



MERRY

Christmas

From everyone here at Biscovey  
Academy

December 2023 Newsletter





# MERRY CHRISTMAS

Dear all,



As we get ready to close the doors on 2023, I wanted to write to you all and express my personal thanks for your continued support this year. I hope you will all agree, the opportunities and experiences provided to our children have been nothing short of sensational. From visits to Bath to see the Roman ruins, Bristol to see Man Utd-v- Bristol City, Exeter to watch the Chief's play and Somerset to watch the 20/20 cricket. Performances at the Keay theatre, Leekseed Methodist Church and St Mary's C of E Church. We have welcomed Winston Churchill to year 6, had RAF planes land at Newquay airport for us, had an Indian experience in year 4 which resulted in the most beautiful Henna hand art and visited aquariums and lighthouses in year 3. Over 100 pupils have represented the school at sport, including football, netball and cross country and we held a national qualifying football tournament on our field. We have welcomed many different professions to our careers day and celebrated past pupils success. We have performed beautifully in our nativity and Christmas performances and even welcomed Santa's actual Reindeer to our Christmas Fair! We have held concerts on the field and watched proudly as our school bands performed to consistently packed crowds! We have welcomed 16 different schools from across the county to see our Trauma Informed ethos in action and raised hundreds of pounds for our local 'house point' charities!

2023 has been an incredible year! I can't wait to see what 2024 has for us! I wish you all a very peaceful and happy Christmas.

Kind regards

Mr Tyers





# 2023 AT BISCOVEY



**YEAR 6 HALL FOR CORNWALL  
PANTOMIME**

**CHRISTMAS FAYRE AND SANTA'S  
REINDEER VISIT!**

**HOUSE POINT CHARITY ASSEMBLIES  
AND DONATIONS.**

**BISCOVEY'S GOT TALENT!  
LINE DANCING WINNERS!**

**AMAZING RESIDENTIAL'S FOR YEARS  
4,5 AND 6**

**LEEKSEED CHOIR PERFORMANCE**

**EASTER 'EGGSPERIENCE'**

**ARCHERY AND FENCING P.E  
OPPORTUNITES**

**EXETER CHIEF'S -V-  
CORNISH PIRATES**

**BISCOVEY CAREERS DAY!**

**CHRISTMAS NATIVITY AT ST MARY'S  
CHURCH**

**MANCHESTER UNITED -V-  
BRISTOL CITY**

**RAF VIP EXPERIENCE**

**YEAR 6 PERFORMANCE AT THE KEAY  
THEATRE**

**100 + CHILDREN REPRESENTED THE  
SCHOOL IN SPORT**

**MAYFAYRE AND THE CROWNING OF  
OUR MAY QUEEN.**

**FESTIVAL OF DREAMS**

**VISIT TO BATH TO SEE THE ROMAN  
RUINS**

**WATCHED LIVE 20/20 CRICKET IN  
SOMERSET**

**ROCK STEADY SCHOOL BAND  
PERFORMANCES**

**ST AUSTELL FESTIVAL OF MUSIC AND  
SPEECH PERFORMANCE**



## BISCOVEY ACADEMY PARENT AND TODDLER GROUP

THANK YOU!

This term we started our parent and toddler group which has been amazing! Each week we welcome the most wonderful families to share in a whole load of fun! Thank you to everyone who has come along to the session this term. The group will continue to run each Wednesday, 9-10AM in the hall. The first session back will be on the 10th January! We look forward to seeing as many of you there as possible!

Wishing you all a very happy Christmas!

# LOCAL COMMUNITY SUPPORT



Here at Biscovey Academy we are working alongside St Austell foodbank to help our families in need.

We can issue foodbank vouchers, which can be exchanged for food parcels.

The Light & Life Centre,  
Units 4-5 Brunel  
Business Park,  
St Austell,  
PL25 4TJ



Help reduce food waste, whilst filling your cupboards. Drop by and help yourself to what you need.

**Every Wednesday**

**St Blazey 12:30-13:00**

Burrows Centre, Lamellyn Road,  
PL24 2DD

**St Blazey 13:30-14:00**

St Blazey Football Club, 61 Station  
Road, PL24 2ND



Local shops provide Remake Cornwall with surplus food, which is then available for you to pop in and help yourself to.

Check out their Facebook page to see what's available in the fridge!

86 Stennack Road  
St Austell  
PL25 3JQ  
07480 135818



# UPCOMING KEY DATES



JAN  
5

ALL CHILDREN RETURN TO SCHOOL

JAN  
8

YEAR 6 SWIMMING WEEK.  
08.01.24 - 12.01.24

JAN  
10

PARENT AND TODDLER GROUPS START  
AGAIN. 9:00-10:00 IN THE HALL.

JAN  
15

YEAR 3 SWIMMING WEEK.  
15.01.24 - 19.01.24

JAN  
22

YEAR 5 SWIMMING WEEK.  
22.01.24 - 26.01.24

JAN  
29

YEAR 4 SWIMMING WEEK.  
29.01.24 - 02.02.24

FEB  
6

YEAR 4 BEACH DAY

FEB  
8

BREAK UP FOR HALF TERM.  
RETURNING ON 19.02.24

# SAFEGUARDING INFORMATION

If you have any concerns about the welfare of a child, please contact a member of the Biscovey Academy safeguarding team:

**Mr. Wallbank-** Designated Safeguarding Lead



**Mr. Tyers-** Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead



**Important Contact Numbers:** MARU: 0300 123 116

NSPCC: 0800 800 5000 Police: 999/ 101 School: 01726 812949