

## **NEWSLETTER 28 – 12<sup>th</sup> April 2019**

Dear Parents, Pupils & Governors,

### **Sports News**

- Our Girls Football team played valiantly away at Henley Primary School this week in a league match and finished with a well deserved 4-0 win.
- 4 of our Year 5 & 6 girls represented South Warwickshire for Indoor Rowing in the Regional School Games Finals in Solihull on Thursday. They were able to watch the opening ceremony and meet members of the Birmingham City Ladies Football team. The girls competed in individual, team and mixed relay events and although we have not had confirmation of the results, we think we came 8<sup>th</sup> out of the 32 school teams who took part.

**Easter Collective Worship** – Mrs Meehan from St Laurence Church led our special Easter Service for our pupils in the school hall on Wednesday. The children have all been given Palm crosses - the palm signifies the triumphant entry of Jesus into Jerusalem and the cross is a sign that he gave his life for us.

**All Stars Cricket** – Children in KS1 took part in ‘All Stars Cricket’ taster sessions delivered by Warwickshire Cricket Board on Tuesday afternoon. They thoroughly enjoyed it and hopefully we will see some cricket stars in the future.

**Music Tuition** – Letters were sent home this week asking if your child would like to continue/start music lessons in September 2019. Forms must be returned by Monday 13<sup>th</sup> May and deposits paid online via SIMS Agora. Please to let us know if your child no longer wishes to continue with lessons in September.

**School Uniform** – Please ensure your child comes to school in their correct uniform. School shoes should be black and trainers should only be worn on PE days. Optional PE hoodies must be from the school uniform shop. If your child does not want to wear the school hoodie they should wear their school sweatshirt/cardigan - no other hoodies are allowed.

**Clubs Update** – Y Ball has now finished and Fielding Games (a mixture of cricket, kickball and rounders) is starting for Years 3 & 4 on Thurs 2<sup>nd</sup> May. Cricket is starting on Mon 29<sup>th</sup> April for Years 5 & 6, Artbase on 7<sup>th</sup> May and Rounders for Years 5 & 6 on Weds 8<sup>th</sup> May. Please collect letters from the office.

### **Dates for your Diary:**

- SDC are delivering a ‘Free Sport Friday’ session at the Big Meadow on Fri 26<sup>th</sup> Apr 11am – 1pm. The activities will be led by their trained leaders with a range of sports and games. Sessions are free but under 8s must be accompanied by an adult. No booking is required.
- Sports Day will be on Mon 24<sup>th</sup> June (KS2 in the morning and Rec & KS1 in the afternoon). The reserve date for bad weather is Mon 1<sup>st</sup> July. Children will need a T shirt in their house colours.

**Book of the Week** – Children in Mrs Walsh’s class have been reading ‘Ponko and the South Pole’ by Meredith Hooper. Ponko the Penguin Joey Bear stow away on a sledge to take part in the Great Expedition to the South Pole. Disaster strikes when they fall off the sledge – will they ever reach the South Pole.....?

I look forward to seeing you all after the Easter break on Monday 29<sup>th</sup> April.

**Mr A Simms**

## ***The latest from Bidford School Association...***

*Thank you to all that came to our Bingo night last week, we hope you had a great time!*

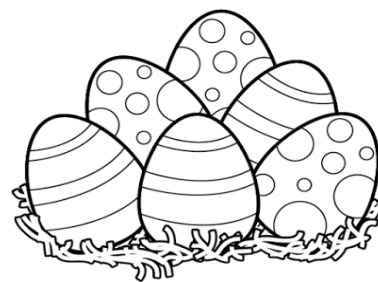
**With donations from non-uniform day and the night itself we raised  
£588.19!!**

*Huge thank you to Emily Lee for her Bingo calling expertise and Laura Simpson for her kitchen skills! We couldn't have done it without you.*

### **Second Hand Uniform Sale**

We will be holding a uniform sale soon after we return from the Easter break. If you have any uniform to donate please bring into the office on the first week back w/c 29<sup>th</sup> April. We will announce the date of sale in the next newsletter!

*Enjoy Your  
Easter Break!!*



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Glenda, Milly, Katie and Sue***

Glenda Vassie - Vice-Chair  
Milly Deguara – Secretary  
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