

Bickley Primary School

19 March 2019



National Tests for Yrs 1, 2 and 6

Year 6 parents - please note that SATs week this year is w/b 13th May. Please try to avoid making medical appointments for the mornings of that week.

Year 1 parents - The Year 1 phonics test will take place during the w/b 10th June.

Year 2 parents - Year 2 SATs tests will take place during May. There are no prescribed dates.

The School Garden

You may have noticed that some of the overgrown area at the end of the playground has been cleared. Branches of the trees have been lifted so that work can begin on creating a new interactive space to be used by the children at playtime and to support learning. FOBPs have donated the money for all the work to be carried out and we really appreciate their hard work and your contributions to their fundraising events. Over the Easter holidays, the rest of the work will be carried out ready for the children to plant and decorate. We would appreciate any of the following to help with this project and any donations will be gratefully received.

- Terracotta pots in various sizes
- Bird feeders
- Water features
- Lockable garden storage
- Solar lights
- Any screening or trellis
- Compost
- Forks
- Spades
- Trowels
- Wellington boots – brightly coloured ones that you no longer require!
- Herbs or scented and tactile plants (e.g lavender, jasmine, mint) - or any other seeds or bulbs.

Dates for the Diary:

25/3/19 - Childnet presentation to parents

2/4/19 - Easter disco

3/4/19 - Parents' Evening

4/4/19 - Easter music concert for parents

5/4/19 - Last day of term

23/4/19 - INSET day

24/4/19 - First day of summer term



Red Nose Day

Many thanks to Miss Nabdoo and all the staff and parents for supporting Red Nose Day last week.

We managed to raise a fantastic £930 so far
Well done, everyone!



Totalizer

We now have a totalizer on the wall outside to show how much we have raised so far for our Cornwall Air Ambulance appeal. Our sponsored 'fill a matchbox' Easter holiday homework will hopefully raise some much needed cash to boost the appeal and move us closer to our target of £5,000.

E-Safety Meeting for Parents

Please don't forget that we have an E-Safety meeting for parents on Monday 25th March at 6:00pm in the school hall.

This will be led by Childnet, and will be an opportunity for parents to find out how to try to keep their children safe online. It will not be suitable for young children.

Our Lovely Children

Finally, well done to our lovely children for so many wonderful comments about them. A group performed the handbells at Bromley Parish Church last Sunday and were complimented for their hard work, determination and great performance. Also, a team of Yr 3 and Yr 4 pupils took part in a Bromley cross country event on 9th March and did us all proud. And lastly, we have made a big effort to go on more school trips recently, and on almost every one, members of the public have commented on the children's fantastic behaviour and manners. Well done, children!