

# Ibstone CE Primary School Newsletter

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Dear Families,

If anyone ever asks... Has Ibstone Got Talent? The answer would certainly be... Yes it has! Our judging panel were amazed and wowed by the twenty acts they saw this afternoon. Here are some of the highlights...



Love – Courage – Respect – Community - Perseverance

# A huge congratulations to our winners... The Magic Scientists



Well done to all the children who took part and to the audience, you demonstrated all our values and we are all very proud of you!

## In other news:

### Ibstone's Got Talent Take 2

The children will be performing again next Friday morning (22<sup>nd</sup> March) at 9am. All families are welcome to join us with a suggested audience donation of £3. Any parents who wish to showcase their talents can also do so during this morning and the entry fee is £5 per adult.

### Kites Club Price Increase

Kites Club charges will be increasing from 24<sup>th</sup> April 2020 from £4.50 to £5 per session.

### Kites Easter Disco

Booking forms have been sent home tonight, please send the forms back by Friday 29<sup>th</sup> March.

### Kites Holiday Club

If you haven't sent your booking form back, please do so as soon as possible. I know that Denise has some exciting activities planned and some new games for the children.

### Easter Crafternoon

We will be holding another crafternoon on Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> April, this will run after school. The crafternoon booking form will be sent home next week with more details.

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### **Ibstone Litter Pick**

The annual village litter pick is on Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> March, please could you let us know via email if you are able to come and form part of the school working party helping our community. The litter pick starts at the Common at 11am. We will be there from 10.45am to sort bags and pickers. It's always a really great community event.

### **Ibstone Circle**

Thank you to everyone who has offered their help and support before, during and after the Ibstone Circle. You should have received 5 Ibstone Circle flyers, please distribute them as wide and far as you can, put one in your car back window, ask your local shops, vets, cafes, estate agents etc if they are happy to promote our event. If you need any more flyers, please let us know.

Everyone also brought home a sponsorship form, this is for anyone running the 5km, 10km or anyone who is entering the fun 1km children's run. We would like as many Ibstone pupils to run the 1km as possible, each child that takes part will receive a medal and their sponsorship will enable us to buy more resources!

### **Lent Lunches**

Lent Lunches are an Ibstone tradition and a wonderful opportunity to meet other members of the community and share a delicious lunch of homemade soup and bread. Donations are taken for various charities chosen by the hosts. On Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> March, the Lent Lunch will be in the school hall hosted by Toby Long.

### **Early Birds Breakfast Club and Kites Club gate closure**

Please could you ensure that when you arrive and leave when dropping off or collecting your child from clubs that you close the main metal gate on the playground. Please do not padlock it, but please make sure it is closed in order to keep everyone safe. Many thanks!



The judges selfie!

Louise Long  
Headteacher

**Diary Dates**  
**New or amended dates in BOLD**

Date	Occasion	Who?
<b>March 2019</b>		
Fri 22 <sup>nd</sup>	Celebration Worship	Year 4 families
Fri 29 <sup>th</sup>	Celebration Worship	Year 3 families
Fri 29 <sup>th</sup>	Pop up Café – after school	Everyone
Sun 31 <sup>st</sup>	Mother's Day – more info to follow	Everyone
<b>April 2019</b>		
Mon 1 <sup>st</sup>	Kites Disco – EYFS/ KS1	
Mon 1 <sup>st</sup>	Kites Disco – KS2	
Thurs 4 <sup>th</sup>	Easter Crafternoon – more info to follow	All children
Fri 5 <sup>th</sup>	Stations of the Cross Walk	Everyone
Fri 5 <sup>th</sup>	End of Term 1.30pm	Everyone
Mon 8 <sup>th</sup> – Thurs 18 <sup>th</sup>	Kites Holiday Club	Everyone
Tues 23 <sup>rd</sup>	Inset Day	Everyone
Wed 24 <sup>th</sup>	Children back to school 8.50am	All children
Fri 26 <sup>th</sup>	Celebration Worship	Year 2 families
Sun 28 <sup>th</sup>	Ibstone Circle – Please note change of date	All children
Tues 30 <sup>th</sup>	Swimming starts for Kestrel Class	Kestrel Class
<b>May 2019</b>		
Fri 3 <sup>rd</sup>	Celebration Worship	Year 1 families
Fri 10 <sup>th</sup>	Celebration Worship	EYFS (Ladybirds) families
Sat 11 <sup>th</sup>	May Fayre 10am-5pm	Everyone
Mon 13 <sup>th</sup>	Resources Committee 6.30pm	Resources Governors
Wed 15 <sup>th</sup>	Stay & Play 9am	Ladybirds Parents
Fri 17 <sup>th</sup>	Celebration Worship	Year 4 families
Fri 24 <sup>th</sup>	Celebration Worship	Year 3 families
Fri 24 <sup>th</sup>	End of Term 3.15pm/3.25pm	Everyone
<b>June 2019</b>		
Mon 3 <sup>rd</sup>	Inset Day	Everyone
Tues 4 <sup>th</sup>	Children back to school 8.50am	All children
Thurs 6 <sup>th</sup>	School Trip	All children
Fri 7 <sup>th</sup>	Celebration Worship	Year 2 families
Mon 10 <sup>th</sup>	Garsington Day 1 – more information to follow	Woodland Class
Thurs 13 <sup>th</sup>	Sports Day – 1.30pm	Everyone
Fri 14 <sup>th</sup>	Celebration Worship	Year 1 families
Mon 17 <sup>th</sup>	Garsington Day 2 – more information to follow	Woodland Class
Thurs 20 <sup>th</sup>	Reserve Sports Day – 1.30pm	Everyone
Fri 21 <sup>st</sup>	Celebration Worship	EYFS families
Fri 28 <sup>th</sup>	Celebration Worship	Year 3 & 4 families
<b>July 2019</b>		
Tues 2 <sup>nd</sup>	Transition Day	All children
Fri 5 <sup>th</sup>	Celebration Worship	Year 1 & 2 families
Wed 10 <sup>th</sup>	Opera First - Garsington (evening performance)	More info to follow
Fri 12 <sup>th</sup>	Reports Out	Everyone
Fri 19 <sup>th</sup>	Celebration Worship	EYFS families
Wed 24 <sup>th</sup>	End of Term – 1.30pm	Everyone