

# NEWSLETTER



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**BOUGHTON MONCHELSEA PRIMARY SCHOOL**

## Pupils of the Week 29/03/18

- Class 6 - Amarn D for consistent hard work all term.
- Class 5 - Max C for excellent mathematics work.
- Class 4 - Erin C for excellent determination at the football tournament.
- Class 3 - Sullivan O for his fantastic role-play as an Australian eyewitness.
- Class 2 - Reuben S for a good attitude to his learning.
- Class 1 - Harry S for a great news report about a robber.
- Class R - Grace M for superb independent writing.



## Happy Easter

We hope that you all have a very enjoyable Easter holiday and we look forward to seeing the children back in school on Monday 16th April.



## OFSTED



The report from our recent OFSTED inspection was released to us this week, and we can officially say that we are a "Good" school! We are delighted that the report highlighted so many strengths of the school and recognised the hard work of the staff in helping all groups of pupils make good progress in class and develop as caring, independent young people. Thank you again for your supportive comments during and following the inspection.

## Boughton Pride

The Boughton Pride award for Week 4 was awarded to Class 4.

Well done!



## Uniform Sale

Thank you to everyone who came to the launch event for our new school uniform on Wednesday afternoon. The staff from Simmonds would like us to pass on their apologies for the lengthy queues at the tills which were caused by the remote card machines failing to pick up an adequate mobile signal. There will be a further "pop-up" event in term 6, when we welcome our new Year R parents to the school. Parents from other year groups will be able to attend this and take advantage of the 10% discount on all sales and £5 reduction for certain groups, if not already applied. The new Simmonds website has just been launched for online orders, with free home delivery.

[www.simmonds-ltd.com](http://www.simmonds-ltd.com)



## Swimming

After Easter the children will be starting their swimming lessons again!

In terms 5 and 6 we will be having a professional swimming coach joining us on Mondays to help our children to get even better at swimming.

This means that four classes will have swimming on Mondays. The other classes will be having lessons with the coach after half-term. We will let you know when and how the timetable will change.

If you need nametags for your new uniform the PTA recommends MyNametags.com. They have tried the stick on labels and deem them brilliant.

The PTA has set up an account for the school, all orders attract a 20% bonus for our school. Please use ID 30790 when ordering.

	Monday	Wednesday	Thursday
9.00	R		
10.50	2		
1.00	3	4	1
2.10	6	5	1

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## Football News



On Tuesday 27 March Class 3 and Class 4 took part in a lower KS2 football competition. Nine schools took part altogether. Class 4 made it to the quarter finals and Class 3 gave their best efforts but unfortunately didn't make it through. We all really enjoyed ourselves and showed great determination.

By Harry S and James G

## Girls' Football Club

Earlier this year we asked the children what new sports clubs they would like us to offer at Boughton, and the most popular choice was a girls' football club. This new club will be open to all girls in junior classes and will take place on Friday lunchtimes, starting in the first week of next term. Mr Wills will speak to the children about how to sign up.

## 2017-2018 Term Dates

- 16th April 2018 - Start of Term 5
- 25th May 2018 - End of Term 5
- 4th June 2018 - Staff Development Day (School closed)
- 5th June 2018 - Start of Term 6
- 24th July 2018 - End of Term 6

## Dates for the Diary

- 25 April—9.00 am Yr R Height, Weight, Hearing & Vision tests
- 11 May—7.00pm PTA Quiz Night
- w/c 14 May—SATs Week
- 16 May—2.30pm Music Assembly
- 18 May—Non Uniform Day (PTA Fundraiser)
- 18 May—School Disco (times tba)
- 23 May—1.30pm Yr 6 Magistrates Talk
- 23 May—6.00pm PESE Meeting for Yr 5 Parents
- w/c 5 June and w/c 11 June—Yr 6 Bikeability course
- 15 June—Travelling Book Fair arrives
- 18 June—Class and Team Photographs



## Netball News

On 27 March Boughton Monchelsea played Loose School in a netball match. There was a Year 5 team and a Year 6 team. We played really well and the games were very intense. Even though the Year 5 team played a Year 6 team from Loose school, they won 13-5. The shooters were Piper, Taylor and Kayla. The Year 6 shooters were Jack, Abi and Lacey and their team won 12-4. The total score throughout the matches was 25-9 to Boughton Monchelsea. Overall it was a very successful match. Well played everyone!

By Piper S and Freya W



## Tennis News

For the last two years, Hotshotz tennis has run a tennis club on Friday afternoons in terms 5 and 6.

They will be starting the club again next term, starting on Friday 27<sup>th</sup> April, and it is **now open to children from all year groups**.

There will be a charge for the club this year of £3.00 per session, which works out as £15.00 for the five sessions taking place in Term 5.

Letters have been made available in classes for those children expressing an interest.

The club has a maximum of 20 spaces, so if we have more than 20 children interested they will be first in line for places in the Term 6 sessions.

Additionally, Hotshotz Tennis are currently offering free tennis coaching sessions for children aged 4 to 10 at Staplehurst Cricket and Tennis Club.

The sessions will run on Monday from 4pm – 4.45 for ages 4 to 7 and 4.45-5.45 for ages 8 to 10. This will be 6 weeks of FREE tennis coaching from week commencing Monday 16<sup>th</sup> April to Monday 21<sup>st</sup> May. Book your place directly through Hotshotz Tennis by contacting Jack Lusher on [jack@hotshotztennis.co.uk](mailto:jack@hotshotztennis.co.uk) or on 07946 795 277."

- 19 June—Sports Day
- 20 June—6.00pm Vision Meeting
- 21 June—Reserve Sports Day
- 23 June—BoughtonFest
- 25 June—1.20pm New Yr R Stay and Play Session
- 29 June—Yr 6 to Kent Police Schools Open Day
- 2 July—1.20pm New Yr R Stay and Play Session
- 11 July—1.00pm Yr 3 & 4 Swimming Gala
- 12 July—2.30pm KS1 Music Concert
- 15 July—Yr 6 Residential Trip to Hilltop
- 23 July—1.30pm Boughton's Got Talent
- 24 July—9.30am Leavers' Assembly

