

# Bude Primary Academy Head of School – Mrs Sarah Robinson

Friday 5th May 2021

Dear Parents/Carers,

Please read the following information so that you are up to date with all that is happening at Bude Primary Academy - Juniors.

### **Next Week**

- Next week's menu is **WEEK 2**.
- After school sports clubs Tuesday for Blackrock, Wednesday for Crooklets, Thursday for Wanson and Friday for Summerleaze.
- Year 5 have swimming every day.

# **PE timetables**

Monday – Crooklets/Sandymouth Wednesday – Northcott/Widemouth Friday - Wanson **Tuesday** – Blackrock/Duckpool **Thursday** – Summerleaze/Crackington

### **Homework**

**Year 6 Online Assignments** must be completed on the day they are set (usually Monday) however the teachers will ensure the work is set each day during the week as the quirk of the LBQ program has not yet been resolved.

All pupils – we encourage ALL pupils to read 5 times a week. Please note this in their reading diaries/logs so the teachers can give them praise for their effort.

### **Reading Books**

We are in the process of ensuring all our pupils have a book banded book to read which we can use as part of our ongoing reading assessments. Once Covid restrictions are eased, all pupils will visit our school library and will be able to borrow library books of their choice. This will hopefully give them the opportunity to discover new books and authors as well as promoting reading for pleasure.

### **Play Leaders**

We recently advertised for two play leaders to work over lunch times supporting our pupils with their play. Unfortunately, we did not have any applicants. If you know of anyone who may be interested, then please let the office know.

# Office Staff

Please be aware that we have not yet been able to replace Mrs Banks in the office so the phone may go to answerphone throughout the day. Please bear with us as we get through emails and messages. Sorry for the inconvenience and we hope to resolve this soon.

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# **Breakfast Club and After School Club**

Breakfast club is available in each school for their appropriate year groups.

The competition to name the After School Club has finished and the winning name was **The Sandy Seagulls After School Club**! The **Sandy Seagulls** is based at the Junior School but is open to all ages (EYFS to Year 6. The children enjoy games, crafts, and play. To book, please use Parent Pay. You will need to book and pay for either provision in advance. On booking, you are automatically charged £3.50 for the initial session (until 4pm). If you require the later session, the staff will add the remaining £4.50 charge after 4pm.

## **Holiday Club**

We are collaborating with Stratton Primary to try and get a holiday club set up for all pupils in the Bude Area. Due to planned building works here, Stratton Primary have agreed to host the club. If you would be interested in using the holiday club, please complete the link emailed home today.

## **60 Second Challenge**

Wanson class have been accessing the 60 second activity website at home and at school; using break and lunchtimes and the few minutes they have after coming back from the hall after eating. Here is the link should you like to try it at home too! <a href="https://www.youthsporttrust.org/60-second-physical-activity-challenges">https://www.youthsporttrust.org/60-second-physical-activity-challenges</a>

### **Transition Bude Growing Group**

Pupils took home a free seedling last week donated from Transition Bude Growing Club. To explain to the children how to look after their seedlings. They created this brilliant video explaining more:

https://youtu.be/13XSV88WOHc

Jackie and the team would love to see any photos the children have of their plants as they grow. Her email is <a href="mailto:transition.bude@gmail.com">transition.bude@gmail.com</a>

### Parent Consultations for Blackrock parents

Please can Blackrock parents check their emails for information on up and coming, online parent consultations which will be held via TEAMS. To book a parent consultation you need to log into your **ARBOR app**. This class have not had a parent's evening this academic year.

# 'Watch Out' - A child's guide to everyday dangers.

Bude Rotary Club are hoping to provide a **free** book to all our families. Thank you! We hope to get these to you over the coming weeks. Please note it is one per family not one per child.

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## **Attendance**

Attendance is **compulsory**. Please contact the school by **telephone from 8:30am on 01288 35273**1 if your child is ill and therefore will not be attending on that day. You will need to inform us each day that your child will be absent.

Attendance this week is 94% which is a big reduction.

### **General Reminders**

- **School meal orders** we need to inform the kitchen of the meal orders for that day by 9:15am. If your child will be late, please ring in to order your child's meal.
- **Toys/cards** please can we remind you that no toys/cards/miscellaneous items are to be brought into school.
- **School Uniform** Children need to be in school uniform or correct sportswear on their PE/after school club days.
- **Snacks/Packed lunches** Please can we remind all parents that we are a NUT FREE school. No nuts or nut products to be brought into school please in snacks or lunchboxes. Thank you.
- **Debts on Parent Pay** By the end of each week, all meals\*/clubs must be paid for (\*unless the child is entitled to Free School Meals). The school cannot accept payment via cash. You will be notified of any outstanding debts.

Hope you all have a lovely weekend!

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