



SOUTH BERSTED CE PRIMARY SCHOOL

Newsletter

1st July 2022

Transition Day:

On Wednesday 6th July, we will be holding Transition Day. Pupils will spend the morning with their class teacher and teaching assistant for the next academic year. During the morning, pupils will be introduced to the text 'Super Silly Museums' and will be completing different activities related to the book. Pupils should arrive as normal and enter their current classrooms.

Our youngest pupils have already been preparing for their transition to the next steps in their learning with Penguin Class playing on the KS1 playground and pupils in Year 2 playing on the Key Stage 2 playground.

On Wednesday 6th July, we also look forward to welcoming our new Reception pupils and families to school and we wish our Year 6 pupils' good luck for their transition day at their new secondary schools.

Staying Safe Online:

Further to my ParentMail message earlier this week related to the fictional character 'Huggy Wuggy,' you can access further information about this character and the game 'Poppy's Playtime' in our [March Online Safety Newsletter](#).

Year 4 Activity Day:

Last Friday, our Year 4 pupils engaged in a range of exciting activities including archery, rock climbing and roasting marshmallows, which culminated with them camping on the school field. I was incredibly proud of how the children faced the challenges and supported each other!

'I liked archery! I had not done it before and it was really exciting.'

'I enjoyed the orienteering because we all worked together.'

'It was my first time camping – it was really fun! I would like to do it again sometime!'

'I liked the rock climbing because I got to the top and last time I didn't get far.'



Home Learning Challenges:

It is excellent to see children accessing the current Whole School Home Learning Challenge. A reminder that you can view the challenges and enter your child's results by following this [link](#).

The form will remain open until Wednesday 6th July at 7.00pm. Winners of each of the events will be announced in Friday's Collective Worship.

Key Stage 2 Sports Day:

This morning we were delighted to be able to hold the Key Stage 2 Sports Day, and we welcomed many parents, carers and extended family to watch the events.

Despite an unexpected shower half way through, the children were able to participate in a number of track and field events. The results from the KS2 events today were as follows

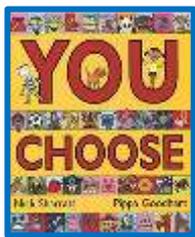
1st Place	Fire	259 points
2nd Place	Air	255 points
3rd Place	Water	244 points
4th Place	Earth	210 points

Once the Key Stage 1 Sports Day has taken place on Monday, we will combine all the scores and announce the winning house team. Please do look at our Facebook page to view some photographs of today's events.

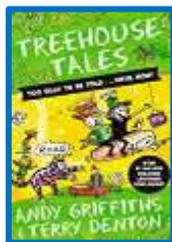
Reading Recommendations:

Congratulations to **Zack C** in Year 5 who has become a word millionaire reading 1,152,177 words across 39 books this year. To recognise this achievement, Zack will receive a £10 Amazon voucher to spend on books of his choice!

Key Stage 1



Years 3 and 4



Years 5 and 6



Numbots:



Congratulations to the following children who this week earned the most coins in their year groups:

Reception: Billy P **Year 1:** Bailey B **Year 2:** Antonia T

Billy, Bailey and **Antonia** have all received a certificate to recognise their achievement.

Red Book:

Due to Sports Day this morning, there was no Collective Worship today therefore red Book names will be announced next week.

Dance Extravaganza:

We are delighted to be holding our Dance Extravaganza event again this year, which will take place on **Wednesday 20th July**. We are maintaining our Jubilee theme, with each class performing a dance from the past 70 years! This is a fantastic community event and we look forward to welcoming families to school to celebrate the power of music and dance. The classes have each been working hard in preparation for performing their dance routine for you. **Gates will open at 1.30pm and the event will begin at 1.45pm.**

Pupils will return to class at 3.00pm, to collect their belongings ready to leave school at 3.15pm.

Dance
EXTRAVAGANZA!

Year 6 – Uniform Donations:

As our Year 6 pupils come to the end of their time at South Bersted Primary School, if you have any good quality uniform items which you no longer need, please consider donating them to the school for our second-hand uniform sales.

We are always in need of larger size cardigans and jumpers, so any donations would be gratefully received.

Upcoming Events:

Please find below a summary of upcoming events up until the end of the term. School events are also available to view on the [calendar](#) on our website:

Date	Who	Details
Monday 1 st July	Years R/1/2	Key Stage 1 Sports Day (9.15 – 11.30am) – RESCHEDULED
Tuesday 5 th July	Year 5	Beach visit
Wednesday 6 th July	ALL	Transition Day
Wednesday 6 th July	Year 3&4 x 11	Football at Bersted Green Primary
11-13 th July	Year 6	Residential to Fairthorne Manor
Monday 18 th July	ALL	Open Evening (3.30 – 6.30pm)
Tuesday 19 th July	Year 6	Leavers Activities (3.15 -5.30pm)
Wednesday 20 th July	ALL	Dance Extravaganza – parents/carers welcome from 1.30pm
Thursday 21 st July	ALL	Last Day of term (finish at 3.15pm)



Letters Sent Home This Week:

Please find below a summary of letters sent home this week:

Date	To	Details
30 th June	Year 4	Snow Leopard Fundraiser and Camping Refund
30 th June	ALL	Open Evening (18 th July)
30 th June	KS2 x 40	Area Athletics Event (7 th July)

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