



# BISHOP LONSDALE CHURCH OF ENGLAND PRIMARY SCHOOL & NURSERY

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# Newsletter

Friday 8th  
December 2017

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## School Events for the Fortnight beginning Monday 11th December

<b>Monday 11th December</b>	Dress rehearsal for Reception & KS1 Nativity Play <b>No Gymnastics Club</b>
<b>Tuesday 12th December</b>	2.00pm Reception & KS1 Nativity Play 3.30pm-4.30pm Drama Club
<b>Wednesday 13th December</b>	<b>No Morning Worship</b> 10.00am Reception & KS1 Nativity Play 11.15am Y4 Swimming <b>No Netball Club</b>
<b>Thursday 14th December</b>	2.00pm Reception & KS1 Nativity Play
<b>Friday 15th December</b>	<b>No Dance Club</b>
<b>Monday 18th December</b>	2.00pm Years 1 and 2 Christmas Party <b>No Gymnastics Club</b>
<b>Tuesday 19th December</b>	9.15am Carol Service in School Hall 2.00pm Nursery, Reception, Year 3 + Year 4 Christmas Party <b>No Drama Club</b>
<b>Wednesday 20th December</b>	9.05am Morning Worship – parents welcome 11.15am Y4 Swimming 12 noon - Christmas Lunch <b>No Netball Club</b>
<b>Thursday 21st December</b>	2.00pm Years 5 and 6 Christmas Party
<b>Friday 22nd December</b>	Christmas Pantomime in School <b>No Dance Club</b> <b><u>Break up for Christmas Holiday at 3.30pm</u></b>
<b>Monday 8th January</b>	<b><i>Return to school</i></b>

## Christmas Fayre

Thank you to everyone who helped and supported our Christmas Fayre. The money raised is in excess of £600 but is still ongoing. The school council will decide how this money will be used in school.

## After School Clubs

There will be no more Netball, Dance, or Gymnastics Club after school until we return in the new year. Drama Club will have their last lesson on Tuesday 12th December. Thank you.

## Staff Changes

From January Mrs Gardner has elected to reduce her working days so will be teaching Thursday and Friday in Year 3 with Mrs Bladon teaching Monday to Wednesday. Thank you.

## Summer Holidays 2017/18

Following on from the parent consultation, the governors have approved the change to the end of year Summer holiday dates.

We will now break up on Friday 20th July and return to school on Tuesday 4th September (Monday 3rd September will be an inset day). Thank you.

## E-Safety Update – December 2017: NSPCC E-Safety Advice

The NSPCC website has some excellent advice about how to talk to your child about staying safe online, as well as lots of other information for both parents and children about E-Safety.

Please visit: <https://www.nspcc.org.uk/>

Please visit our E-Safety Update blog on the school website!

<http://www.bishoplonsdale.derby.sch.uk/>

## Christmas Carol Service

Everyone welcome to our Christmas Carol Service in the school hall on Tuesday 19th December at 9.15am.



## **DATES FOR YOUR DIARY**

*Further details will follow nearer the time*

### **2017**

Friday 22nd December                      Break up for Christmas at 3.30pm

### **2018**

Monday 8th January	Return to school
Tuesday 9th January	Target Tuesday
Thursday 25th January	Bishop Lonsdale 'Winter Olympics'
<b>Friday 26th January</b>	<b>Inset Day—school closed</b>
Thursday 15th February	Valentine Disco
Friday 16th February	Break up for half term at 3.30pm
Monday 26th February	Return to school
Tuesday 27th February	Target Tuesday
Wednesday 28th February	Parents Evening
Thursday 1st March	Parents Evening
Thursday 8th March	Dance Festival
Friday 16th March	<b>Inset Day—school closed</b>
Friday 23rd March	Break up for Easter holiday at 3.30pm
Monday 9th April	Return to school
Tuesday 10th April	Target Tuesday
Friday 25th May	Break up for half term at 3.30pm
Monday 4th June	Return to school
Tuesday 5th June	Target Tuesday
Friday 22nd to Monday 25th June	Year 6 Residential Trip to Caythorpe Court
Monday 9th July	<b>Inset Day—school closed</b>
Friday 20th July	End of school year - break up for Summer holiday

For term dates for 2018/19 please visit <http://www.derby.gov.uk/education-and-learning/schools-and-colleges/term-and-holiday-dates/>

### **Dates for St Luke's Church**

**Saturday 16th December at 7.30pm - Concert by Derwent Singers - Tickets £10.00**

**Please return any raffle ticket books by Monday 18th December. Thank you.**

#### **Contact Details**

Please let the office know if you have recently changed your contact details. It is very important that we have your correct mobile number on file, so in the event of an emergency we can send you a text. Thank you.



If you have not already done so please download the Parent Hub app from the app store (iPhone or Android) onto your mobile phone.

The school handle is:

**"@BishopLonsdale"**

#### **Lost Property**



Our lost property box is overflowing again. Please take a look in the box if you have lost any items recently. Any items left will be disposed of during the holiday. Thank you.

There will be no morning worship on Wednesday 13th December due to the Nativity. Thank you

**Our newsletter is always uploaded and available to view on our website.**