



# BEMBRIDGE CE PRIMARY SCHOOL

*Learning to love God, one another and ourselves.*



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**NEWSLETTER.....ISSUE 10**

16<sup>th</sup> November 2017

Dear Parents

Thank you for all of your Children in Need donations this morning we will let you know the total collected when we have counted it. It was nice to see so many children in their spotty outfits!



### **School Photographer**

Photographs will be taken this Friday 17<sup>th</sup> November for all children both individually and with siblings so please send children in wearing all the correct school uniform. Please could I remind parents that large bows in assorted colours and hair adornments are not appropriate for school. Girls may wear ribbons and hairbands in school colours only.

### **Celebrations**

Celebrating the children's personal successes and achievements in class –  
Be the Best You Can Be pupils were:

#### Reception Class

Year 1 Class	Jemmy
Year 2 Class	April and Arlo
Year 3 Class	Eradin
Year 4 Class	Olivia
Year 5 Class	Alfie
Year 6 Class	George

Well done for your achievements!

Our house of the week was **Blue** House with **425** team points. Well done to them!



## Last Week's Attendance

Class Attendance - week ending 10th November 2017	
Reception Class	96.4%
Year 1 Class	96%
Year 2 Class	99.3%
Year 3 Class	97.2%
Year 4 Class	96.4%
Year 5 Class	91%
Year 6 Class	95.4%
Whole School Attendance	95.9%

## Diary Dates

**Friday 17<sup>th</sup> November** School Photographer

**Friday 24<sup>th</sup> November** Y5 Sharing Assembly and cake sale

**Friday 1<sup>st</sup> December** Y6 Sharing Assembly and cake sale

**Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> December** YR-Y4 Christmas Production (Dress Rehearsal)

**Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> December** YR-Y4 Christmas Production

**Friday 15<sup>th</sup> December** YR-Y4 Christmas Production (Evening performance)

**Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> December** Christmas dinner and party day

**Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> December** Church Nativity Service and last day of term.

**Thursday and Friday 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> January 2018 - Inset Days**

## Breakfast Club

Breakfast Club on site is now fully operational! Ad hoc bookings can be taken subject to availability at £4 per child per session. Call Josie on 01983 873575 or email [windmillspreschoolltd@btconnect.com](mailto:windmillspreschoolltd@btconnect.com) for more details. (Please note a Registration and Booking Form plus signed Terms and Conditions MUST be completed for each child prior to them attending the Club thank you).

## Sports News

The year 5 football team were in action last Friday against Ryde School. After a close first half ending 2-1 to Ryde, we lost our confidence in the second half and were beaten 6-1.

## Shift-it News

Ross will be coming into school soon to talk about up and coming events including a Christmas card competition and a Glow Ride. On his last visit he was really impressed with the number of bikes and scooters outside of school so keep it up!!!

## Clubs

I have been disappointed at the number of children who have dropped out of our extra-curricular sports clubs. It is important that when you sign up to a club you commit to it for the term just as the staff running the clubs do. Children who have left clubs need to seriously consider signing up for a club in the spring term if they are not prepared to attend every week.

## Bike Crew

The bike Crew will be selling bike lights after school tomorrow at a bargain price of £6!

Mrs Stapeley

### **Scholastic Book Fair**

Book fair is running until Friday 17<sup>th</sup> November. There is also a used uniform sale in the library until Friday.

### **Friends of Bembridge Primary News**

'Quizzical' the PTA quiz and disco is tomorrow evening. Please come along to support the school and have a great night out!

Cash prize, cheap drinks and snacks. Doors open 7pm, quiz starts at 7.30pm. Bring your dancing shoes as music will follow. We look forward to seeing you all there!

### **'Phil the Bag':**

Collection 6th December. Have a clear out of old clothes, shoes, bedding etc. ready for Christmas. We will be collecting textiles in the bike shed on Tuesday 5th and Wednesday 6th December. The school receives 35p per kg collected. Please park bikes outside the shed on these days

### **Christmas Production**

Please let us know if you are able to help serve refreshments at the evening performances on Thursday 14th and Friday 15th December.

### **Santa's Grotto**

We are looking for ideas, materials and helpers to create a grotto at school on Tuesday 19th December. Santa arrives on the 20th and gives all pupils a Christmas present paid for by the PTA.

### **Inset Days**

School will be closed on Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> and Friday 5<sup>th</sup> January and Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> July 2018.

### **Community News**

#### **Sportshall Athletics at The Fairway Sports Complex Sandown.**

For boys and girls aged 9 and 10. Teams will be selected from the athletes attending these sessions to take part in the regional competition. See poster for further details.

#### **Christmas Carols at Waterside Pool with Synchronised Swimming**

This takes place on 2<sup>nd</sup> December and will be featuring HarmoniX with performances from the Synchronised Swimming teams. Tickets are £5 for Adults and £2.50 for children and include mulled wine, mince pie, a swim under the stars and a sauna.

### **Solent Netball Club**

New Players welcome for our Junior Teams. We train every Tuesday in the new Sportshall at Ryde Academy. U10-U11, Years 4-6 from 5-6pm and U12-U14 Years 7-9 6-7pm. See poster for further details.

### **Dinosaur Isle**

Blast from the past takes place on 18th and 19th November. Dinosaur Isle will be offering FREE ENTRY and lots of other fun activities. This event will bring together a diverse group of exhibitors, displays and activities to fire the imagination of children and adults.

## Isle of Wight Christmas Toy Appeal is back for 2017!

The official launch takes place today and will run until 14 December.

It's the chance to donate a toy - or a sum of money which will then buy a present - for a child on the Isle of Wight who is less fortunate. The link below gives more details of the appeal

<http://iwradio.co.uk/2017/11/16/isle-of-wight-christmas-toy-appeal-is-back-for-2017/>

Yours sincerely

*Sandra Grocock*

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We are regularly asked to distribute information or fliers to parents with information on a range of activities for children and parents and give these out in good faith for information purposes. Please note they are not personally recommended by the school and it is the responsibility of parents to decide which activities to take up.

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**Absence slip**

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Dates of Absence:

Reason for Absence:.....

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