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Dear Parents & Carers,

We hope you have had a good week, please see the latest news and information for the school.

TODAY - CHILDREN IN NEED

The children had a wonderful time today completing the Pudsey Bear trail and raised lots of money for Children in Need - thank you to those who donated cakes.

There is still time to donate if you can, please click on the link below:

[Bishops Tawton Just Giving Children in Need](#)



Bishops Tawton Primary's fundraiser for BBC Children in Need 2023

Help Bishops Tawton Primary School raise money to support BBC Children in Need

justgiving.com

Parent Consultations

We are holding **parent consultations** on **Monday 27th November & Wednesday 29th November**. You will have been emailed the information about this, please click the link and fill out the form. **If you have multiple children at the school, please fill out the form for each child that you would like an appointment for.**

Tarka, Barum, Saunton & Exmoor - <https://forms.office.com/e/tWBEW9sbcZ>

Lundy ONLY - <https://forms.office.com/e/ZfEtXGVsXt>

Changes to the Afterschool Teachers Clubs for week commencing Monday 27th November

As we have the Parent Consultation Evenings on Monday 27th and 29th November there will be **no afterschool Teacher Led Clubs during this week**. Please collect your children at 15.15.

Please take note that Tennis & Goal Getters will continue as normal.

Teacher Led Clubs for week commencing Monday 27 th Nov	NOT ON	ON AS USUAL
Monday 27 th Nov	Singing	
Tuesday 28 th Nov	Story Club	
Wednesday 29 th Nov		Tennis
Thursday 30 th Nov		Goal Getters



Individual and Family Photographs took place within the school throughout the day of Thursday 16th November 2023 - please order your photos online, all info on how to do this is provided on your child's photograph which should have come home with your child.

Breakfast & Cabin Club

We have an increasing number of late pickups at Cabin Club, **please ensure you collect your child(ren) on time.** Our cabin club is staffed until 17.30.

Please note, if you no longer require your booked space at Cabin Club, you must cancel via School Money or contact the office with 24 hours notice, otherwise you will now be charged in full, as there are other families who can make use of the club.

2024 Admissions

Parents/carers will be able to apply for Reception children places online from 15th November 2023 until 15th January 2024. Please note that the Local Authority will no longer send out letters to parents or carers of children inviting them to apply. If you have a child who is going to be starting school in September or transferring into a Junior School in September 2024, you can register to be sent an email or text reminder to apply once the system goes live on the 15th November.

Please visit: www.devon.gov.uk/educationandfamilies/school-information/apply-for-a-school-place for more details.

Pastoral news - LGBT+



Intercom Trust are now taking referrals for our new project - **Family Pride South West.**

Please share our webpage with parents and families who may be interested in the project - <https://www.intercomtrust.org.uk/lgbt-families/> .

Medical News

The '[Caring for children with cough](#)' leaflet was produced by researchers at the University of Bristol after extensive work with parents. It explains what parents should do when looking after a child with cough and when parents should take their child to see a doctor. This leaflet is in routine use by local NHS services.

Class Lundy

Years 5 & 6 - please bring a shoe box and a wire hanger as well as any milk or other bottle/jar lids into school for week comm. 20th November. For anyone else who is able to donate any of the above, we need them for a project very soon.

PTFA News

Wreath Making event has **sold out** - thank you.

Auction of Promises - <https://auctionofpromises.com/AuctionForBishopsTawtonPrimary>

Dates for the Diary

Parent Consultations - Monday 27th & Wednesday 29th November

Parent Wreath Making Workshop - Thursday 30th November

Christmas Jumper Day - Friday 1st, 8th & 15th December