



# Newsletter

## 18<sup>th</sup> October 2019

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### Harvest Festival

This year's Harvest Service will take place on Friday, 25th October in St Anne's, Load Street, Bewdley. Children from Year 1 to Year 6 will be joining together for one service to celebrate Harvest. As a result, we are unfortunately unable to invite parents to join us in the church. A separate permission slip will not be sent out for this visit as it is covered by the general permission for offsite visits that was sent out at the start of term.

Our Reception and Nursery children will be having a short service in the school hall. It will begin at approximately 9:10 and parents are welcome to join them. Parents should enter the school through the main office after they have dropped off their children.



Our harvest produce this year is being sent directly to Kidderminster Food Bank. We would like to collect mostly tinned goods (that are in date, of course!) along with other non-perishable items such as rice, pasta and cereals.

Food Banks are also desperate for items that you might not expect, such as baby food, toilet rolls, shower gels and deodorants, nappies and feminine products. **Please bring any donated items into school on Friday, 25th October.**



## Halloween Disco



Reception &  
Key Stage One

Thursday, 24<sup>th</sup> October

Straight after school to 4:45

£5 with snacks, drinks and games included –  
no extra money needed!

Tickets are only purchasable on ParentPay until 6pm  
Friday 18<sup>th</sup> October

Key Stage Two

Thursday, 24<sup>th</sup> October

5:00 – 6:30

£5 with snacks, drinks and games  
included – no extra money needed!

Tickets are only purchasable on ParentPay  
until 6pm Friday 18<sup>th</sup> October

Please note all Thursday after school clubs will still be on for those not wishing to go to the Reception / KS1 disco.



**Would you like to join us as a parent governor?  
Do you know anyone who would like to join the  
board as a co-opted governor?**

There is currently a vacancy for a parent governor. You will have received by e mail notification about the procedure for applying, together with information about what you need to consider before putting yourself forward. There will also be paper copies available in the office. It is a great way to get involved and support the school. The current parent governors are Alice Westbury, Andy Webster and Debbie Madeley. Sally Court, School Manager, is a co-opted governor and Amanda Bradley is the staff governor. Any of these would be more than happy to talk to you about being a governor. You can also visit the school website where there are details of all the governors and the planner for this year's activities and meetings which will give you an idea of what the commitments are. I hope you will consider applying. We have a great team of governors and you would be made most welcome!

**GET  
INVOLVED!**

We also have a vacancy for a co-opted Governor – perhaps someone with experience in business, finance, HR or Law. If you know of anyone in the local community, a friend, colleague, grandparent or other relative of a pupil who might be interested in becoming a governor, then do urge them to contact me for further details.

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## Sports News

### Well done to our BPS football team



Well done to the BPS football team this week. The scores were, Hartlebury 0 v 1 Bewdley, Holy Trinity 0 v 0 Bewdley, Far Forest 0 v 2 Bewdley. Well done BPS! The Year 6 girls also had a great time at the football festival this week.



**Gold!**

BPS is very proud to have been awarded gold for our 2018/19 school games for everything we take part in for PE.



Well done to all Key Stage 2 children that took part in the Tag Rugby festival. The results will follow next week.



### ***End of the school day***

Please be aware children do not finish lessons until 3.10pm. After collecting their bags and coats it will be more like 3.15pm when they leave their classroom.

**hold me close  
keep me safe**



All Elmer's Nursery please can you stay on the footpath and ensure your children stay on the path as it can be very dangerous with cars pulling into spaces.



## **Well done to .....**

<b>Marianne (Elmers) for being so polite and well mannered in Nursery. Well done.</b>	<b>Elliot A (Wilson) for being resilient when faced with challenges in Maths and persistent in improving his presentation.</b>
<b>Lucy S (Dodd) for using her phonics and writing knowledge to wonderful independent learning.</b>	<b>Alfy C (Blyton) for working hard on his spellings to achieve 10/10 two weeks in a row. A great Spelling Shed role model.</b>
<b>Marnie A (Inkpen) for being so eager, enthusiastic and polite during guided reading.</b>	<b>Enzo M (Morpurgo) for setting goals and working his hardest to achieve them.</b>
<b>Ocean W (Butterworth) for having such an amazing attitude in everything she does.</b>	<b>Rafe B (Lewis) for his improved concentration which has helped him produce some fantastic work, especially in Science and History.</b>
<b>Amelia L (Donaldson) for amazing maths work when adding 2 numbers together.</b>	<b>Alexis H (Rowling) for taking care over the presentation of her work and taking pride in what she does.</b>
<b>Macy P (Bond) for being a fantastic role model to people in the class and having a brilliant attitude to learning. Really pleased!</b>	<b>Rhys J (Walliams) for his incredible, detailed work in his topic book.</b>
<b>Salvador M (Milne) for putting 100% effort into every lesson.</b>	<b>Alfie C (Blackman) for his enthusiasm and active participation in our discussions about the book 'Pig- Heart Boy.'</b>
<b>Rhys P (Dahl) for showing more confidence with his spelling, completing this weeks test with full marks and becoming Dahls top spelling shed scorer – Fabulous!</b>	<b>Gabriella P (RASCALS) for beautiful manners and always being ready.</b>

# Eco News

## Poster Competition

As part of the focus on lottery, the Eco committee are running a competition for children to create bold, colourful posters on the theme of litter. Details came home this week with your child. The closing date is 9 am on Tuesday 5th November. A member of the Pick Up Artists will be helping the Eco committee decide on a winner!

## Litter Picking Packs

Did you know that you will soon be able to borrow Litter Picking Packs from BPS? The Eco Committee have been working hard to create Litter Picking Packs which families can borrow over a weekend which will include litter pickers, high vis vests and instructions about how to litter pick safely. Eco Committee managed to collect an astounding amount of litter today, just walking 100 metres along Stourport Road so there's still a lot of work to do!

## We recycle used Pens

we collect and recycle used pens. Please send in any you have at home.



## Dates for your diary



3.10pm  
Friday 25<sup>th</sup> October

After half term our school lunch provider will be changing their menu and will be in school to give parents/carers the opportunity to sample some of the food that will be on offer to your children.

### Individual Photos

Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup>  
November



### Flu Vaccinations

Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup>  
December  
Reception to  
Year 6 – more  
details to  
follow



## ALDI

We are collecting stickers, so please send them in with your children. Thank you for all the stickers received so far.



- Monday afternoon – Nursery
- Tuesday – Year 4 – Mr Fallows
- Wednesday - Year 1 – Mr Morris
- Thursday – Reception – Mrs Tench
- Friday – Year 2 – Mr Pritchard

Next week is the last week for the current Reception, year 1 and 2 classes in Forest School. They will swap over the forest week back after half term.

Please can children bring waterproof trousers and jackets to each session.



# Junior Academy



## Girls Halloween Camp

**29<sup>th</sup> and 30<sup>th</sup> October 2019**

Centre of Sporting Excellence, Zortech Avenue, Kidderminster, DY11 7DY



- Based at CoSE from 10am until 3pm
- For girls aged 4 - 14 years ONLY
- £10 per day
- Packed lunch required
- Snacks and drinks available to purchase
- Elite and fun sessions
- Skill ramps
- Shooting targets
- Fancy dress competition
- Football boots required
- Suitable outdoor clothing required

To book please email  
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