



Bolton School Boys' Division Junior School

Weekly Newsletter

Autumn Term 2017

Wednesday 20th September

COMPULSORY SCHOOL EVENTS

Y5 Concert, 23rd
November, 7pm

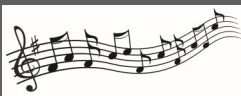
Carol Service, 14th
December, 7pm

Spring Concert, 22nd
March, 7pm

Y6 Concert, 25th April,
7pm

Y4 Concert, 9th May,
7pm

Y3 Concert, 27th
June, 7pm



Wednesday 20th September

Y6 and Y5 Swim Club, 4pm
Cubs 6.30-8pm

Thursday 21st September

Y6 visit from Fire Brigade, 2pm
Jujitsu, 4pm

LAMDA drama, 4pm

Bolton Primary Cross Country,
4—5.30pm,
Moss Bank Park

Cubs 6.30-8pm

Friday 22nd September

AJIS U11 Football, Stockport
Grammar School (away),
KO 2.15pm

Y6 Water polo, 4-5.15pm

Saturday 23rd September

U11 Football Tournament,
KO 10am, @ King's Macc

Monday 25th September

After school chess club Y5&6
(by invitation), 4pm

Jujitsu, 4pm

From Mrs. Faulkner ...

It was lovely to see so many of you at our Parents' Information Evening last week, I hope that you found it useful and informative. During the course of the year we will, once again, be running a series of information evenings focusing upon different aspects of your sons' ongoing developmental needs, both academically and pastorally and I hope that many of you are able to attend those. Equally, if you have suggestions of sessions you would like us to run, then please do let us know. It is by working together as a team, a theme that we have continued to develop with the boys in assemblies this week, that we can ensure the very best for our boys.

On the subject of teamwork, **next Wednesday evening (September 27th)**, we will be holding the first Parents' Association meeting of the year. This is held in the Junior School library and is usually an informal gathering of parents who meet to share ideas of fun activities for the boys. The success of this group is determined solely by the time and support given by parents and I would urge as many of you as possible to join us at that meeting. Thank you very much to the parents who have returned forms saying they would like to help on the PA – somebody will be in touch with you very soon, and if you haven't returned a form, you can still get involved. I hope to see lots of you next week.

I hope that by now, you will all have had time to read the email I sent on Monday about parking on West Street. Whilst I understand that this will inconvenience a small number of parents, I do hope that you will all appreciate that this arrangement has been the result of much discussion and is intended to improve the safety of your boys. Please do ensure that other family members who pick up your sons are also aware of this arrangement.

Thank you to those who have returned their son's data checking sheets to the School Office so promptly. If you have not done so already, please complete and return the forms to school at your earliest convenience.

You may be aware that the new iOS11 software is available—please could you help your son to update his school iPad accordingly.

Finally, whilst waiting in the playground for your son at the end of the day, please can you keep younger siblings off the Adventure Trail. We do not allow the boys to play on this equipment at this time of day so it would be most helpful if you could prevent other children from doing so too.

Achievements

Please do let us know if your son has achieved great things out of school.



We would love to share this with the whole school community.

Swim Club

Swim Club will be run on the following Wednesdays this half term:

Year 5 & 6: **20th Sept.**

Year 4: **27th Sept.**

Year 5 & 6: **4th Oct.**

Year 4: **11th Oct.**

Year 5 & 6: **18th Oct.**

Boys who bring their kit and wish to attend must register with their form teacher on the morning of Swim Club.

Y4 boys must **not** walk across to the pool alone.



Contact Us

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The School Office is open from
8.15 am — 4.15 pm.

Please note that any texts sent by the Office cannot be replied to; please either email or telephone the number above.

Transport Office: 01204 434711
enquiries@bsscoaches.com

Parent Portal queries:
ParentPortal@boltonschool.org

Tuesday 26th September

Y4-6 After School Hockey, 4pm
After school chess club Y4, 4pm

Wednesday 27th September

Y4 Swim Club, 4pm
PA Meeting, 7pm, PR Library
Cubs 6.30-8pm

Thursday 28th September

Jujitsu, 4pm
LAMDA drama, 4pm
BPSCL Chess, PR, 4pm
Y5 A& B Football vs Egerton CP
(away), 4pm
Bolton Primary Cross Country,
4—5.30pm,
Moss Bank Park
Cubs 6.30-8pm

Friday 29th September

MacMillan Coffee Morning, 8.30am
Y6 Water polo, 4-5.15pm
AJIS U11 football competition,
Stockport Grammar (away)

Saturday 30th September and Sunday 1st October

Y6 Cub Camp

Monday 2nd October

Y4-6 After School Hockey, 4pm
After school chess club Y5&6
(by invitation), 4pm

Tuesday 3rd October

Y4-6 After School Hockey, 4pm
After school chess club Y4, 4pm

Wednesday 4th October

AJIS Cross Country, 1.30pm,
Rossall
Y5 & Y6 Swim Club, 4pm
Cubs 6.30-8pm



PA Announcements

Dear Parents

Please note that the next PA meeting will take place on **Wednesday 27th September at 7pm** in the Park Road Library

All new parents are invited to attend.

We have lots of exciting events to be announced soon for this term

Kind regards—Vicky Lomax
Chair of PA

PA Fireworks Display

Many of you enjoy coming to the annual PA Fireworks display. This year, a particularly special occasion is in store as there will be a firework demonstration set to music for the first time.

The event is on **Sunday November 5th**. There are always loads of stalls and you can arrive from 5pm, have supper in the Dining Room (pasties and black peas on offer for the traditionalists) and then come out and watch the fireworks at 6.30pm. Entry this year will be with a wristband. Family Tickets cost £25.00 and will admit two adults and up to three children. Adult singles cost £8.00; child singles cost £5.00.

Price on the Door will be £10.00 per adult and £5.00 per child with no family tickets on the door.

Application forms for tickets will be circulated very soon!



This Week's Documents

This week's documents, which are attached to the email, include:

[Menu](#)

[Harvest Festival Letter](#)

[Reading Award Scheme Letter](#)

[iPad Letter](#)

[BSS Flyer](#)

[Fireworks Poster](#)

[Fireworks Display Booking Form](#)

The newsletter is available on the school website at: <http://www.boltonschool.org/junior-boys/downloads/weekly-newsletter/current-newsletter/>

Macmillan Coffee Morning

We are delighted to announce that we will be holding a Macmillan Coffee Morning in school on **Friday 29th September from 8.30am to 9.30am**, to which all parents/guardians are invited.

Please let the office know by email at parkroadoffice@boltonschool.org if you can come along for this event, which will be held in the Library, so that we have an idea of how many to cater for.

Donations of cakes and biscuits would be very gratefully received - even if you can't attend the coffee morning.

Many thanks



Bolton School Ball

The Senior Parents' Associations are delighted to announce details of the next Bolton School Ball on 16th June 2018.

Further details can be found on Parent Portal.

BSS Holiday Activities

Linked to this newsletter is the BSS Leisure leaflet, which advertises a variety of activities and holiday camps for October half term.

Bookings can be made directly with BSS.

Form Assemblies

Please note that Form Assemblies will take place on the following dates this year:

Thursday 23rd November – 6C

Thursday 7th December – 4A

Thursday 8th February – 5B

Thursday 1st March – 6B

Thursday 8th March – 3A

Wednesday 21st March – 6A

Wednesday 16th May – 4B

Thursday 21st June – 3B

Thursday 28th June – 5A.

Parents will be invited to attend their son's assembly on the relevant occasion. We look forward to seeing many of you here for the events.