

Thursday 17th February 2022

Dear Parents / Carers,

LEA GREEN: Year 1 and Year 2 children will have the opportunity to go to Lea Green 17th June. Year 1 children will go for the day, we are asking for a £20 contribution towards the cost of this educational visit. Year 2 will have the opportunity to go for the day (£20) or to go for the day and stay overnight. If you would like your child to stay overnight we are asking for a voluntary contribution of £80. The opportunity to stay overnight is a wonderful experience for your child, and in past years children have had great fun. Please let us know via this link – [Click Here](#) what you will be booking for your child so that we can make final arrangements.



Thank you to everyone who has created a Winter Olympic poster – we have had some amazing pictures. Well done to **KATHY BROOMHEAD** for an amazing design, I loved the snowflake idea!

BOLSOVER ACTIVE SCHOOLS NETWORK, YEAR 2 INFANT AGILITY: Amazing achievements last week from all Year 2 children; super participation and great team spirit. A special mention to **TEAM MAGIC LAMP; Alexander Goodall, Ashton Sandle, Betsy Bell, Braden Cocking, Finlay Sandle, Freddie Gilbody, Hayden Potts, Iris Holmes, Maisie Smith, Matilda Bowler and TEAM GENIE; Alicia Hunt, Amy Caulton, Connie Marshall, Denzel Lowton, Ellie Webster, Isaac Pell, Kathy Broomhead, Louie Rodrigues, Selen Su Dogan, Sophie Courtney!**

BOOK CLUB TOKENS: Your child should have brought home a book club token that can be exchanged for one of the World Book Day £1 books for free. These are available from participating retailers.

CAKE DESIGN COMPETITION: To get us all excited for 'Science week' (11th – 18th March) we would like you to have a go at designing an amazing science themed cake. You can pick up a competition entry page from the cabin or there is one at the end of this newsletter. There will be six winners, one from each class. Five of these winners will get a small prize, but the amazing **Sweet & Spongie Treats Cake Creator** is going to bring the winning design to life for one lucky child to take home. All entries £1, please give the completed cake template and money to your class teacher or hand it in at the cabin by Monday 7th March.

EASTER EGG COMPETITION: Our annual Easter Eggs are ready for decorating! Please encourage your child to decorate both sides of the blank egg and return it to school by Monday 7th March. There will be a prize for the most colourful and imaginative Easter Egg in each class. After the winners have been chosen the Easter Eggs will be hung in the cabin for you all to enjoy.

SCHOLASTIC BOOK CLUB: Leaflets can be picked up from the cabin if you would like to order any books from Scholastic. The information for ordering online is in the leaflet. The school gets

commission for any books ordered and this is always used to purchase additional books for the library.

BRICKS 4 KIDZ, LEGO CLUB WILL RUN AGAIN NEXT TERM ON WEDNESDAY AFTERNOONS.

go.bricksnotts.com/mission This club is for years 1 & 2, on a Wednesday. Build motorized Mission 2 Space models Club starts **2nd March for 6 weeks**. Below is the direct web link to the booking page for the club. Booking and payments are made directly through the company via this link <https://booking.bricksnotts.com/bookings/course-info/300>

PARENT/CARER/TEACHER MEETINGS, Tuesday 15th & Wednesday 16th March: We will be offering face to face or telephone meetings so that you can look at your child's books and we can discuss their progress. If you want a face to face meeting please book a time slot. If you prefer a telephone call meeting please let us know by choosing ****Telephone Call**** and specify your child's name and contact number in the other info section. Your child's class teacher will get in touch to arrange a mutually convenient time. All meetings will be 10 minutes long, and you will have time to look through your child's books either before and/or after your meeting. We ask that wherever possible just one parent attends the meeting and siblings are not brought into school. Thank you for your support with this. [Click here to book](#)

FRIENDS EASTER EGG RAFFLE: We invite you to support our Easter Egg raffle by donating an Easter Egg/Easter Eggs. These can be sent into school any time. The number of Easter Eggs received will be the number of prizes to be won on Thursday 7th April during our whole school assembly. **Raffle tickets will be on sale from Monday 28th March.**



UNIFORM: Uniform for both schools can now be ordered through the website under the tab "Tibshelf Schools" or you [can click here to place an order](#)

We have got adult sizes (small, medium, large) – if you will need these larger sizes for September please order as soon as possible as we don't carry a large stock of these.



BALLOON PARTIES – AFLAIR 4 AIR: Rob is available for children's parties, weddings and celebrations, to make special balloon models on request for special events, balloon modelling workshops. Rob is fully DBS checked and



has a portfolio of balloon models that can be viewed on request. A very talented man as he also juggles and rides the unicycle! Call Rob on 07749388398 or email: aflair4air@gmail.com

COVID-19 update: We will continue to keep you updated with latest Government guidance.

100 CLUB: You will be able to reserve your number for the whole of the year by clicking on the link below. How it works – choose the number you want and complete your details – **pay £5 for the rest of the year** (cash only for this). [100 Club - Click Here](#)

Please find a list of dates below for the coming year. These will be updated as necessary weekly so please do keep checking them for changes/additions.

Day, date, time	Event
Friday 18 th February	Break up for February holiday week – usual collection times from school & nursery
Monday 28 th February	INSET Staff Training NO SCHOOL & NURSERY
Tuesday 1 st March	Back to school & nursery
Thursday 3 rd March	World Book Day, Dress up as a book character and bring the book into school Friends book stall, 20p a book or 6 for £1 Raffle to win a collection of books
Monday 7 th March	Sweet & Spongie Treats Cake design competition closes – all entries must be in by the end of the day
Monday 14 th March	Start of Science week – Science Day for Key Stage 1 children on Friday 18 th March
Friday 18 th March	Comic Relief fundraising event - Red Nose Day, more information to follow
Tuesday 15 th & Wednesday 16 th March	Parent/Carer Teacher Meetings across school & nursery – please use this link to book a time slot
Thursday 7 th April	M&M Theatre Company performance for children in school – Treasure Island
Thursday 7 th April	Nursery break up for Easter holidays, usual collection times
Friday 8 th April	School break up for Easter holidays, collection from 1pm – NO AFTER CARE
Monday 25 th April	Back to school & nursery
Monday 2 nd May	May Bank Holiday NO SCHOOL & NURSERY
Tuesday 3 rd & Wednesday 4 th May	Tibshelf Infant & Nursery School Art exhibition, more information to follow
Thursday 19 th May, 9.15am and 12.45pm	Class group photographs
Friday 27 th May	Break up for May holiday week – usual collection times from school & nursery
Monday 6 th June	Queen's Platinum Holiday Day in lieu of mid-week bank holiday during May holiday week NO SCHOOL & NURSERY
Tuesday 7 th June	Return to school after May holiday week
Wednesday 8 th June	Whole School Sports Activity Day – children to come in P.E. kit and colour group tops

Friday 17 th June	Key Stage 1 to Lea Green – Year 1 children for the day and Year 2 children overnight
Friday 24 th June	Wear Bright for Sight Fundraising Day to raise awareness of sight loss – wear something yellow to school, £1 donation
Monday 27 th June	INSET Staff Training NO SCHOOL & NURSERY
Friday 15 th July, 1.30pm	School Sports Afternoon & Summer Fayre
Wednesday 20 th July	Nursery break up for Summer holidays, usual collection times
Thursday 21 st July, 10am start	Year 2 Leaver's Assembly followed by picnic lunch for parents and families of Year 2 children
Thursday 21 st July	School break up for Summer holidays, collection from 1pm – NO AFTER CARE
Friday 22 nd July	INSET Staff Paediatric First Aid Training NO SCHOOL & NURSERY
Thursday 1 st & Friday 2 nd September	INSET Day, staff training
Monday 5 th September	Back to school & nursery for the new 2022/2023 academic year

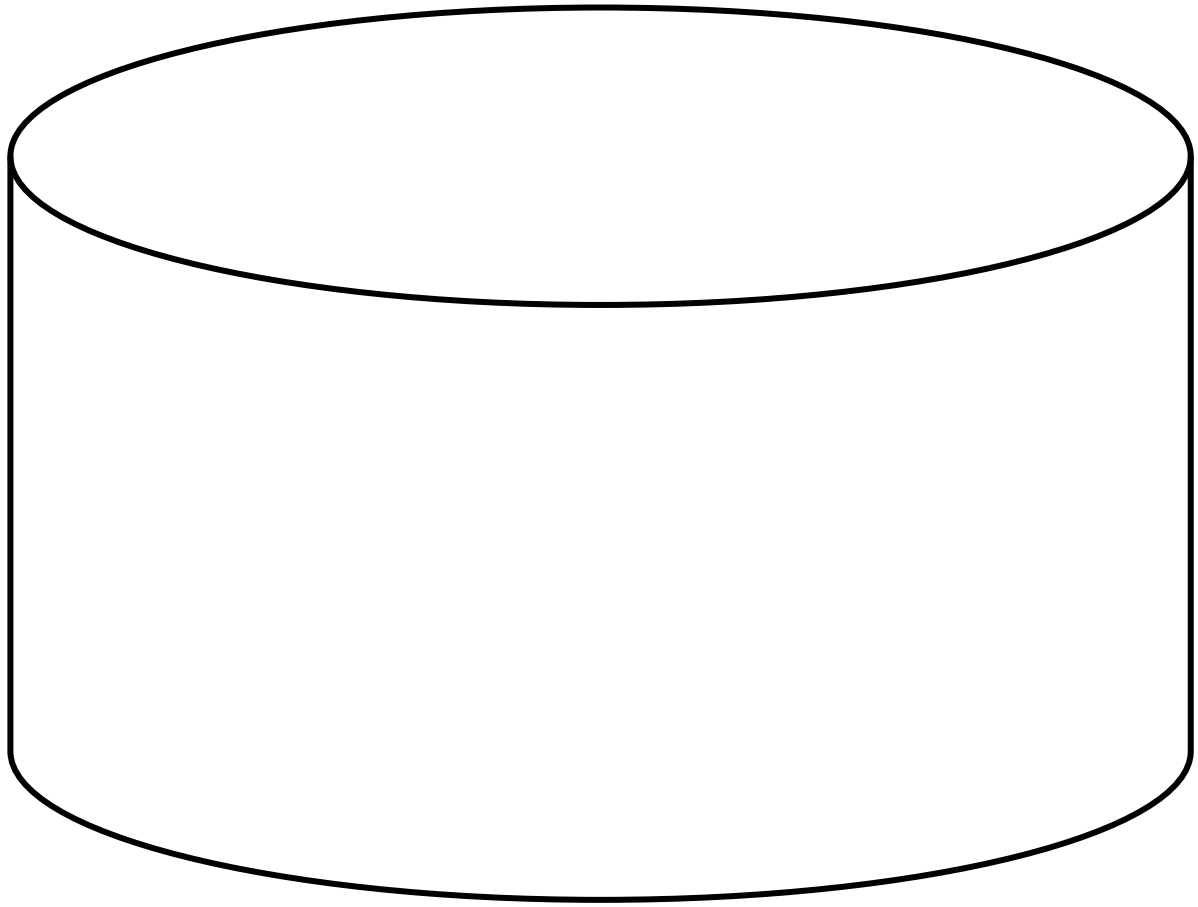
Holidays during term time - You should not normally take your child on holiday during term time. GOV.UK has information on [what the law says about school attendance and absence](#).

If you ever need to make contact with school after we have closed please be aware that you can send a text via School Gateway App or by email, headteacher@tibshelf-inf.derbyshire.sch.uk I will usually pick up messages from both or one of these sources until about 9pm, and of course, if you need me to, I will contact you. Sometimes there may be something worrying or upsetting your child and you might not be able to get to the bottom of it – please do not feel you have to worry all night!

You can log onto our website at www.tibshelf-inf.derbyshire.sch.uk or contact us via email info@tibshelf-inf.derbyshire.sch.uk or headteacher@tibshelf-inf.derbyshire.sch.uk, or phone **01773 872571**. If we are not in the office when you phone you will hear a lovely answer phone message from one of our Year 2 pupils – just leave your message and we'll get back to you. Weekly newsletters can also be found on our website.

Have a good break next week and we will look forward to seeing you back in school on Tuesday 1st March.

Zoë



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Feb Half Term Camp



Sessions may take place indoors due to inclement weather.

SenSport Multi Sports Camp

When - Monday - Friday

21st, 22nd, 23rd, 24th & 25th of February.

Where - Clowne Community Centre.

Times - 12pm - 3pm

What Do I Need - A snack, a change of footwear & clothing, warm clothes, suncream & plenty of water!

Ages- 6 Years - 12 Years

Please try to register electronically. However, if you do not have access to an electronic device, fill out a paper copy and return it to the Clowne Community Centre.



Sessions are free of charge subject to registration and completion of parental consent form.

All of our coaches are;

- First Aid Trained
- Minimum Level 2 Coach
- Enhanced DBS Checked
- Safeguarding trained

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Sign up via Website or E-mail



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