

# Bishop Winnington-Ingram

## Church of England Primary School

# Newsletter: Week 6

### Our Vision - 'My Cup Overflows' Psalm 23:5

*A community that gives each child an outstanding spiritual, academic and practical education and instils an awareness of the overflowing joy, love and peace that comes from God's love for us, so that they are able to achieve their potential and truly experience 'life in all its fulness.'*  
John 10:10

## Update from Mrs Rodenas

With one week to go before the half term it is a wonderful time to reflect on how far the children have come in the last few weeks. The children are all doing so well and this information will be shared with you at Parents Evening after half term. Please do not forget to make an appointment to see your child/ren's class teacher.

On Tuesday this week, years 2, 4 and 6 have continued to enjoy their Forest School sessions where they have been exploring the outdoors and making dens.

Our football team have gone from strength to strength and won their football match this week with the amazing result of 11-4. We are very proud of their resilience and perseverance.

Some of our children in Year 5 had the opportunity to take part in filming for 'Call the Midwife' this week. We were asked to provide children for a choir scene and it will air in March next year. We were told that the children's behaviour was exemplary and that they were a credit to our school.

This week I met with our school council who were extremely enthusiastic and have embraced their new roles. They had so many wonderful ideas of how to work together to make improvements in our school. We have also appointed new House Captains and Vice House Captains to lead our houses.

Finally, thank you for all your Harvest donations - your cups have truly overflowed

God Bless

Mrs Rodenas



## Dates for the diary

- 23rd-27th October: Half Term
- 30th-31st October: Parent's Evening
- 5th November: Fireworks Night
- 24th November: Non-uniform Day – Donations for Christmas Fair
- 30th November: Flu immunisations
- 1st December: PA – Christmas Fair
- 13th December: Reception Nativity - 2.30pm
- 14th December: Year 1 & 2 Nativity - 9.15am-10.15am
- 18th December: Christmas Pantomime - 1.30pm - 2.30pm
- 19th December: Nursery Nativity - 9.15am - 10am

Please see the dates page and add them to your diaries. Amended dates are in red.

### Notices

- If anyone has any old saucepans, baking trays etc.(anything made of wood, plastic or metal) please donate them to us in Nursery and Reception for our mud kitchen area, as we would love to have more equipment.
- Our After School is now on Class Dojo, please look out for the joining invitation.

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## Nursery

In Nursery we've had a super week! We've been exploring autumn and printing with autumn leaves. We've been making patterns with our bodies and we had a wonderful workshop with the fantastic Open Box Theatre Company!



## Adventurers

This week in maths we have been concentrating on creating repeated patterns. In Phonics we are working hard to read and write words with the sounds we have learnt. In PE we have been having fun learning to move our bodies with the focus story 'The Gruffalo'.



## Discoverers

We have been writing a description of Scrubbing Brush, from the story of, 'Traction Man.' In Maths, we have been learning and building on our knowledge of the whole, part model. In Science this week, we have been discussing which animals can be kept as pets and how to look after them.



## Explorers

We have had a busy week! In English we have been learning about the difference between fiction and non-fiction texts and in Maths we have been adding and subtracting ten and one. Explorers have also enjoyed their second session of forest school this week.



## Investigators

We have been writing our own Stone Age stories, inspired by our class book and trip last week. We have also been making some moving human skeletons and can name lots of bones in our arms and legs.



## Pathfinders

Year 4 have been finding out about how and why volcanoes erupt as well as learning about why we have different types of teeth. Keep practising those times tables at home!



## Groundbreakers

Year 5 have been planning and writing a setting description for Camp Green Lake which they have written up in their First of the Month Books. As October celebrates Black History, we have been looking at the life of Nelson Mandela in order to create a fact file or a biography.



## Trailblazers

This week we had our first go at practice SATs papers. We spent the end of the week creating PowerPoints on countries in South America to then present to the rest of the class.



# Thought for the week

☾ *Our steps are made firm by the Lord, when he delights in our way; though we stumble, we shall not fall headlong, for the Lord holds us by the hand.* - Psalm 37:23-24. ☽

## Something to think about

These are powerful words of trust, trust from God in us while looking at us with pride, always ready to help us. There's also a suggestion of us needing to trust God for it is in that trust that we will receive support and strength in whatever situation we might find ourselves.

It's easy to forget that God loves us, wants what is best for us and takes delight in us enjoying the life created for us. These words are a reminder that when we live our lives in close relationship to God then we will know the Lord's blessing in good times, and support, comfort and love in the more

difficult times.

At BWI, we want everyone to know that they are loved and valued and we strive to help people, often in desperate need, wherever they are and to know that they are upheld by God who walks alongside them in every situation.

## Something to do

Think of someone that you take for granted, or perhaps a situation that benefits you, and spend time giving thanks to God for the special people who are a real blessing to us, or for a situation which gives us joy and peace.





# Attendance at School

**All children are expected to achieve 96% attendance.**

- Attendance of 96% is regarded as good by Ofsted.
- Attendance below 96% is cause for concern and needs improvement.
- Children with attendance below 90% are regarded as persistent absentees and can be referred to the Educational Welfare Officer.
- Every day counts!

## Holidays

Requests for holidays or requests for travelling to visit relatives will **NOT be authorised** under any circumstances. Please note this includes requests to visit relatives who are unwell.

Families who take holidays or travel in term time will be issued with a penalty notice.

## Every day counts!

If your child's attendance during the school year is:	Your child will have lost:	Or they will have missed:
95%	9 days	50 lessons
90%	19 days	100 lessons
85%	29 days	150 lessons
80%	38 days	200 lessons
75%	48 days	250 lessons

## Exceptional or special leave

In exceptional circumstances, parents/carers must make a request to the Headteacher. Please note that it is very unusual for the Headteacher to be able to authorise absence from school.

It is vital that requests are made before making any bookings and documents must be provided to support the application.

In making the decision, the Executive Headteacher will consider the reasons for the absence, your child's current attendance percentage and any previous applications and absences.

Children whose attendance falls below 90% are classified as persistent absence and are regularly referred to Education Welfare service who will then contact parents/ carers.

In serious cases penalty notices (fines) are issued for unauthorised absence. These are currently £120 per person.



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School Events 2023/24**

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Autumn Term	
6 <sup>th</sup> October	Parent Association Coffee Morning & Pre-Loved Uniform Sale - 9.00am-10.00am – Everyone Welcome!
7 <sup>th</sup> October	Open Afternoon
Half Term: Monday 23 <sup>rd</sup> October – Friday 27 <sup>th</sup> October	
30 <sup>th</sup> October	Parent’s Evening - 3.30pm – 6.30pm
31 <sup>st</sup> October	Parent’s Evening – 3.30pm – 6.30pm
5 <sup>th</sup> November	BWI Fireworks event
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19 <sup>th</sup> December	Nursery Nativity – 9.15am – 10.00am
20 <sup>th</sup> December	Christmas Church Service – 10.00 – 11.00
20 <sup>th</sup> December	End of term – 1.15pm
21 <sup>st</sup> December	INSET Day
Christmas Holidays: Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup> December – Sunday 7 <sup>th</sup> January	
15 <sup>th</sup> January	Internet Safety Presentations – 11.15 – 12.15
15 <sup>th</sup> January	Future Life Presentations – Year 6 – 1.15 – 2.45
15 <sup>th</sup> January	Parent’s Association – Penny Wars
2 <sup>nd</sup> February	Young Voices
Half Term: Monday 12 <sup>th</sup> February – Friday 16 <sup>th</sup> February	
19 <sup>th</sup> February	Inset Day – School Closed
8 <sup>th</sup> March	Mother’s Day Stall
11 <sup>th</sup> March	Parent’s Evening – 3.30pm – 6.30pm
12 <sup>th</sup> March	Parent’s Evening – 3.30pm – 6.30pm
20 <sup>th</sup> March	Year 3 Assembly
27 <sup>th</sup> March	Church Service – 10.00 – 11.00
27 <sup>th</sup> March	End of Term – 1.30pm
28 <sup>th</sup> March	INSET Day



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Easter Holidays: Friday 29 <sup>th</sup> March – Sunday 14 <sup>th</sup> April	
22 <sup>nd</sup> May	Year 5 class assembly – 9.00 – 10.00
Half Term: Monday 27 <sup>th</sup> – Friday 31 <sup>st</sup> May	
3 <sup>rd</sup> June – 7 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 6 - PGL
14 <sup>th</sup> June	Father’s Day stall
24 <sup>th</sup> June – 28 <sup>th</sup> June	Bikeability
28 <sup>th</sup> June	Sports Day
6 <sup>th</sup> July	Summer Fair
17 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 6 Leavers Play – 6.00 – 7.00
23 <sup>rd</sup> July	Church Service - 10.00 – 11.00
23 <sup>rd</sup> July	End of term – 1.30pm



# FUNWEEKS

BOOK ALL 5  
DAYS FOR A  
10% DISCOUNT!



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## OCTOBER HALF TERM ACTIVE CAMP

BWI PRIMARY SCHOOL

MONDAY 23RD - FRIDAY 27TH OCTOBER 2023

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# **GIRLS FOOTBALL SESSIONS**

**FREE TASTER  
SESSIONS 4TH &  
11TH NOVEMBER  
9 - 10 AM**

**REC - YEAR 6  
(U5 - U11)**



- ✓ **Ball technique**
- ✓ **Teamwork strategy**
- ✓ **Potential pathway to  
WYFC**



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# SEND FOOTBALL SESSIONS

**TASTER  
SESSIONS 4TH  
AND 11TH  
NOVEMBER  
10-11AM**

**REC - YEAR 6  
(U5-U11'S)**



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# OCTOBER

## HALF TERM CAMP

**NETBALL SKILLS ,FUN  
FRIENDSHIP AND FITNESS**

# 10AM -3PM

**JUNIORS  
U9'S-U16'S**

[Evolutionnetball@gmail.com](mailto:Evolutionnetball@gmail.com)

Wednesday 25th & Thursday 26th October

basic skills and match play yr 3 - 6

Yr 7-8 positional training , technique and  
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Friday 27th October

Yr 9-11 advanced training of timing , movement ,  
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