

# Bidford on Avon Church of England Primary School



## NEWSLETTER 18 – 25<sup>th</sup> January 2013

Dear Parents, Pupils & Governors,

**Jaguar/Landrover Technology Centre** – As part of their ICT controlled technology work year 5 pupils visited the Gaydon Technology Centre to study data control. This is an interesting visit and is a great opportunity to see technology and engineering in action.

**Governors** – Paul Fountain has been elected as Chair of Governors following the recent resignation of Craig Millard. We would like to thank Craig for the support and commitment that he has given to our school over the 7 years that he has been a governor.

**School Website** – Our website ([www.bidfordonavon.sch.uk](http://www.bidfordonavon.sch.uk)) is now back up and running following a technical hitch - please look at the website for diary and holiday dates along with lots of other information about our school.

**Credit Union** – If you would be able to help with administering the Credit Union please let us know.

**Y3 Swimming** - Please remember that the contribution for year 3 swimming is now £3.10 per week.

**Wet Weather** - During wet weather please would children travel to school in wellies or water proof footwear and bring school shoes in a bag to change into, thus ensuring dry feet during the day.

**School Uniform Sale** - There will be a sale of second hand school uniform in the hall after school on Monday 4th February. Please bring any donations of uniform to the office.

**Education Sunday** – On Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> January at 10.30 am St. Laurence Church invite all our children and parents along with Temple Grafton, Dunnington and Salford Priors schools to a service to celebrate Education Sunday. Our school choir will be performing at the service.

### Diary Dates –

- Parents evenings will be held on Tues 12<sup>th</sup> and Thurs 14<sup>th</sup> March - an appointment letter will be sent out nearer the time.
- The school will be closed for Teacher Training Days on Fri 24<sup>th</sup> May and Mon 3<sup>rd</sup> June.

**Clubs Update** - There will be **no** Netball Club on 31<sup>st</sup> Jan, 14<sup>th</sup> and 28<sup>th</sup> February. 7<sup>th</sup> Feb will be for **Y5** only. The club will start again for both Y5 & Y6 on 7<sup>th</sup> March.

**Rural Cinema** – The films showing at the Crawford Hall are: Fri 25<sup>th</sup> Jan @ 7pm – Frankenweenie and Fri 1<sup>st</sup> Feb @ 7pm – Paranorman. Tickets are available on the door.

**Book of the Week** – Miss Drissell's class have been reading 'George Speaks' by Dick King Smith. Baby George starts talking to his sister when he's only four weeks old - they keep it a secret until his first birthday when he makes a speech to his startled family.....

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## **BSA Newsletter –Friday 25th January 2013**

Valentines Disco - Friday 15<sup>th</sup> February

Tickets on Sale on 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> February, before and after school.

Are you available to help us sell tickets or help on the evening, if you would like to get involved (we always like to see new faces) get in touch.

Ladies Night - Friday 8<sup>th</sup> March

Do you know anyone who would like to have a stall at the event, get them to get in touch with us on the details below. Limited Tables so ask them to get in quick.

Bounce for St George – Sponsored Bounce - Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> April  
Sponsor forms will go out into book bags as always, remember for us to gain as much money as possible to tick the gift aid box on the form.

Also coming later in the year Quiz Night, Snail Racing and a Silly Hats Day

We will be booking another date with the Bags2School people, after the great success of last time, after the Easter break so if you are having a spring clean don't throw your clothes, towels etc away keep them aside for the collection. As always the bags go into book bags before the event and the return dates will be on a newsletter soon...

Next Meeting is Weds 13 February 8pm in The Frog in Bidford  
Please come along and have a drink

As Always WE NEED YOUR HELP get in touch and let us know what events you can assist with.

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