# **BISCOVEY ACADEMY**

# NEWSLETTER

### **FRIDAY 25TH APRIL 2025**

Welcome back to the summer term!

I've been really impressed by how the children have quickly settled back into school life, showing great enthusiasm for their new topics and engaging brilliantly in class.

In assembly this week, we explored the ideas of personal responsibility linked to this term's value: Motivation. We talked about how setting goals is important, but it is the action you take and the behaviours you show that matter. We considered how to always behave in a way in which you can be proud of, making thoughtful choices, even if others are leading us astray or there are reasons to give up. For example, finding the motivation to practice a skill, even if others are not supportive or if something gets in your way, such as poor weather.

The summer term is always a busy one, so please take note of the key dates below. Full details for each event will follow nearer to the time.

Mr. Wallbank



#### **RED NOSE DAY**

Before Easter, we held a fundraising day for Comic Relief, with the children coming to school wearing something red.

Thank you for all of your contributions, which have now been sent to the charity. We raised a superb £121.79.

Thank you for your support!

# **HOMEWORK**

We have three areas that we ask all children to practice at home each week:

Maths: Time spent on TT Rockstars every day. Reading: Make sure to read every day. **Spellings:** Practice the spellings sent home every day.

> \* Year 6 children have additional SAT practice activities.

# **DIARY DATES**

Thurs/Fri 1st/2nd May: Year 5 to Manchester Mon 5th May: Bank Holiday - School Closed

Mon 12th - Fri 16th May: Year 6 SATS

Wed 21st May: May Fayre Fri 23rd May: Year 4 to Bath

Mon 24th - Fri 28th May: Half Term

Mon 2nd June: School Closed - Staff Training

Wed 4th June: Year 5&6 Sports Day (1:00pm) Thurs 5th June: Year 3&4 Sports Day (1:00pm)

Thurs 12th June: Year 5 Aspire Sports Day Thurs 19th June: Year 3 Activity Day

Mon 23rd - Fri 24th June: Year 4 Camp Mon 7th - Weds 9th July: Year 6 Camp

Tues 22nd July: Last Day of Term (1:45pm)

Thurs 4th September: Return to School

# **CERTIFICATE WINNERS**



Star of the Week!

Juniper: Dylan

Palm: Linus

Sycamore: Bethany

Cedar: Owyn Maple: David Rowan: Azalea

Ash: Charlie

Hazel: Poppy K



You've Been Spotted by Mr. Wallbank



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# **CLUBS**

We are almost finished with putting together our club offer for this term, which we will be able to share with you next week. Clubs will start the following week.

For those Year 6 children attending SAT booster sessions, these will restart on Monday.

# COMMUNICATION

Please ensure you are signed up to the Arbor App as this is how we send all of our quick messages and reminders. We have moved away from sending text messages, as the cost is significant, whilst app messages are free to send.

Any longer letters and information will be shared by email, so please ensure we have an up to date email address for you.

# **CONTACT US**

The office can be a busy place, so we encourage you to email where possible. Please send any emails to hello@biscovey.org.uk

Our telephone number is 01726 812949

We ask that all class teachers are in the classroom welcoming the children and settling them into their morning activities. Therefore, we encourage you to speak to teachers at the end of the day when collecting children should you wish. Messages can be left with the person on the gate in the morning if needed, who will pass them onto the class teacher.

Our PSA, Miss. Marks, may be able to help if you wish to discuss any worries you have about your child, or if you need to seek advice about your child at home.

# THIS WEEK IN PICTURES





On Wednesday a selection of rugby players travelled by train to Penzance and enjoyed an afternoon of rugby against other schools, run by the Cornish Pirates. The children represented the school wonderfully, both on and off the pitch, winning all games without conceding a try!



PLEASE HEAD TO
OUR FACEBOOK
PAGE AND 'LIKE'
OUR RUGBY PICTURE
TO HELP OUR TEAM
WIN THE CHANCE
TO PLAY AT HALF
TIME OF A PIRATES
RUGBY MATCH



Year 3 had a great time on Thursday learning about rivers, observing how the Fowey River changes by travelling the length of the river, from Bodmin Moor to Fowey.





A small group of children attended the Exploring Words Festival today at the Eden Project. They spent time meeting authors, enjoying books and hearing about how the books were written and published.

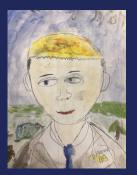






# • ART DAY - GALLERY

Year 3: Caludette Johnson using Watercolour.







Year 4: Gabrielle de Glatigny using oil pastels







Year 5: Mariusz Kedzierski using pencil







Year 6: John Bramblitt using acrylic/poster paint







