#### NEWSLETTER 29 - 5<sup>th</sup> May 2017

Dear Parents, Pupils & Governors,

<u>Tag Rugby</u> - Miss Drissell took our Tag Rugby team to a tournament last Thursday with local schools. They played exceptionally well reaching the final without losing a game but lost the final by only 1 point. Thank you to parents for transport and support.

<u>Class Overviews</u> – Class overviews have been sent home today giving details of your child's curriculum topics for this term.

<u>P E Kit</u> – Parents are reminded that the correct PE kit is royal blue shorts, white t shirt, plain black joggers, royal blue PE hoodie/school sweatshirt and BLACK trainers.

<u>Music Lessons</u> - There will be no instrument lessons (apart from recorder) next week. Lessons will recommence week commencing 15<sup>th</sup> May.

<u>Swimming</u> - Good Luck to our swimmers who are competing in the Stratford Gala finals this weekend.

<u>On Line Payments (SIMS Agora)</u> – If you have not yet registered for online payments for school activities please ask the office staff for your login details and instructions for registering. On line payments are quick and easy and completely secure.

<u>Head Lice</u> – There have been a number of instances of head lice in school. Please ensure you check your child's hair regularly and treat as required.

#### Clubs Update –

- Art & Crafts starts on Monday 8<sup>th</sup> May spare forms are available from the office.
- Rounders has now started for Year 5 & 6 and there are still places available please ask at the office.

#### Dates for Your Diary -

- **Year 6 SATS** This year's test take place next week a separate letter has been sent home with the timetable.
- Teacher Training Days are on Friday 26<sup>th</sup> May and Monday 5<sup>th</sup> June.
- **Sports Day** will be held on Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> June. Reception & KS1 will be in the morning and KS2 in the afternoon. The backup day in case of bad weather will be on Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> July.

<u>Book of the Week</u> – Children in Mr Thackway's class have been reading 'A Bear called Paddington' by Michael Bond. The Browns first meet Paddington on a railway station – Paddington station, in fact. He has travelled all the way from Darkest Peru with only a jar of marmalade, a suitcase and his hat.

#### **Mr A Simms**

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

## Thank you for all your donations for Bags 2 School!

We are now planning our Summer Fair (Friday, 15<sup>th</sup> July)! We will hold a planning session soon that all are invited to but in the meantime...

# What would you like the theme to be this year?

We would love to hear suggestions from any children. We will choose our favourite and give the child that suggested the theme a prize! Your parent can submit through the Facebook page or by dropping a note into the school office. We will pick our favourite on Monday, 15<sup>th</sup> May!

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