



# Keeping You Posted



19th July 2019

Dear Parents,

Well the final newsletter of the year has arrived. What a year this has been at BGL with so much happening and so many challenges. It is unbelievable how fast this year has flown by and it is now the summer holidays again!

I would like to thank everyone who contributed to the success of the Summer Fair last week, especially the PTFA members. We were extremely fortunate with the weather and had such a good turnout. All for a very worthy cause - our children. Early indications are that the amount raised is around £2750. Well done everyone and thank you for your wonderful support.

School reports went out last Friday and we hope that you enjoyed reading them. If you haven't done so already, please can you return the reply slip with any comments you wish to make. Thank you for all the comments received so far. The children have worked so hard over the year and they should be proud of everything that they have achieved this year. Well done to all the children and staff!

Congratulations and well done to Year 6 - an outstanding leavers' performance. Thank you to Mrs Lucas and Mrs Abbott for all their hard work over the last few months. It was absolutely amazing! What a group of talented children! We wish Year 6 all the very best for the future as they venture up to high school. We hope that they will come back to visit us and inform us of their progress. Good luck! Everyone appreciated Mr Smith's video message on Wednesday evening and we were delighted to see him at Thursday's performance.

Sadly we must say our goodbyes to several members of staff who are leaving us. Miss Treadwell will be leaving us to take up a post at Gillibrand Primary School in Chorley. Miss Treadwell joined BGL as a newly qualified teacher. We will miss her and wish her every success in her new job.

Mr Hesketh also leaves us and we are sorry to lose him as he has brought so much to the school in the short time he's been at BGL. We would like to have kept him but due to budget constraints this was not possible. Hopefully we will see him again and we know that he will stay in touch.

Miss Pope will be leaving to start her career as a teacher on the Graduate Teacher Programme. We will miss her and wish her every success on her school placements.

We would however, like to welcome back Mrs Roberts who will be our new teaching assistant working from Monday to Wednesday. As you will remember Mrs Roberts was covering Miss Pope's absence from January until her return .

Finally, a reminder that school is closed on Monday 2nd September for INSET and re-opens on Tuesday 3rd September.

Mr Melling