



Belton C of E Primary School

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Newsletter 2 Spring Term
12th January 2018

Parent Governor Vacancy

We have a vacancy for a parent governor to serve on the school's governing body. We are looking for skills/experience in Information Technology and a working knowledge of educational policy and practice. If you would like to take this opportunity to put yourself forward as a candidate please request an application pack from the school office. **Election forms must be returned to our school office by midday on Wednesday 17th January 2018.**

Well Done Evie!

Congratulations go to Evie in the Bears Class who has been awarded a merit in her Music Theatre – Grade 2 examination by the University of West London. Evie performed 2 songs – Under the Bamboo Tree and When I Grow Up. Evie received some positive comments. Well done!



Staff News

We welcome Miss Vicky Wright to work this term with the Bears class as part of her teacher training qualification. Miss Demetriou has moved to another school this term and will be back here in April.



Wellbeing Award for Schools

<https://www.awardplace.co.uk/award/was>

Thank you to Darryl Clarke, Rachel Hammond and Rebecca Lakin who have all volunteered to be part of our change team in our bid to achieve the Wellbeing in Schools Award. The first team meeting will be held on Wednesday 17th January in school and we will let you know the outcomes and details of the next stage.

Internet Safety - What are Your Children Doing Online

We have been asked by Simon Genders, our Safeguarding Development Officer at Leicestershire County Council, on behalf of the police to ask all parents and carers to complete an e-safety survey about what your children are doing online. The survey doesn't take long to complete and will be live until the end of January 2018. Please take time to do this if possible.

<https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/internetsafetysurvey4parents>

Tigers Stay and Play

We welcomed seven parents and carers into school this morning and they enjoyed working with the children, constructing paper bridges and feeding Trolls high frequency words! We were also recycling and upcycling milk and beer bottle tops collected by our parents, who made a Troll to live under the sensory garden!

Our next Play and Stay session is on
Monday 29th January
from 8.45am – 10am





Forest Club

If you have any unwanted, old adult size shirts please send them into school for Forest Club to use.
Many thanks.

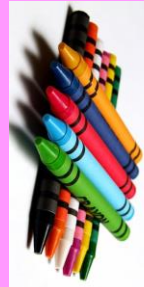


DioSing!

Does your child enjoy singing?

Leicester Cathedral Choir is looking for new singers aged seven and above. To find out what's involved, why not come to the Open Afternoon from 1pm -4pm on Sunday, 21 January?

For more information, contact the Director of Music, Chris Ouvry-Johns, on 0116 2615374 or 07982 444087 or chris.ouvrj-johns@leccofe.org



Have You Any Old Wax Crayons!

If you have any old unwanted wax crayons please bring them into school for the Tigers. Any size and shape They are going to be melted and used for craft work.
Thank you!

LIVE MUSIC AND DANCING
WITH A CALLER TO GUIDE YOU THROUGH THE MOVES

BURNS NIGHT

CEILIDH
AND SUPPER

LIVE MUSIC FROM THE BURDOCH BAND

ALL PROCEEDS TO FRIENDS OF BELTON SCHOOL

SAT JAN 27th 7PM

BELTON VILLAGE HALL
SCHOOL LANE, BELTON

Early Bird Tickets £12 each (for tickets bought before Sunday 14th January). Normal price £15. Available from Belton school office or email friendsofbeltonschool@outlook.com

Tickets are on sale from the school office for the ceilidh (or barn dance) for Burn's Night on Saturday 27th January. **Early bird tickets are £12** but will be £15 after 15th January. This price includes supper and dancing. Last year's event was great fun and amazing value for money.

Buy your tickets soon before they sell out and help raise funds for Belton School!

Y6 SATs

SATS meeting for all
parents of Year 6
children

Monday 22nd January
6pm – 7pm in school

WORLD
BOOK
DAY

1 MARCH 2018

World Book Day – Thursday 1st March

This year the whole school will celebrate World Book Day by looking at the books written by Oliver Jeffers. The children will work in their house groups and there will be more details to follow. The children will be able to dress up as a character from their favourite book.

Diary Dates

January

Monday 15 th	Swimming competition at Iveshead School. 12.30pm – 2pm for Year 5 and 6 children
Wednesday 17 th	Wellbeing 'change team' meeting, 2.30pm in school
Monday 22 nd	Evening SATS meeting for parents of Year 6 children. 6pm – 7pm
Tuesday 23 rd	Level 2 Gymnastics competition at Iveshead School. 3.30pm – 5.30pm
Thursday 25 th	Swimming competition for Year 5 and 6 at Charnwood College. 1pm – 3.30pm
Thursday 25 th	Governor standards committee meeting in school. 7pm
Monday 29 th	Stay and Play for Tigers parents and carers, 8:45am - 10am
Tuesday 30 th	Gymnastics competition at Iveshead School for Year 3 and 4 children. 3.30pm – 6pm

February

Thursday 1 st	Gymnastics competition at Iveshead School for Year 5 and 6 children. 3.30pm – 6pm.
Thursday 1 st	Finance committee meeting. 6pm at school
Tuesday 6 th	Assembly in church led by the Bears. 9am. All welcome
Tuesday 6 th	FOBS committee meeting at 7.30pm at The Queen's Head, Belton
Thursday 8 th	Full governing board meeting in school. 7pm
Friday 9 th	School closed today for a teacher day

Monday 12th February – Friday 16th February - School closed for half term.
School reopens on Monday 19th February

March

Friday 9 th	Stay and Play for Tigers parents and carers, 8:45am - 10am
Monday 19 th	Stay and Play for Tigers parents and carers, 8:45am - 10am