUB

Thursday 30th May 2019
 10.30am - 1.00pm

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