



13 September 2019

Issue 2

VALUE OF THE MONTH: KINDNESS

We invite you to talk to your child about this week's Bible passage:

'I have loved you with an everlasting love; I have drawn you with unfailing kindness' Jeremiah 31 verse 3

VOLUNTEER MEETING—ALL VOLUNTEERS TO ATTEND IF POSSIBLE PLEASE



Our Parent Volunteers provide invaluable support to the School and we are hugely grateful for the time that they give.

Mrs Davis would like to invite all current volunteers and anyone who is interested in volunteering to a compulsory safeguarding meeting being held at school 9.00am on Thursday, 19 September. Please note all parent volunteers will be required to attend this meeting before they are able to help in school. If you are unable to attend, please let the office know.

TALENTED ARTIST CERTIFICATES

We look forward to celebrating the amazing artistic talent shown by so many Lady Boswell's pupils.

On Thursday, Amelie, Emilie and Peter from Mulberry Class received Talented Artist certificates for their vibrant paintings of Tudor houses. A big "well done" to them!

Mrs Rands-Webb is looking forward to recognising and celebrating such remarkable creative achievements throughout the coming year.





PTA MEETING

Don't forget, if you can, to join our PTA for a glass of wine or cup of tea, next Tuesday evening, 17th September, at 8pm, to find out a little about their plans for the forthcoming year.



DROP OFF AND PICK UP

Just a polite reminder that, when our Year R children start to attend School for a full day, that the aim is for them to finish at 3.20pm. It is aimed for the other KS1 children to be released at 3.25pm and for KS2 to be released at 3.30pm.

In addition, please can we remind all parents/carers that should you need to access the school for any reason (including checking Lost Property or collecting left items from the classrooms), that you must do so via the School Office. Access via the Classrooms and KS2 corridor is prohibited other than at Open Classroom events or on other specified occasions.

BADGES



Any badges given to 'pupil leaders' such as Eco Council, House Captain, Peer Mediator, Worship Council, Librarian, Orchestra, Lunch Buddy, Sports Leader, Choir, Worship Council, Digital Leader, Prefect, School Council, Science Council, etc, will need to be returned at the end of the academic year.

Replacements for lost badges are available from the Office at a cost of £3 per badge.

KENT LIBRARIES—SUMMER READING CHALLENGE

This weekend is the last chance for those children who have taken part in this summer's Kent Libraries Summer Reading Challenge, to complete the 'Space Chase' challenge.





TERM 1 AND 2 CLUBS

All parents/carers should now have received confirmation of places for their children on Term 1 and 2 Clubs. If you have not received confirmation, please contact the School Office. School clubs start on the week commencing 23rd September.

CONTACT BOOKS

Please could we remind you, if you have not done so already, to read and sign the E Safety Agreement and Home/School Agreement in your child's Contact Book. Very many thanks.

HEAD LICE

We already have reports of cases of head lice in Year 2. Please could we ask for parents of children across the School to check their child's hair and treat accordingly.

BENTLEY PHOTOGRAPHIC—PORTRAIT PHOTOS

On Friday, 4th October, the School will be visited by Bentley Photographic. They will be taking portrait photos of each child as well as sibling groups. Please could we ask that you ensure that your child arrives at School on that day in their 'best' uniform! The photos will be on sale to parents and make wonderful Christmas presents.



If you wish your pre-schooler to be included in a sibling group shot, you can bring them along at 10.15am on that day. We will endeavour to run the photo shoot as smoothly as possible, but please be aware that you may encounter some wait.

If you wish to take up the opportunity to bring your pre-schooler in for a sibling group shot, you will need to book by emailing hpa@ladyboswells.kent.sch.uk by latest **Tuesday, 1st October**. Please include your children's names and classes, as well as the name or your pre-schooler. **Please be aware that you will not be able to take up this opportunity without having pre-booked.**



Important dates for your diaries....

Tuesday 17th September 8pm – 9pm in the school hall
Come and join us for a cup of tea (or glass of wine!) and find out a little more about who we are and what we're up to this year. As a small committee we are always keen to welcome new members, as well as feedback on events, fundraising ideas and offers of help for upcoming initiatives. There is no pressure to join the committee. Any involvement, no matter how big or small, is always appreciated and makes a real difference.

Friday 8th November – 7.30pm – 10.30pm
Get your brains in gear – it's Quiz night.... tickets will be on sale soon so start organising your teams and watch this space.....

Saturday 30th November – 1pm to 4pm
The PTA Christmas Fair – kick off the festive season with a wonderfully Christmassy afternoon with your friends and family. More details to follow....

Saturday 25th April 2020
Roll up, roll up..... the circus is coming to town! Save the date for an amazing afternoon in the Big Top on the school field. More details coming soon.....

WHY NOT COME ALONG TO OUR NEXT MEETING?

Join us for a cup of tea (or glass of wine!) and find out a bit more about what we're up to this year....

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Lady Boswell's Newsletter



C.E. School

	TERM 1—DIARY DATES
	Term 1 Swimming— Copper Beech, Cedar and Hawthorn (12/9/19 to 17/10/19 inclusive) Parent Prayer Group meet every Tuesday after drop off. Lost Property available for 'viewing' every Friday afternoon at pick up time in the KS1 Playground
14/9/19	Closing Date for Kent Libraries Summer Reading Scheme
W/c 16/9/19	8.50am—1.30pm Reception children in School
16/9/19	Year 6 WW2 day at Knole
17/9/19	8pm PTA Meeting—School Hall—all welcome
18/9/19	Year 3 trip to Butser Farm
19/9/19	3.30pm (3.20pm for Year R) Open Classroom
19/9/19	9.00am Parent Volunteer Meeting—all volunteers to attend if possible
23/9/19	School Clubs Start
23/9/19	Reception children start school full time
27/9/19	Year 5—Grosvenor Hall Trip
4/10/19	Bentley Photographic—individual photos
6/10/19	11.00am Lady Boswell's Annual Church Service at St Nicholas Church and welcome for new Reception families
10/10/19	Year 6 trip to France—postponed
14/10/19	Year 4 trip to Lullingstone Roman Villa
15/10/19	9.05am KS1 Harvest Service—details to be confirmed 2.30pm KS2 Harvest Service—details to be confirmed
18/10/19	Last day of Term 1

	TERM 2—DIARY DATES
	Term 2 Swimming— Copper Beech, Cedar and Hawthorn (31/10/19 to 12/12/19 inclusive) Parent Prayer Group meet every Tuesday after drop off. Lost Property available for 'viewing' every Friday afternoon at pick up time in the KS1 Playground
28/10/19	Inset Day (no children in School)
29/10/19	First Day of Term 2
4 and 6 /11/19	5.30pm provisional Moon Watch dates—more information to follow
5/11/19	KCC Primary School Application Process opens
6/11/19	Open Morning for prospective parents for children starting school in September 2020—flyer attached at the end of this Newsletter
8/11/19	9.10am Remembrance Service led by Year 6—Year 6 parents welcome to attend
8/11/19	PTA Quiz Night—more information to follow
15/11/19	Inset Day and Parent Consultation Meetings—details of how to book appointments with teachers to follow
27/11/19	Year 6 WW2 Museum of Kent Life Trip
29/11/19	9.10am Advent Service led by Year 3. Year 3 parents welcome to attend
29/11/19	School Clubs end—Activities Extra dates may vary
30/11/19	PTA Christmas Fair—more information to follow
4/12/19	3.30pm Open Classroom
5/12/19	KS1 Nativity Performances—2.30pm and 5.30pm Details of how to book tickets will follow nearer the time
6/12/19	KS1 Nativity Performance—2.30pm Details of how to book tickets will follow nearer the time
13/12/19	School Christmas Lunch
16/12/19	6.30pm KS2 Carol Service—St Nicholas Church
18/12/19	Last day of Term 2



Lady Boswell's C.E. (Aided) Primary School

Open Day

If your child is due to start school in
September 2020 we would be delighted to
welcome you on

Wednesday 6th November 2019

Tours at 9.30, 9.45, 10.00, 10.15, 10.30



Lady Boswell's is an outstanding church school with a strong Christian ethos. We provide a secure and stimulating learning environment in which our children achieve exceptionally high standards. We encourage every child to make the very best of their talents and achieve success in all that they do.

Please email the office if you would like to join one of our tours.

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**JOIN
OUR
TEAM**

OUR NEXT MEETING:
TUESDAY 17TH SEPTEMBER – 8.00PM IN THE SCHOOL HALL

LADY BOSWELL'S PTA

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Parentkind
Member Association

We have received the message below from Kent Police and have been asked to circulate it to parents. It is, obviously, not particularly relevant to primary school-aged children, but we wanted to pass this on to anyone who also has older children, and also for general reference.

DON'T BE FOOLED



Dear Parent or Guardian,

We need your help to warn young people about the dangers and consequences of becoming a money mule.

What is a money mule?

A money mule is someone who transfers stolen money through their own bank account on behalf of someone else and is paid for doing so.

Criminals need money mules to launder the profits of their crimes.

Young people are increasingly being targeted to become money mules. They are approached online or in person, including through social media, at school, college or sports clubs. Sometimes people they know persuade them to take part, often because they are also acting as money mules.

Mules will usually be unaware of where the money comes from – commonly fraud and scams – and that it can go on to fund crimes such as drug dealing and people trafficking.

Being a money mule is illegal.

When someone is caught, their bank account will be closed, and they will have problems getting student loans, mobile phone contracts and credit in the future. They could even face arrest for money laundering which carries a maximum sentence of 14 years in prison.

What to look out for

Tell-tale signs that someone might be involved could be them suddenly having extra cash, buying expensive new clothes or top-of-the-range mobile phones and gadgets with very little explanation as to how they got the money. They may also become more secretive, withdrawn or appear stressed.

You and your child can learn more and get advice by visiting www.moneymules.co.uk together.

If you are worried that someone close to you might be caught up in money muling, you can contact Crimestoppers anonymously on 0800 555 111.

Please do not attempt to contact any individual you suspect of organising money muling.



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