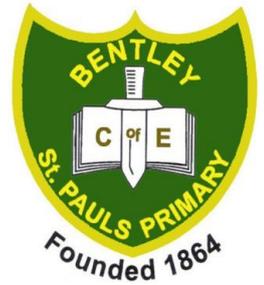




Bentley St Paul's Newsletter



"Growing together in faith, love and trust, we will succeed"

29th March 2018

Dear Parents,

It is a hard to believe we have reached the end of the spring term. It has been a short term but an action packed one! I would like to thank all the staff and the children for their continued hard work and energy and all the parents for their support and encouragement.

Lingotot - Spanish Lessons

These have now been collected by Lingotot. They will be contacting parents over the Easter Holidays. The club will start on 16th April at lunchtime. If you have not been contacted or paid for this club please do not send your child along to Spanish lessons. Call the Lingotot Office on 08456808148.

School Photos

All classes have now been sent home and we hope that you are happy with your class photo. We have also sent choir photos home. Please make sure that they are back by the deadline of 16th April 2018.

Sports Relief

A massive thankyou to everyone that helped make this day so spectacular. We would also like to say a huge thankyou to Miss Buckingham and Mr Pickett for all their hard work during the day. We are delighted to announce that we raised a massive £1230 Congratulations must go to Franklin in Class 4 who raised £45.00 he is the winner of the KS2 prize. Franklin has won vouchers for Kidtroplis in London. Samuel in class 2 raised a whopping £49.00 and he wins vouchers to Marsh Farm. Well done to the both of you.



Teachers vs Children Netball Match

Last Friday years 5 and 6 played a netball match against the teachers in aid of Sport Relief. It was fun and very challenging. On the teacher's team there was: Mrs Putt, Mrs Hanlon, Mrs Kemp, Mrs Hack, Miss Buckingham, Miss Cotter, Mrs Toomey, Mr Pickett and Mrs Wilmhurst. The children were split into four teams and played to their best standard, but the teachers were too experienced and full of energy that they went on to thrash the children 11 - 3. On the children's team, Bobby - year 5, scored all three goals. Mrs Putt, Mrs Hanlon, Mr Pickett, Mrs Hack and Mrs Wilmhurst scored for the teacher's team, although Mrs Putt says she scored most of the goals. Written by Emily and Jemima Year 6.

Year 4 Trip to Ipswich Museum

On Tuesday we visited Ipswich museum to learn about the Egyptians. Our tour guide was called Tim, he very entertaining. He took us to a gallery where we got to see Lady Tathathor's Head Crest and there was a sign saying, "I see wonderful things" - a quote from Howard Carter. It was a fantastic day which we all thoroughly enjoyed. Thank you to Mrs Dunning for organising. Written by Henry Stananought.

Music and Dance Evening

What a wonderful way to finish term celebrating music and dance across the school. As always the children demonstrated their dedication and commitment to the arts, something we love to see at Bentley. Thank you to all the staff who helped to plan and organise the evening.

On Wednesday evening the choir, dancers and musicians took part in a musical show. All the parents and families came to watch. The show was opened with a dance and song called the Greatest Show. There were a variety of instruments played and even a confetti cannon launched at the end! Written by Austin Bare - Brown and Katie Allison Year 5.

Wedding Congratulations

During the Easter Holidays Miss Cotter will be getting married in Cyprus. We would like to wish her and her husband-to-be many congratulations and wish them a very happy day. We look forward to hearing all about it next term. Miss Cotter will return as Mrs Chapman.

A Sad Farwell

Yesterday we said goodbye to Mrs Taylor, who has been a member of staff at Bentley for the past 8 years. Over those years she has been an integral part of the team and will be missed greatly by the staff and the children.

Mrs Zena Turner has left us today, Zena has been working in our kitchen for the last few years and we will miss her. We'd like to thank her for all her hard work.

I'd Like to wish you all a very happy and restful Easter.

Events for week beginning 16th April 2018

	Monday 16th	Tuesday 17th	Wednesday 18th	Thursday 19th	Friday 20th
Classes	Children return to school		Rapid Fire Cricket Tournament/ Selected children	Yr 4 Weald Park/ Frontline Drama Group Yr 2	Year 3 Kazen kai in Hall
Clubs	No clubs with Mrs Kemp or Mr Pickett this week All other clubs to start				

Let Us Pray.....

Dear God,

Please keep us all safe during the holidays, thank you for a wonderful term and let us remember that Easter is not just about the chocolate but remembering what Jesus sacrificed for us.

Amen

Please note the children return to school on Monday 16th April 2018