

# Bishop Hooper Bulletin

*Success in Spirit through our School*



Friday 5<sup>th</sup> January 2018

## Bishop Hooper Stars

**Class 1**

**Lacey Morris**

*For impressive reading and writing.*

**Class 2**

**Chloe Saxon**

*For setting an example to the class by always trying her hardest, even when facing challenges.*

**Class 3**

**Amelia Stringer**

*For improved presentation of her work – a lovely start to the new term!*

**Class 4**

**Grace Hawkins**

*For her amazing attitude towards learning. Grace is always friendly and polite – a joy to have in the class!*



Dear Parents and Carers,

I would like to wish everyone a Happy New Year and take this opportunity to thank you all for the very warm welcome I have received from the whole Bishop Hooper School community. I am thrilled to be your new Head teacher and look forward to meeting you all over the coming weeks and months.

Although this has been a short week, the children have returned refreshed after the Christmas festivities and are eager and ready to learn. I have enjoyed visiting classrooms to see some of the lovely activities going on in lessons and joined the children in the hall where they told me all about their hot lunches. I am very much looking forward to joining them for the Christmas lunch next week, I'm sure it will be delicious!

Kind regards,

## THE WEEK AHEAD

**Monday 8<sup>th</sup> January**

**Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> January**

**Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> January**

Christmas lunch (postponed from last term).

**Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> January**

**Friday 12<sup>th</sup> January**

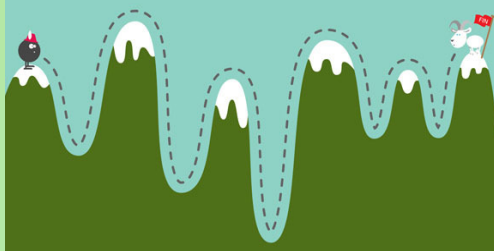
Dodgeball/Football club 3:20-4:20pm

*Our Gospel Value for this month is*

## PERSEVERANCE

Our new value for January encourages us to keep trying, even when we find things hard. We'll be thinking about this in class and in our worship.

Perseverance is not a long race; it is many short races one after the other.



## Lunch time award

**Lily Langman**

**Class 1**

*For always behaving well and being kind to others.*

## What unusual gifts for a new-born baby!

In our worship this week, we listened to the passage in the Bible telling us about the Wise men visiting Jesus and giving their precious gifts of gold, frankincense and myrrh.

During Epiphany, (which marks the end of the festive season for Christians on 6<sup>th</sup> January) the Wise men followed the star and came to recognise that Jesus is the Son of God, incarnate on Earth.



## Prayer for the week:

*Dear God, we thank you for the blessing of the gift of your Son, Jesus. As we begin this term in the new year of 2018, we thank you for all the joys of the past year. Thank you for the love we've shared and the challenges we've faced. Please help us this term, to follow in the path of your guiding light. Amen*

# News from the classrooms

## CLASS 1

The children created Winter pictures using cotton wool and brushes to apply the 'snow' paint.



These boys built an amazing police station!



## CLASS 2



The children have been learning about everyday materials and their uses in their science lesson. They found out that most of the items in their classroom were made of wood, plastic or metal.

## CLASS 3

'Nous apprenons les couleurs en francais. '

'We are learning colours in French.'



## CLASS 4

Super sorting and classifying of 3D shapes!

The children were using excellent mathematical language to describe the features of the shapes and sort them into the appropriate category.



## Butterflies

Our children in Butterflies were having fun using the parachutes to move the ball to each other. They could control the ball's movements well, even when the windy weather changed from calm, to stormy!



Parents and Carers of our 'Butterflies' children: remember that the closing date for application for admission to Class 1 is Monday 15<sup>th</sup> January.

## Other News:

**FOBHS News:** Congratulations to Cheryl Roberts who is the December 100 Club winner! If you haven't got a number yet, you can still join any time, just pop £6 into an envelope and drop it into the office. There is a FOBHS meeting at school next Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> January at 2:30pm to plan next year's events. All welcome.

**'Fruity Friday'** Class 4 would like to remind you that they will be selling a variety of Fair Trade, healthy fruits, cereal snack bars and fruit juice drinks (priced at 50p each) at morning break on Fridays.

**Big Battery Hunt!** We are part of a nationwide campaign to help recycle more batteries and have a kit in school to provide each child with a battery collecting box and activity booklet. These can be collected from the school office.

If you'd like more information, please look at this website:

<https://nationalschoolpartnership.com/initiatives/bigbatteryhunt/>

**RobertsRecyclingLTD:** bags were given out to each child before the Christmas holidays for any donations of unwanted clothes. If you have any filled or part-filled bags at home, please bring them in to school by Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> January. Thank you.

## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

### Monday 15<sup>th</sup> January

Closing date for EYFS new intake applications.

### Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> January

Multi-sport club 3:20-4:20pm.  
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### Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> January

Dance club 3:20-4:20pm.

### Friday 19<sup>th</sup> January

Dodgeball/Football club 3:20-4:20pm.

### Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> January

Dance club 3:20-4:20pm.

### Friday 26<sup>th</sup> January

Dodgeball/Football club 3:20-4:20pm.

### Wednesday 31st January

Open The Book 10:00am.

Dance club 3:20-4:20pm.

### Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> February

Dodgeball/Football club 3:20-4:20pm.

### Monday 5<sup>th</sup> February

KS2 Football Festival- Ludlow Town Football Club 12:30-3:00pm

### Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> February

Dance club 3:20-4:20pm.

### Friday 9<sup>th</sup> February

Dodgeball/Football club 3:20-4:20pm.

