

# Summer Term Newsletter



#### **Bayonne New Website**

Bayonne Nursery now has a new website. Please visit it at www.bayonne.lbhf.sch.uk



## Smile its School Photograph time!

On Monday 14<sup>th</sup> May we will be having our annual school photographs! The children will have individual photographs taken and one key worker group photo, you will then be able to place your orders online.

#### **Butterflies**

The butterfly packs have arrived at nursery this week. This is a great opportunity for the children to watch them grow and learn about their lifecycles. We will release them in to the garden in the next few weeks.

### <u>Lunch, Breakfast Club & Crèche</u> <u>Payments</u>

Please ensure payments are made weekly or in advance for the half/whole term. This must be done via the schools online payment system "School Money". School Money is updated every Friday afternoon with amounts owing for that week. If you are having trouble using the system please let admin the team know.

#### **Cake Sale**

We will be holding a cake sale on Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> June in aid of the Alzheimer's Society. Please donate either homemade or shop bought cakes. Remember we are a nut free school. Thank You

#### **Arriving Late**

All pupils arriving from 9.30 onwards will be marked as late and parents will be asked to sign the late book.

#### **Hobbledown Farm Trip - E-I-E-I-O**

**Date for the Diary** - This year's Hobbledown Farm trip will take place on Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> July. Letters will go out nearer the time.

#### Sport relief

The final total raised was £267, a huge thank you for donating so generously.

#### **Parent Questionnaires**

Parent questionnaires will be sent out this week. Please complete it and return it to reception no later than Friday 11<sup>th</sup> May.

#### **School Lunches**

School lunches are booked at 9.40am, if you are running late you must phone the school to inform them as a lunch will not be booked for your child. We will no longer ring parents to ask if your child is coming in!

#### **Scooter Safety Training**

Friday 11<sup>th</sup> May scooter safety sessions will take place in the garden. All pupils are encouraged to bring their scooters to school and learn about staying safe when riding them.

#### National Smile Month 14th May – 14<sup>th</sup> June

National Smile Month is the UK's largest and longest-running campaign to promote good oral health. National Smile Month highlights three key messages, all of which go a long way in helping us develop and maintain a healthy mouth. They are:

- Brush your teeth last thing at night and on at least one other occasion with a fluoride toothpaste.
- Cut down on how often you have sugary foods and drinks.
- Visit your dentist regularly, as often as they recommend.

#### **Sing-A-Long Dates**



Singing is one of the earliest ways a child learns to communicate and is an excellent way to learn new sounds, expressions and words. At Bayonne we want to encourage great communication skills and will be holding singalong sessions every other Thursday at 2.40-3pm. Come and sing with your children, bring their siblings along too. The next dates are:

10th May & 24th May

#### **Presentation for Parents on**

'Promoting Independence for Transition to Primary School'

<u>Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> May 2pm – 3pm at Bayonne</u>

Presented by Tina O'Sullivan Senco at Larmenier & Sacred Heart Primary School Please sign up at reception

#### **Regular Reminders:**



#### Fruit for snack:

There is a box on the reception desk to receive donations of fruit and vegetables.

#### **Tissues**

Please bring in a box of tissues for use in the classrooms.

#### **Voluntary Fund:**

Please remember to bring in your voluntary contribution of £1 on Monday mornings.
This goes towards cooking ingredients, theatre groups, visits, etc.

#### **Birthdays:**

Fruit only please – no cake or sweets.

#### **Library Books:**

Please remember to bring your child's library books to school on Friday mornings.

#### **Items from Home:**

please discourage your child from bringing items in from home?

It can often cause upset when an item brought in from home gets lost or other children want to play with it. If your child must bring a comfort or anything else to school please give it to their key worker to look after.

#### **Bayonne Parents choir**

Parents meeting today – Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> May at 2.30pm with Musiko Musika.

If you would like to find out more about the Bayonne parent's choir please come along.

#### **Bookbags**

If you have not purchased a book bag for your child to use for the Friday morning book lending library then please speak to Louise, there is a small charge of £3.

Please do not use your mobile devices on the school premises, this is school policy and is in line with regulations regarding safeguarding of children.



**SUNNY DAYS:** Children spend a great deal of the school day outside in the garden and with the sunny weather hopefully almost upon us. It is important that on sunny days all children come to school with <u>a sun hat and suitably dressed for the hot weather – no exposed bare shoulders and no strappy sandals for health and safety reasons.</u>

Please also apply sun cream to your child before nursery; we will top them up during the day if you have given permission. If you children requires their own sun cream due to sensitive skin or allergies please provide it as soon as possible.

#### **SCHOOL CLOTHING:**

An important part of the EYFS curriculum is for children to explore and learn through play. This means that children will be involved in many different and **often messy** sensory experiences. Bearing this in mind please ensure children are suitably dressed in clothes that can get messy. We also have a shortage of boy's trousers and any donations would be gratefully received.

#### SPARE CLOTHES BAG:

Please remember to check your child's change of clothes bag **at the end of each day** to see if it needs topping up and also please label your child's clothes with their name.

School Closed - Summer Half Term - Monday 28<sup>th</sup> May - Friday 1<sup>st</sup> June
School Closed - Monday 4<sup>th</sup> June for Inset Day

Children return to school on Treader Eth June

Children return to school on <u>Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> June</u>

Last Day of Summer Term is Friday 20th July 2017 - Nursery will finish at 12.45pm to all pupils.