



FRIDAY 18<sup>TH</sup> MAY 2018

BITTERLEY CHURCH OF ENGLAND PRIMARY ACADEMY 2 - 11

Dates

24/5/18 School choir concert – 2:20pm

25/5/18 – May Madness Walk

28/5/18 – 1/6/18 – Half Term

13/6/18 - Father's Day lunch

18/6/18 – School photographs

26/6/18 – Yr. 6 Hereford Cathedral Celebration event

26/6/18 – children spend the morning with new class.

4/7/18 – children spend the afternoon with new class.

7/7/18 – Fete at Lower Court

10/7/18 – Optional Parent's Evening

11/7/18 – Optional Parent's Evening

12/7/18 – Bitterley's Got Talent

13/7/18 – Sports Day

20/7/18 – End of term

Values

*We are a Christian Values based school. We create an environment in which children love to learn, where they drive the choices made about their learning and where they develop social and relationship skills which will last throughout their lives. Our value for May is Patience.*

Duncan Slater – Walking With the Wounded

*On Friday 1<sup>st</sup> May 2018 Duncan Slater came to school to talk about his life. It was amazing to hear how someone had come through so much to achieve incredible things.*

*During half term Mr. Davies will be doing a sponsored event in aid of WWTW. Please give generously to this amazing cause! There will be a sponsor form by the entrance door in school.*

Choir Concert

*Our school choir concert is taking place on Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> May, 2.30pm in the school hall. All parents and carers are very welcome to come along.*

Class 1

*From September we will be opening Class 1 for 5 days a week. Traditionally it has been open according from 3 day per week. For the 2018/2019 year however, we are attempting to attract more interest with an additional investment in time offered. If you know of other parents in the area who may be interested please point them in our direction!*

Red, White and Blue Day

*Take a look at our gallery on the school website to see some great photos of the day!*

Thank you!

*Thanks again to those parents who have been working on the school garden. Your efforts a very much appreciated!*

Children's page

*"This week we planted some flowers in Class 1's garden. We planted basil and mint too. We tasted some coriander – it was nice. We also raced and played football twice!" Lucie, Class 1.*

*"I enjoyed doing our class assembly. I was a little pig and the wolf*

*couldn't blow my house down!"*  
*Alice, Class 2.*

*"This week we have been writing stories about celebrations!"* Charlie, Class 3.

*"We have been learning about North America and I drew and map. I also drew the Canadian and American flag"* Charlie, Class 4.

### Star of the Week



*Class 1: Pippa for demonstrating great pencil control and colouring within the lines.*

*Class 2: Lewis for his super use of phonics in our 'Three Little Pigs' writing!*

*Class 3: Evelyn for writing an excellent story in literacy this week!*

*Class 4: Ethan for giving 100% when taking part in our rounders game.*

*Class 5: Lana for writing a superb mystery story that is full of suspense and drama.*

### Achievement Assembly



*Well done to Martha who received her Ducking 2 Award!*

*Zak was awarded Swimmer of the Week for good effort with push and glide – well done!*

*Archie's lovely leg kicks in breaststroke earned him 'Swimmer of the Week'!*

*Fliss was awarded the Cheer Bear for her great forward and back walkover in cheer – well done!*

*Congratulations to Will who received a trophy as part of the Under 10's Orleton Football team and a medal for coming 3<sup>d</sup> in the Herefordshire tournament!*

### Football results

*Report from Mr. Sumner:*

*"Tuesday was a competitive night of football with no team being the outright strongest. Once again we had the red, green and blues. First up saw reds against blues which was a very close game with both teams bagging a brace and ending a 2-2 draw. Second up greens played blues which again was a close affair – the greens caught the blues napping twice, coming out 2-0 winners. The last game was the blues vs reds, a very competitive game that had goals galore with another 2-2 draw. The greens ended the night as champions with the reds taking victory in the shootout.*

*Players of the night were Calvin, Ethan W. and Nicholas. Well done to all".*

### Lost

*A school fleece with logo has been lost. It has the name Archer inside. If found, please return to school reception. Thank you.*

### Number of the week for Class 1

*For week commencing 21st May is:*  
6

### Birthdays

*This week we have celebrated the birthdays of:*

*Livvy W, Bethany, Lola, Phoebe F, Archel and Phoebe*

### May Madness Sponsored Walk

*On Friday 25<sup>th</sup> May we are holding our annual May Madness sponsored walk. The whole school will be taking part and walking to raise money for the PTA. We will be leaving school at 9.30am and parents/carers are invited to come along and take part if they wish to. Classes 1, 2 and 3 will be walking a shorter route.*

*Children can wear their own clothes with suitable footwear for walking in. Please ensure your child has sun cream applied and a sun hat if the weather is warm. Your child was sent home with a sponsor form last Monday. This year we will be taking a different route.*

### Father's Day lunch

*Our Father's Day lunch is taking place on Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> June. All dads are invited to come along for a lunch with their child/ren. A letter was sent out with all the details last Tuesday. Please return the slip and payment to school by Friday 25<sup>th</sup> May.*

### Luctonians Summer Camp

*Monday – Friday, 8.30am – 3.30pm every week of the summer holidays. Ages 8+. Taking place at Mortimer Park, Hereford Road, Kingsland, Leominster, HR6 9SB.*

*Rates: £100 per week or £25 per day.*

*Activities: Orienteering, survival skills, water fun, invasion games, team building, crafts and aerobics.*

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