



BISHOP'S TACHBROOK C of E PRIMARY SCHOOL

Friday June 7th 2019 Newsletter 30



Dear Parents, Carers and Children,

STARS OF THE WEEK

Well done to:

All of Reception with a special mention to Alex, Brandon (Y1), Isla and Luke (Y2), Gracie (Y3), Joseph (Y4), Santi (Y5) and Josh (Y6).

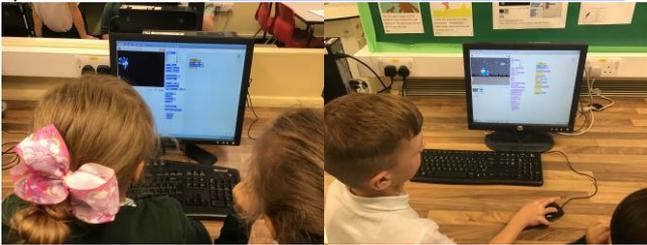
Head Teacher's Stars are Joshua G and Sachin whose reading has really come on so well.

CLASS OF THE WEEK

It's Y1 for their hard work and excellent attitude towards their work. We are so proud of them all.

PROGRAMMING

Pictured below are Y2 busy at work programming their sprites in 'Scratch'. [You can download 'Scratch' FREE here.](#)



BEST ATTENDANCE

It's Y5 and Y1 who both had an unbeatable 100%.

OUT OF SCHOOL CLUB FROM SEPTEMBER 2019

After a long period without a leader, we are delighted to announce a new partnership between the School and '[Go Go Makers](#)', starting next term. The OOSC committee and staff of OOSC have worked very hard during the many months without a leader and I am indebted to the committee for helping us reach a solution to ensure we can continue to provide top quality care here. Go Go Makers will be managing the before and after school care at the school from September 2019 and they will be bringing a new manager to work closely with our existing staff in OOSC to provide the very best care possible for our children at breakfast time, after school and also in the holidays and half terms. Emma Canning, the director of Go Go Makers, will be available to meet parents on Wednesday next week from 4.00pm - 5.45pm to meet you and answer any questions. Do drop in and say hello to her.

STAFFING 2019-2020

At the end of this term we will be saying goodbye to three members of staff. Miss Wright has decided to leave England and return to Bonnie Scotland; clearly our loss and Scotland's gain. We have appointed Mrs Brain, a very experienced Early Years specialist to teach our new Reception class. Mrs Russell and Mrs Taylor are moving on at the end of their maternity contracts here. We wish them all well and look forward to welcoming back Mrs Davies and Mrs Potter. The teaching staff for next year will be as follows:

Reception: Mrs Brain

Year 1: Miss Gregory

Year 2: Mrs Rhodes and Mrs Dixon

Year 3: Mrs Davies and Mrs French

Year 4: Mrs Power and Mrs White

Year 5: Mrs Potter

Year 6: Mrs Boak and Mrs Pepin.

PARENT GOVERNOR VACANCY

Next term there will be a vacancy on the Governing Body because it is the end of the term of office for Nicola Burke, who has successfully contributed to the continuing success of the school, its wider curriculum and our recent 'Good' result from Ofsted. Nicola is keen to continue in this role but should any other parents wish to be considered for this post, please get in touch with me directly before the end of next week so that we can hold the necessary election. In the event that there are not any other candidates, Nicola will continue and will be automatically re-elected.

KEEPING EVERYONE SAFE

It's not possible to allow children to play on the school equipment before or after school. At 8.40, children should line up ready for their teachers. At 3.15pm, we must ask parents to take their children home. This is to safeguard everyone so that Onside Coaching and OOSC can see exactly who they are responsible for. As soon as possible after 3.15pm, OOSC children need to have access to the super new equipment and the playground. Thank you all.

SPORTS DAY TEAS AND OTHER HOUSEKEEPING

Tea and Coffee will be available on the deck outside the OOSC building during the morning to raise funds for the PTA. Parents and visitors are reminded that any pictures they take may NOT be uploaded to social media if they contain any other child. Toilets for adults will be available in the OOSC building and no visitors will be allowed to enter the school building. Thank you for helping to keep everyone safe.

YOU SAID, WE LISTENED

The pupils in KS2 are hard at work rehearsing the songs and learning their lines for our brand new musical, 'Mystery at Magpie Manor'. This year, due to the popularity of the evening performances and thanks to feedback from parents, we are putting on **two** evening shows at 6.00pm on Wednesday and Thursday 10th and 11th July. If, for any reason, your child is unable to attend a performance, please inform the class teacher as soon as possible. Break a leg everyone!



And finally, what do you do if you see a space man?
You park in it, man!
Best wishes,

Andy Brettell Head Teacher

Word of the week: patient

The children were very patient as they waited for the rain to stop.