



NEWSLETTER

15th November 2013

PHOTOGRAPH ORDERS BY 21ST NOVEMBER



Orders and payment for your child's school photograph need to be given to the school office by next Thursday, 21st November.

SLOW DOWN WATCH YOUR SPEED



A number of cars are entering the school car park at speed. For the safety of our children and families please slow down and drive carefully when entering our school.

PTA @ BOURNVILLE

Thank you to those people that have offered to help on the PTA, we greatly appreciate your support.

We still need more PTA members so please do sign up as soon as possible. All efforts will be gratefully received. If you are interested in being a PTA member, pick up a form from the School Office or contact Judy Holden on 01934 427130.



Can you help at our Christmas Fair?



Do you make greeting cards, jewellery or other unique gifts as a hobby or small business? We are offering stalls at our Fair to people/businesses who offer gifts for sale. If you are interested please get in touch.

MEETING FOR PARENTS OF CHILDREN JOINING NURSERY IN JANUARY

We will be holding a nursery welcome meeting on **Friday 22nd November at 10:30am** for parents/carers of children due to start Nursery in January. Please do come along.

OPEN MORNING – 6th DECEMBER

We will be holding an open morning on Friday 6th December. All parent/carers will have the opportunity to do some fun activities in the classroom with your child. Further details will be sent out nearer the time.



SANTA STEAM TRAIN

Steam into Christmas and see Santa on the Avon Valley Railway.

Every weekend from late November to Christmas Eve, Father Christmas will be on the steam train at the Avon Valley Railway. Accompanied by his helpers he will make his way along the train, stopping to talk to all the children and, providing they have been good, give them each a present! Delicious mince pies and festive biscuits are also served during the train ride.



Tickets are priced from £9.00 each. For more information or to book your tickets for this fantastic Santa experience visit www.avonvalleyrailway.org or telephone 0117 932 5538

Avon Valley Railway have kindly donated two family tickets, valid until December 2014 and these will be included in our Christmas Prize Draw. Avon Valley Railway offer a variety of great events throughout the year including family fun days and Thomas the Tank Engine specials.



BOURNVILLE CHRISTMAS FAIR

Ho, Ho, Ho.....Christmas Celebrations are coming to Bournville.

We will be holding our school Christmas Fair on **Friday 13th December 2-4pm** in the main hall. There will be a variety of stalls, a Christmas raffle, refreshments, mince pies and much more. Watch this space for further information on our fun filled festivities.

CHILDREN STARTING SCHOOL SEPTEMBER 2014

If you have a child due to start in Reception year in **September 2014** (children born between 1 September 2009 and 31 August 2010 may start school in September 2014). You need to apply for your child's school place by **15th January**.

The deadline for the submission of applications to North Somerset School Admissions is **11:59pm on 15th January 2014**. If you have access to the internet you can apply online at <http://www.n-somerset.gov.uk/Education/Schools/Admissions>

Alternatively, our school office have application forms and will be happy to answer any questions you may have about the forms, they can also post them off for you.



SMALL CHANGE SESSIONS

Give yourself a money makeover with Alliance Homes exciting new programme of small change sessions. Designed to give help with budgeting, money saving ideas, banking, dealing with debt and much more. Sessions will be held at The Substation, 1 St Andrews Parade from 9:30am – 12:30pm. Dates are Tuesday 3rd December 2013, Tuesday 21st January 2014, Tuesday 18th February and further dates throughout 2014. Attend a session and they'll provide lunch and a £5 shopping voucher too! Pre-booking is essential, call Kerry Miller on 03000 120120 or drop in at the I-Station to book your place.

MACMILLAN COFFEE MORNING

We will be holding a Macmillan coffee morning on **Wednesday 27th November** from 9-11am in Bournville Community Room.

Come along and join us for a cuppa, some delicious cakes and chat amongst friends.

All money raised from the sale of refreshments and cakes will be donated to Macmillan Cancer Support.

During the week of the 25th-29th November we will also have a tree of remembrance in the school reception area. For a small donation to Macmillan Support, people can place a message, photo or ribbon on the tree to remember friends or loved ones who have been affected by cancer.



YOUR LOCAL CHARITY

XTND TRUSTEES

Are you passionate about the community and want to help us achieve our vision to support families in the area? We are looking for two Trustees to join us here at XTND. No experience is necessary but knowledge of working with a charity and the local area would be great.

If you would like to get involved please contact Amy or Lynn on Tel: 01934 427134 or email amy@xtnd.org.uk

COME FOR A CUPPA

Parent coffee mornings are held every Wednesday 9-10:30am in the school Community Room. A chance to chat, make friends and share ideas over a cup of tea/coffee. Everyone is welcome so please do come along.



ROLL OF HONOUR

Class Certificates

- 1a Lily and Harley
- 1b Precious and Harriet
- 2a Kallie and Radiyya
- 2b Steve
- 3a Alice and Tazmin
- 3b Corey and Chelsea
- 4b Shane and Ellie-Mae
- 5a Tayler and Ethan
- 5b Jack and Nikita
- 6a Danielle and Paige
- 6b Kaci-Marie, Ffiona, Grace and Tyler

Better Learners Certificate

- 1a Jordan and Lewis
- 1b Harrison and Nicholas
- 2a Milayna
- 2b Terry and Owen
- 3a Callum and Kyle
- 3b Shaquillah and John
- 4b Cole and Tyi
- 5a Theo and Melissa
- 5b Chloe and Kacie
- 6a Paige and Chanel

Maths Certificate

Kane (4b), Charlie (4b), Jessica (4b), Brandon (4b), Angel (4b), Alfie (4b), Tyi (4b), Katy (4b) and Mayson (4b).

Reading Certificate

Caitlin (4a), Liam (4a), Carol (4a), Charlie (4a) and Maisie (3a)

Bronze

Paige (6a) and Leanne (6a).

Light Blue

Charlotte (2b), Madison (2b) and Tiana (2a)

Dark Blue

Logan (2a)

Pink

Gracelyn (1a), Ellie (1a), Leah (1a), Gabriela (1a), Joel (1a), Logan (1b), Kyan (1b), Kaden (1b), Toyah (1b), Corben (1b), Lilly-Mae (1b) and Kodie (2a)

DIARY DATES:

November

- 21st School Photograph orders in
- 27th Macmillan coffee morning

December

- 6th Open Morning
- 9th Christmas topic starts
- 11th Reception Christmas performance
- 12th Reception Christmas performance
- 13th Christmas Fair 2-4pm
- 17th KS1 Christmas performance
- 18th KS1 Christmas performance
- 19th School Christmas Dinner
- 20th KS2 Carol Service, 1.30pm
- 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

March

- 28th Open Morning