



**Bodsham Church of England  
Primary School**

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Primary School**



At this time of Pentecost the children heard about how the Holy Spirit came to the disciples and gave them the ability to be understood in different languages. What does your child think is the best way to communicate? How would they choose to talk to God?

14<sup>th</sup> June 2019

### **A Fantastic Journey**

I was delighted to hear that the whole school completed their Pilgrimage on Friday morning and arrived safely back at school in time for lunch. Our prayers were answered as the rain held off for most of the trip! The children produced some really thoughtful responses and enjoyed a wonderful afternoon with Rev Lawrence completing prayer and reflection activities.

### **'Growing Up' Talks to Year 5**

We use the summer term as an opportunity to teach our Year 5 children some of the things they will need to know as their bodies begin to change as they mature. We use a tried and tested 'Growing Up' DVD to help introduce the information in an interesting way. Parents of Year 5 children are invited to come into school at 2.45 pm on Wednesday (19<sup>th</sup>) and view the DVD before we show it to the children.



### **Keep Your Details Up to Date**

Data collection sheets were sent home earlier this week. Please take the time to check them and let us know of any changes to details such as addresses or mobile phone numbers. These are crucial pieces of information if your child is sick or there is an emergency. Forms should be returned by 25<sup>th</sup> June, thank you.

### **Sports Day on Thursday**

The children have already started to limber up for Sports Day on Thursday next week. Weather permitting the day will take its usual format with a family picnic lunch outside followed by races and events throughout the afternoon. Parents are welcome from 12pm for the picnic (please remember no nuts as we are a nut-free school) and sports events will start at 1pm. The school kitchen can provide a school packed lunch (no hot meals on this day) should any children require them, please let the school office know this, if you have not done so already, thank you. Please consider our neighbours when parking for Sports Day. We have arranged for the field behind The Timber Batts to be available for parents on the day. We look forward to a fantastic sporting afternoon.



### **Notices**

- We have observed unwelcome visitors again in the Robins Class. Will all parents please check their children's hair for nits and treat any little problems that are found!!
- Thank you to all parents who contribute to our Bags2School collection. The next collection date has been rescheduled to Monday 1<sup>st</sup> July.
- When ordering class photos please indicate whether you would like to order the photo/s in colour, sepia or black and white, thank you.

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