



# WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS



Autumn 2022-Issue 85

Dear Parents and Carers,

BVP is a very spot-tacular place today with children (and staff!) showing off their spotty faces and crazy hair to mark Children In Need. At lunchtime today, our house captains set up some 'spot-athons' for the children across school to enjoy- a big thank you to our house captains and to Miss Stone for their hard work on this. Donations can be made via ParentPay if you are able to spare anything to this cause.

Yesterday, Mrs Cooper led a KS1 and a KS2 assembly to get to know the children better. She asked children to think about and share the things they want her to know about our school before she starts in January. You should have also received a community letter from Mrs Cooper yesterday- this can be accessed here [letter from Mrs Cooper](#) if you have missed it.

Today, teachers have awarded the Values Champion trophy for demonstrating *Integrity* to the following children:

## KS1

RR – Cassius  
RGR – Dylan  
RS – Naomi

1T – Roxanne  
1C – Rocco  
1G – Evelyn

2B – Whole Class  
2S – Scarlet  
2THP – Naveen

## KS2

3C – Helena  
3B – Florence  
3H – Paige

4S – Finn  
4A – Lilah  
4KS - Georgia

5E - Chloe  
5GW - Chloe  
5M - Elijah

6O - Isobel  
6C – Jack  
6T – Edward

## DATES FOR DIARIES

- Thu 24 Nov Prospective Parent Open Afternoon FULLY BOOKED
- Fri 25 Nov/Fri 2 & 9 Dec Y5 BCMG Workshop
- Mon 28 Nov Non-Uniform in exchange for a tombola donation
- Sat 3 Dec PTA Christmas Fair
- Mon 5 Dec Y2 Edgmond Hall Residential
- Tue 6 Dec Y2 Edgmond Hall Day Visit  
Y4 Theatre Trip  
Y6 Greek Parthenon Workshop
- Fri 9 Dec KS1 Christmas play St Francis Church - **1C - 9.15 - 10.00am**  
**1T - 10.30 - 11.15am**  
**1G - 12.00 - 12.45pm**
- Sat 10 Dec Choir Concert at St Francis Church 3pm
- Mon 12 Dec YR Musical Showcase - 9.15am
- Fri 16 Dec KS2 Carol Service - 9.30am  
Christmas Parties  
*Pupils Break up for end of term*

A big well done to those children. The next value we will be looking out for children demonstrating is compassion. We explain that they can demonstrate this value by: being kind and caring to others; being helpful; being patient; respecting others; and encouraging others.

Next week, our children will be busy demonstrating everything they have learnt so far this year during assessment week. Teachers will then use the information they gain to adapt their planning and teaching based upon the needs of the children in their class.

We do hope you have a fantastic weekend, and we look forward to another busy week next week.

Kind regards,

Jess Mattocks  
Interim Head Teacher

### **School Photos**

UPDATE: As some of you will be aware, there has been a delay in receiving some of the school photo proofs. We are very pleased to let you know that we have now received them, so if your child hasn't yet had their proof, they will be bringing it home today. As a result of the delay, Pret-a-Portrait have extended their early bird offer until 16<sup>th</sup> December.

### **School Council**

The School Council have met this week to discuss the actions for this year. We will be focusing on Sustainability within BVPS including recycling/reducing paper waste in school, conserving electrical energy and encouraging more wildlife into our school grounds.

### **Attendance**

REMINDER: For all absence matters – illness, medical appointments etc -please email [attendance@bournvillevillageprimary.org.uk](mailto:attendance@bournvillevillageprimary.org.uk)

### **Polite Request**

To help the office in the mornings, please could you encourage your child to take responsibility for remembering all their belongings such as: musical instruments, packed lunches, glasses, water bottles, bags and coats etc.

### **A Message from the Lunchtime Supervisors**

*"A big thank you to Esme, Layla, Georgia (4KS) and Curtis (6C) for being fabulous lunchtime helpers".*

## **Birmingham Big Art Project 'Station Clock'**

Would you like to be involved in this unique piece of public art?

Have you heard about this exciting, new large-scale public artwork for Birmingham city centre, called [Station Clock](#)?

'Station Clock' is a sonic clock that will sound on the hour, every hour over a 7-day cycle with a changing composition of the voices of 1092 Birmingham and Solihull residents. The completed artwork will be permanently installed at HS2 Curzon Station public plaza Station Square.

So far, we have recorded the voices of over 700 people, and we're really keen to engage with schools and community groups to give them the opportunity and experience of being part of this landmark public artwork for Birmingham and the UK.

The recording sessions will take place at The Royal Birmingham Conservatoire in **February 2023**. Participants don't need to be trained singers; they just need to be enthusiastic about taking part!

If you would like to find out more about how your school or community group could participate, just email: Tim Mills at [tim@eastsideprojects.org](mailto:tim@eastsideprojects.org)

For more information, visit [www.birminghambigartproject.org.uk](http://www.birminghambigartproject.org.uk)

## **Music News**

**Bassoon Lessons - change for next week** - Bassoon lessons will take place on **Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> November** next week and **not Monday**.

**Music Lessons in School - Spring Term** - If your child wishes to stop learning an instrument in school, please email Mrs Vaughan in writing by **Friday 2nd December** at the latest, as we have to give notice to amend our contract with the Music Service.

If your child is interested in starting an instrument (Years 3-6) or joining the choir (Years 4-6) please email Mrs Vaughan [music@bournvillevillageprimary.org.uk](mailto:music@bournvillevillageprimary.org.uk)

The Friends of  
**Bournville Carillon**  
**Christmas Concert 2022**



Saturday 10th December at 3PM  
in St Francis Church



featuring  
**Bournville Village Primary School**  
and Hand Bell Group

Live Streaming of the Carillon  
Audience Participation



**Tickets: Adult £5 - Children Free**

Tickets available from The Rest House or Evans's  
both on Bournville Green

**PTA**

**Christmas Cards** – The order has been submitted and we're waiting to find out when they'll be delivered, we'll let you know when we know.

**CHRISTMAS FAIR** – Key Info (and also see below for our brilliant poster!)

**NON-UNIFORM DAY in exchange for a tombola donation – Monday 28th November**

Please bring in children's tombola prizes! All prizes will go towards the school tombola at the Christmas Fair.

**Monday 28th November - Friday 2nd December** - Drop in any unwanted/spare/too small Christmas jumpers, books, DVDs, toys, wellies, waterproofs – we are running a Bring and Buy Sale at the Christmas Fair for all these items.

**Friday 2nd December - Keen baker?** Like cooking? Donate any cakes/biscuits/baked goods to sell at the Christmas Fair. Bring them into school on Friday 2nd Dec or early Saturday 3rd Dec. Also donate unwanted books, DVDs, toys, they will all be used!

**Friday 2nd December - Straight after school** – stick around to offer any help you can to set-up the Christmas Fair. We will be in George Hall getting things ready!

**Saturday 3rd December - Christmas Fair** - either come along and/or volunteer to help make the most ambitious Christmas Fair a success! Doors 11:00 -15:00. Free entry.

Any questions email [bournvillesa@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:bournvillesa@hotmail.co.uk) or text 07974331102

Thanks, from David, Veronica, Sarah and the rest of the team



BVPS PTA & YEAR 6 ENTERPRISE TEAMS INVITE YOU TO OUR MAGICAL...

# CHRISTMAS FAYRE



Saturday 3rd December

11AM-3PM  
FREE ENTRY!

BOURNVILLE VILLAGE  
PRIMARY SCHOOL  
LINDEN ROAD, B30 1JY



SANTA'S GROTTO  
LOCAL ARTISTS & MAKERS  
GIFTS & CRAFT STALLS  
GAMES & CHILDREN'S ACTIVITIES



CHRISTMAS CAFE  
PRELOVED TOYS & BOOKS  
XMAS JUMPER AMNESTY  
SECRET PRESENT ROOM  
+ MUCH, MUCH MORE!

COME ALONG & JOIN IN  
THE FESTIVE FUN!





# Helping you recover from Long Covid.

## Are you experiencing

- **Mental Fog**
- **Shortness of breath**
- **Diabetes complications**
- **Memory loss**
- **Fatigue**
- **Muscle aches**
- **Difficulties sleeping**
- **Heart palpitations**
- **Joint pain**
- **Tinnitus or more**

### Right Mindfulness Can Help



Scan to register your interest for our  
fully funded course or go to  
[www.birminghamhealthandwellbeing.co.uk](http://www.birminghamhealthandwellbeing.co.uk)  
Or call Stephane 07794440193

Our voluntary organisation aims to help the  
community to access psychological courses  
to improve health and well-being regardless  
of their background at no cost to the  
individual







**NORTHFIELD**  
Community Partnership



HelpinBrum

# COME AND JOIN US AT OUR COSY COMMUNITY HUB



Mon, Tue, Thu Fri-11am-7pm

Wed 11am- 3:30pm

St Nicolas Place

The Green, Kings Norton, B38 8RU

**Free hot food served daily!**

Mon, Tue, Thu 4-6pm



And Fri with  
4-6pm



Have a coffee with us and chat about how we  
can support you or your family over the  
winter months.



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**CELEBRATING SANCTUARY PRESENTS**

**WE ARE BIRMINGHAM 2022**

**ART WORKSHOP**

We are the many cultures of Birmingham, we invite people to explore and express their culture, their self or their feelings about Birmingham in 2022. Guided by local artists, our new series of workshops give you the space to explore art with a variety of materials, mediums and techniques to get creative and have fun!

**No experience needed. Everyone's welcome.**

Selly Manor Museum, Wednesday 23rd November 3.30 - 5.30pm.

Visit Eventbrite for tickets and search 'We Are Birmingham Art Workshop'.

 **HERITAGE FUND**

 **CSB**





Join us for our brand new Memory Cafe at St Francis Centre every Wednesday.

Starting on September 14th 2022. Sessions are FREE.

No Need to book, just drop in!

## Where and When?

Every Wednesday during term time.

12:30pm - 2:30pm

St Francis Youth & Community Centre, Sycamore Rd, Bournville, Birmingham B30 2AA



## Sessions

Refreshments will be served at all sessions. However, you are welcome to bring your own lunch. Each session will provide a friendly, engaging atmosphere to stimulate conversation and bring people together.

## Contact Us

For more information about our sessions and how to take part, you can give us a call on 07436021333 or email [communitybournville@gmail.com](mailto:communitybournville@gmail.com) Or find out more: [www.sellymanormuseum.org.uk](http://www.sellymanormuseum.org.uk)

