



# Bearwood Primary and Nursery School Newsletter

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& SUCCEEDING  
TOGETHER!

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## Important Dates

**The Emergency Services Family Fun Day, at King's Park on Saturday 22nd July 2017**

### INSET DAYS FOR 2017-2018

Monday 4th September 2017  
Monday 11th September 2017  
Tuesday 2nd January 2018  
Friday 9th February 2018  
Monday 4th June 2018

**Term Dates for 2017-2018**  
**Autumn Term**  
Monday 4th September 2017 to  
Friday 15th December 2017

**Half Term**  
Monday 23rd October 2017 to  
Friday 27th October 2017

**Spring Term**  
Tuesday 2nd January 2018 to  
Thursday 29th March 2018

**Half Term**  
Monday 12th February 2018 to  
Friday 16th February 2018

**Summer Term**  
Monday 16th April 2018 to  
Wednesday 25th July 2018

**Half Term**  
Monday 28th May 2018 to  
Friday 1st June 2018

## Headteacher's Update

We are in the process of updating and improving our school library, with thanks to the PFA and Mr White (who has been busy building us new shelving). To make way for the new books we have had a tidy up and sort out of the books currently in the library. We have decided to take some out of the library and are going to be selling them in the shelter after school on Tuesday 18th and Thursday 20th July for 20p each. Please come and have a look and see if there is anything your children would like to buy. Any money raised will go back into the library project. We hope to see you there.

Huge congratulations to the year 5 and 6 children and staff who put on an amazing production - goose bump moment!

## Request for Old Wellies

Do you have any unwanted colourful wellies? If so, please could you donate them to school? Thank you very much



## Sports ambassadors

### Trigolf Festival

On Thursday 25th May, 10 Willow base children took part in a Trigolf festival where they had to putt and chip the ball in different mini games. The children were excellent in supporting one another, and as the morning progressed their confidence grew. The children are very keen to take part next year.



### Quadkids

On Tuesday 13th June, 12 Maple base children took part in a Quadkids tournament, where they had to throw a vortex, participate in a standing long jump, sprint 75metres and endure a 600m run! The children showed great perseverance and determination to finish each event, and were extremely supportive to each other and those in other schools. We know what to expect for next year!



## Safeguarding/Child Protection:

Bearwood Primary and Nursery School is committed to the safeguarding and welfare of children and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. **If you have any concerns**, please contact the following people through the school office:

The designated child protection/safeguarding officer is: Mrs Laura Bennett, Headteacher. The deputy designated child protection/safeguarding officer is: Mrs Sally Wall, Deputy Headteacher. The pastoral support worker is: Mrs Katy Bray.



## French Words of the week

This week's phrase is:  
Pourquoi?/Parce que  
(Why?/because)



## The following children have been celebrated this week

	For Learning	For Respect	Whole Class
Oak 2	Theo	Emma	Amazing writing
Holly 1	Alfie		Science lesson
Holly 2	Lucy	Amelia	Supporting each other
Willow 1	Ben	James	Mosaic work
Willow 2	Chloe & Ellie-Mae	Roger	Amazing homework on Italy
Maple 1	Reece & Lewis	Marc	Welcoming the Chinese visitors
Maple 2	Tristan	Lee	Amazing SATs results

Best Attendance: Holly 1 98%

### **Summer Football Festival 2017**

This year's summer football festival for boys and girls in years 1-4, will be held on 15th to 17th August between 9:00am and 3:00pm at Merley 1st School. The cost will be £50 per person. Everyone will receive a new football and medal. Total Sports will be running a 3 day football festival for boys and girls of all abilities. They will learn new skills, techniques and games whilst promoting team play and sportsmanship throughout the course. To book a space please call 01202 610276/07795258274

### **Lunchboxes.**

As a school we don't allow sweets or fizzy drinks as part of packed lunches, we like to promote a balanced and healthy approach. We have become increasingly aware that pupils have sweets and chocolate bars as part of their lunch. We would welcome your support in not including such items in lunchboxes.

### **Respecting our Neighbours**

When parking outside the school, please can you park with consideration for our neighbours, as we have had a few complaints recently.

### **Lost Property**

On Monday 17th July between 3:30pm and 4:30pm the lost property that hasn't been claimed will be put out at the front of the school for you to look through and claim.

### **Unacceptable Behaviour on School Grounds**

As you are aware we will not tolerate parents/adults taking things into their own hands by addressing other parents or children on the school grounds. If you have any concerns, please come directly to the school so we can deal with it. Abusive behaviours will not be tolerated and could lead to banning from the school site.

### **Presents for Staff**

Often our parents and their children want to thank our staff for the work they have done with the children by buying them a present.

We would like to remind you that although there is not a set limit on how much people can spend, if you buy a gift that is over £25 then the recipient will have to declare it and they will be taxed on it. If you need any more information, please contact the office.

**Piccolo Mondo** Established 1982

**End of Year Ice Cream, Sweet, cake and Tombola Sale**  
Friday 21st July 1pm

**Turn Up It's The end of the school year**

**TOMBOLA**