



NEWSLETTER

11th October 2013

THANK YOU FROM FOOD BANK



We have received a lovely thank you letter from Food Bank for all your wonderful harvest festival donations. They really appreciate your support and generosity. We donated 71.40kg of food and they will use our donation to help get food directly to those families and individuals in Weston that need a helping hand in their time of need.

WONDERFUL WESTHAVEN PLANTS



Year 5 & 6 recently enjoyed a visit to Westhaven plant nursery. Wendy Vincent welcomed them and showed the children around the plant nursery. Wendy was very informative and answered all the children's questions. The plants bought from the nursery have now been planted in our courtyard.

Westhaven plant nursery is open to the public so please do go along and have a look at what they have to offer.

PARENTS' EVENING REMINDER

A reminder that Parents' evening is being held next Tuesday (15th) and Wednesday (16th) October. Letters have been sent out. Please make sure you have returned your reply slip to book a time slot to meet with your child's class teacher.

NEW BOURNVILLE WEBSITE

We now have a new look to our website www.bournville.org go online, take a look and let us know your feedback. Our new website is still evolving, we still have some information to put on there and if you have any suggestions of what you would like to see on our website then please let us know via the school office. Thanks.

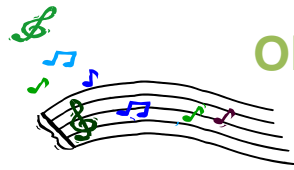
OPEN MORNING – 18th OCTOBER

We will be holding an open morning on Friday 18th October. All parent/carers will have the opportunity to do some fun activities in the classroom with your child. Further details will be sent soon.

FIREWORKS EXTRAVAGANZA



Hans Price Academy Charity Firework Extravaganza. **Thursday 7th November from 5:30pm.** Tickets are available to purchase at our school office or from Hans Price.



OPERA NEWS

Thank you for the kind donations received so far from the introductory letter to the opera. Please keep them coming! Exciting news.....4B have started on their opera learning journey and have named themselves 'Echo Opera Company'. A logo is still in development and the children are still hard at work on vocal training amongst other things! We are also having our first tasters of the different roles which make up an opera company so more news to follow. As always, if you have something to offer 'Echo', please chat to Mr Tucker as well as the young members of this exciting new opera company at Bournville.

OPEN AS USUAL ON 17th OCTOBER

As you will be aware from the media, teaching unions have called a one day strike on Thursday 17th October. We are pleased to say that we will be open as usual on that day and expect no disruption to the children's normal routines.

BOURNVILLE PTA NEEDS YOU!!

It is necessary, as part of Bournville Primary becoming a Foundation Trust school, to go through a process of reconstituting school committees. We now need to form our PTA Committee. We are looking for volunteers to be part of the PTA committee and people that could fill the roles of Chair, Treasurer and Secretary. Our PTA provide valuable support to the school, working together to create successful, fun events for our families to enjoy whilst raising valuable funds to help buy equipment and experiences for our children to enjoy.

Please consider joining in and helping. There is no minimum commitment just do as much as you would like to. All efforts will be gratefully received. If you are interested in being a PTA member, please contact Judy Holden on 01934 427130.



SPORTS NEWS

Our school football and netball teams played against Oldmixon Primary last Friday. Both our teams played a great game but unfortunately we lost 7-2 in football and 3-0 in netball.

We are looking forward to playing our next set of matches, at home, against Windwhistle on Monday after school. Please do come along and support our teams from the sidelines!

SHARE GROUP

SHARE parent and child group is starting on **Friday 18th October, 1-3pm** in the Xtnd POD. SHARE is a Parent Group, about sharing time with your children.

Come along for a coffee, chat with other parents and join in some fun activities with your child. Everyone is welcome, no need to book a place, just come along on the day. If you would like further information please contact Judy Holden on 01934 427130.



YOUR LOCAL CHARITY

AUTUMN BERRY BREAKFAST



There will be a special Autumn Berry Breakfast Club on Friday 25th October 8:00am-8:45am. Everyone is welcome.....Years R - 6, regulars, new children, parents, carers and grandparents. Come along and enjoy some delicious porridge, flapjacks and hot chocolate. Only 40p per person.

GIRLS ALLOWED

Quality time for Mums & Daughters
to

Cook, chat and chill together
New group starts

Tuesday 15th October
4pm - 6pm

at Bournville school community rooms

To book your place or for further
information call Lynn on 427134

DIARY DATES:

October

- 15th Parents Evening
- 16th Parents Evening
- 18th Open Morning
- 22nd "From Rags to Riches" performance (1:30pm)
- 23rd "From Rags to Riches" performance (6:30pm)
- 25th Last day of term

November

- 4th Back to school
- 11th **Inset Day** - school closed for staff training

December

- 6th Open Morning
- 9th Christmas topic starts
- 19th School Christmas Dinner
- 20th Last day of term

January

- 6th Back to school
- 27th Parent questionnaire sent out

February

- 7th Open Morning
- 11th Parents Evening
- 12th Parents Evening
- 14th Last day of term
- 24th Back to school

North Somerset Libraries

Children's and young people's Library survey

Notes for parents and carers

During the weeks 21st October to 3rd November we are undertaking a young people's library survey.

Library staff will be asking children and young people to complete a questionnaire while they are in the library. The short questionnaire asks for information on how children use the library and what they think of the library they visit.

Library staff and volunteers will be on hand to help, answer queries and give more practical support if needed.

The survey results will help us identify things we need to improve or change.

Please encourage your child to participate in the survey. It is an important opportunity for them to tell us what they think of the service we provide for them!

If you have any further queries about the survey, please do not hesitate to ask a member of the library staff or Deputy Libraries Manager Mary Lamb 01934 426994
mary.lamb@n-somerset.gov.uk

Thank you for your help

ROLL OF HONOUR

Class Certificates

- 1a Chloe and Megan-Rose
- 1b Lincoln and Poppie
- 2a Taylor and Destiny
- 2b Leeland and Chloe
- 3a Brandon and Konrad
- 3b Alaska and Tara
- 4a Haydn and Katie
- 4b Julia and Reece
- 5a Jacob and Holly
- 5b Leo and Chelsey
- 6b Katrina, Jakub, Millie and Trinity.

Better Learners Certificate

- 1a Bethany and Joshua
- 1b Alesha, Karson and Rio
- 2a Mark and Becca
- 2b Phoenix and Mikey
- 3a Liam and Piper
- 3b Thomas and Rhiannon
- 4a Charlie and Rhys
- 4b Jessica and Corey
- 5a Dannye and Adam
- 5b Bryony and Tommy

Maths Certificate

Rhys (4a), Kai (4a), Lilygrace (4a), Tilly Ann (4a), Kacie (4a), Lily Grace (4a), Tilly Ann (4a), Caitlin (4a), Niall (4a), Jessica N (4b), Cole (4b) and Adam (4b)

Reading Certificate

Charlie (3a), Elle (3a), Maddie (3a), Zak (4a) and Kerys (4a)

Light Blue

Phoenix (2b), Lilly (2b) and Chloe (2b)

Dark Blue

Mikey (2b)

Dark Green

Taya (2a), Kaydon (2a), Jed (2b) and Steve (2b)

Pink

Harley (1a) and Chloe (1a)