



The Boreham Beacon



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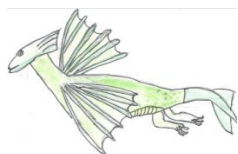
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Menu: Week 2

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A Friendship School

'Daring to aim high, scale new heights, spread our wings and fly far'



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## CLASS ATTENDANCE AWARD

The class with the best overall attendance for the Autumn term is Year 4 with 98.1% attendance. Well done, Year 4!

## F@BS PTA MEETING FOR PARENTS

At the end of this academic year, the vast majority of our current PTA Officers will be stepping down from their roles as their children are moving on to high school. As you know, our existing F@Bs Committee have worked tirelessly over the last 3 years to raise much needed funds for our school. This includes funding our playground markings back in 2016 and more recently donating over £17,000 to the school so that we were able to purchase brand new high-tech interactive whiteboard screens for every classroom. After three successful years we are hoping to recruit a new team who will carry on the invaluable fundraising work to support our whole school community. The PTA will be holding a meeting at the school on **Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> January at 7:15pm** and encourages as many parents as possible to attend the meeting who would be interested in finding more about how a Parent Teacher Association (PTA) operates and how important they are with regards to the running of a successful school. We look forward to welcoming new members to our fundraising team.

## BOREHAM'S GOT TALENT 2018

We hosted our annual Boreham's Got Talent contest yesterday. One winner from each class was selected to go through to the finals, with Jamie (Yr 6), Ashleigh & Megan (Yr 1) and Maisie (Yr 5) all making the final three. Jamie entertained the whole school

with his unique comedy act and Ashleigh and Megan performed a super song with actions. Hosted by our compere, Mr Bishop, the staff were unanimous in picking Maisie as the overall winner. Maisie gave an absolutely superb solo performance of 'Allelulah' by Leona Lewis which moved everybody. Maisie repeated her performance at the end of this morning's Christmas Church Service. Well done to all of the children who auditioned, our finalists and of course to Maisie!



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## ONLINE SAFETY TIP OF THE WEEK

Ensure that you oversee and regulate the amount of time that your children spend on all electronic devices over the Christmas Holiday break. Encourage the children to read a book, get plenty of fresh air and take regular rest breaks from playing computerised games. Please also ensure that your children only play games and watch films of the correct age banding.



## HEALTHY HEROES TIP OF THE WEEK

**Nutrition Ninja says...** Over the Christmas period make sure you don't over-indulge in too many fatty and sugary foods! Remember to eat healthy foods that are good for your heart - some of the best foods for your heart are: fish, berries, beans, olive oil, porridge and avocados (maybe not all together though!)



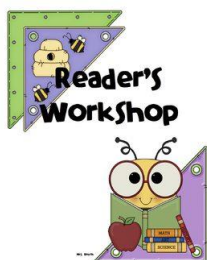
## SCHOOL CLUBS

All before and after school clubs will commence week beginning Monday 14<sup>th</sup> January 2019. A number of new clubs will also be starting too. Mr Bishop, Deputy Headteacher, will be running an after school Drama club for KS2 after school on a Monday night and a KS1 and KS2 Art club will run after school on a Tuesday. Finally, we are hoping to launch a RugbyTots after school club during the spring term for our Reception and Year 1 classes. Further information will be provided by Adrian Cuthill during a short presentation and information session for parents and children of those classes at 3:15pm on Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> January in the main school hall.

## READING SESSION FOR PARENTS

### Monday 14<sup>th</sup> January 2019

On Monday 14<sup>th</sup> January at 9:00am in the main hall we will be hosting a reading information workshop for parents followed by a 'Read & Remain' session which will allow parents to spend time with their children in class reading.



## HOUSE POINTS

The winners of the House point cup for the Autumn term is Team Air with a grand total of 2086 house points.

**Air: 2086 Water: 1989 Earth: 1935  
Fire: 1755**



Ashley and Rhys, House Captains of Team Air lift the House Point Cup.

## TERMLY BOOK DRAW

Congratulations to the children below who were the lucky recipients of a new book after winning the half termly class draw for their class. All children are encouraged to read at least three times a week out of school and record this in their reading diaries.



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## KS1 CHRISTMAS PARTY



## KS2 CHRISTMAS PARTY



## ENTERPRISE CUP

Many congratulations to Gayathri, Hannah, Jamie and Isabelle from our Year 6 class who were the winners of this years Enterprise Cup. This group worked fanastically well as a team to create their Christmas Stall. Well done!



## CHRISTMAS PANTOMIME

On Monday afternoon the whole school were entertained by Shooting Stars theatre production with their performance of Robin Hood.



## STAFF GOODBYE

Today we say goodbye to Mrs Spooner, one of our Early Years teaching assistants. We wish Mrs Spooner every success and happiness in her new school where we know she will be fantastic!



## CHRISTMAS CHURCH SERVICE

Thank you to all of the family members who attended this mornings Christmas celebration service and to Christine Horton for leading our service. Our service concluded with a moving performance from Maisie from our Yr 5 class, singing Allelulah.



## INSET DAYS - SCHOOL CLOSURE

Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> January 2019

Friday 4<sup>th</sup> January 2019

**School commences for the spring term at  
8:50am on Monday 7<sup>th</sup> January 2019**

With this weeks final newsletter of the Autumn term, please find attached a key list of important diary dates for the new term.



Have a very Happy Christmas & Best  
Wishes for the New Year from us all at  
Boreham Primary School