



**Bodsham Church of England
Primary School**

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**Saltwood Church of England
Primary School**



In our Worship we have continued to celebrate Pentecost. The children have reflected on the power of the Holy Spirit and how it might be at work in all of us today. What does your child think the Holy Spirit might look like? How could you ask for its help? Acts 2:1-21

25th May 2018

An Important Message About Your Personal Data

Bodsham School holds personal data about your children which allows us to fulfil our statutory duty to provide their education. You may be aware of impending changes to data protection legislation as a result of the introduction of the General Data Protection Regulation. Parents should be assured that Bodsham School takes privacy and data security seriously. We have published a new Privacy Notice for Parents that details why we hold data, what we do with it, who we share it with and gives information on your rights as parents with regards to this data. The notice can be found at www.bodsham.kent.sch.uk/the-school/policies

Year 5 Parents Able to Register for Kent Test



I hope my talk to parents about the Kent Test was useful this week. A reminder that you can register your child for the test between Friday 1st June and Monday 2nd July at www.kent.gov.uk/ola

Parents interested in sending their child to grammar schools in Folkestone and Dover should also register for the school's own test during this time. Please see the websites of the relevant school for information.

Bungee for Bodsham!

Mrs Lawson is all set to complete her bungee jump in September with the aim of raising funds for local village schools. The children of Bodsham are set to benefit directly from this act of ~~madness~~ bravery so please do sponsor her for her efforts. A sponsor form is coming home today in bookbags.



Elmsted Lunches and Teas this Sunday

What better way to start the May holiday than with a visit to Elmsted Church on Sunday where the PFA will be helping to serve home cooked lunches, tea and cakes from the local area as well as plant stalls and live music from Mr Hastwell. All are welcome between 12 and 4pm. The country scene collage competition will be judged at 3pm

Be Thankful it's Gratitude Week

Straight after the May holiday we will be holding 'Gratitude Week' at Bodsham. This will help us to focus the children on one of the Christian values that our school tries to embody. Children will be encouraged to notice and appreciate the things that are being done for them by other people and by God. There will be a special assembly on Monday and throughout the week children will keep a 'Gratitude Journal'. I hope you notice your child saying "Thank You" a bit more at home too!

Sign up for Term 6 Clubs ASAP

A letter was sent home with details of all term 6 clubs last week so just a reminder to sign up for any club you might wish your child to take part in next term. Parents wishing to access the new Bodsham Active Club can book places using the downloadable form on our website at www.bodsham.kent.sch.uk/parents/school-clubs/

Have a smashing holiday and we'll see you back at school on **Monday 4th June**

Paul Newton, Executive Head Teacher