

Boldmere Junior School – Newsletter COFIELD ROAD, SUTTON COLDFIELD, B73 5SD Telephone: 464 3656 Fax: 0121 464 1344 Website: www.bldmerej.bham.sch.uk



Dear Parents/Guardians

18 June 2019 No 35

General Information

School Fund

Thank you to everyone who has made a contribution of $\pounds 10$ towards the school fund this academic year via ParentPay. This money will help subsidise a number of activities in school, benefiting all of our children.

Head Lice in School

Unfortunately, we have head lice in school. We attach a copy our letter giving the recommended procedure as discussed with the school nurse team. We would ask that all parents/guardians please help to stop the spread of these head lice by checking their child's hair on a regular basis, even after treatment.

Forthcoming Events

Year 6 Cake Sale – Thursday 20 June 2019

A reminder that year 6 will be organising a cake sale in school this Thursday. This is to help raise money towards a variety of activities year 6 will be taking part in at the end of this term. They would welcome your support. If you would like you child to bring in some 'pocket money', the cakes will be sold at a cost of 20p/50p. If there are any cakes left over on that day, they will be sold on the following day of that week (Friday).

If your child is in year 6 and would like to bake some cakes, please bring them into school on Thursday morning of 20 June. All tins/containers must be named.

<u>Upper School (yrs 5 and 6) Sports Day – Thursday 27 June 2019</u> <u>at 9.30 am to 11 am</u>

A reminder that parents/guardians are invited to attend upper school sports day (years 5 and 6), which will take place on the junior school field at 9.30 am until approx. 10.30 am (weather permitting

Year 6 Transition Day – Wednesday 3 July 2019

A reminder that children in year 6 will be visiting their secondary schools on Wednesday 3 July 2019 (unless otherwise advised). They will not come into Boldmere Junior School on that day, but will go direct to their new secondary school. They must wear their Boldmere Junior School uniform. For more details, please ensure you contact your child's secondary school direct or visit their website. *If your child is not taking part in the transition day, they must come into Boldmere Junior School as normal.*

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Lower School Sports Day (years 3 and 4) Thursday 4 July 2019 at 9.30 am to 11 am

A reminder that parents/guardians are invited to attend lower school sports day (years 3 and 4), which will take place on the junior school field at 9.30 am until approx. 10.30 am (weather permitting).

Year 6 School Production – Aladdin

Parents/guardians of children in year 6 are invited to attend their school production of Aladdin. The performances will take place on:

- Tuesday 9 July 2019 at 2.00 pm
- Wednesday 10 July at 6.00 pm

Parents/guardians will be allocated <u>two tickets per performance</u> and these will be sent home via your child nearer the event.

Year 6 Bowling Trip – Monday 15 July 2019

A bowling trip has been organised for year 6 children on Monday 15 July 2019 at Tamworth. A letter has been sent out to all year 6 children this week giving full details. We will require your consent for this trip. **Please ensure you return the consent slip**. This trip is being subsidised, however, we are asking for a voluntary contribution of £11via ParentPay. There will be a buffet lunch meal included in the cost, so there is no need to provide your child with a packed lunch on this day.

Year 6 Leavers' Disco – After school – 3.45 pm - Thursday 18 July 2019

Year 6 teachers have organised an after school disco for Thursday 18 July 2019. Children will stay in school at the end of the school day and will be offered a pizza tea and disco, before they then walk up to the church for the Leavers' Assembly (see details below). A letter regarding this event will be sent out nearer the time.

Year 6 Leaver's Assembly - St Michael's Church - Thursday 18 July 2019

Parents/guardians of children in year 6 are invited to attend the above assembly, which will take place at St Michael's Church on 18 July 2019 at 6 pm. This will last approximately one hour. The children will walk up to the church from school after their leavers' disco. More details regarding this event will be sent out nearer the time.

Parents' Evening - 'Drop In' - Thursday 11 July 2019

Parents/guardians are invited to Parents Evening on Thursday 11 July 2019 from 4-6 pm. This is a drop in session (no appointment necessary) and is an opportunity to chat to your child's class teacher and meet their new teacher for the next academic year.

<u>Boreatton Park – Year 6 Residential Trip – September 2019</u>

If you have not already sent in your medical/additional needs/consent form, please do so by the end of this week at the latest.

FAO Year 5 Parents/Guardians

<u>The Grammar Schools in Birmingham Entrance Test for entry in</u> September 2020 -

A reminder that the test for September 2020 entry will be held on <u>Saturday 7 September</u> 2019 and parents of <u>year 5 children</u> considering a Grammar School education for their child will need to register them for the test by **4pm on FRIDAY 28 JUNE 2019**. For more information, visit <u>www.birminghamgrammarschools.org</u>

Attendance for last week

The winners of our weekly Head Teacher's certificate for the best attendance week ending 14/6/2019 were classes 4J and 6T. <u>Whole School Attendance for week 14/6/2019</u> was 97.85%.

Busy Bodies

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

June Booking forms and fees- There are a number of fees still outstanding for the month of June. Kindly check your child's ParentPay account and clear all unsettled fees. Should you require any additional information with regards to your child's account, please speak with the Busy Bodies manager.

<u>PTA</u>

Boldmere PTA Summer Fayre - Friday 28 June 2019 - 4.30pm to 7.00pm

A reminder that the Summer Fayre will take place on Friday 28 June 2019. See attached flyer for your information.

Summer Fayre – Raffle Tickets – your child will have brought home a letter with raffle tickets attached. Please send any raffle ticket money into the school office in a sealed envelope. If you would like further tickets, please contact the school office.

<u>Lost Property – School Coat</u>

We have a missing coat. The description is a green khaki padded Parka Coat with a fur trip on the hood. It is an F&F make. If anyone finds this, please bring to the school office. Thank you.

Community News

Disclaimer - The following community events are for your information. Should you wish to obtain further information or attend, it is at parents' own discretion.

Transition Thursdays - Clifton Road Youth Centre - FAO Year 6 children

Clifton Road Youth Centre are running 'Transition Thursdays' on the following dates: **27 June, 4 July, 11 July and 18 July from 4-6 pm**. For more information, please phone 0121 355 2438.

<u>Open Evening: Monday 24 June – 6-8 pm King Edward's School, Edgbaston,</u> <u>Birmingham</u>

For more details see website: <u>www.kes.org.uk/scholarships-and-assisted-places</u> or email office@kes.org.uk

We have leaflets in the school entrance for the following activity centres:

Legoland Discovery Centre and National Sea Life Centre – 20% off on a combi ticket for up to 4 people. Must be pre-booked on line before 5 July 2019.

Mrs N Silverwood Head of School