

Bowerham Update



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Parent Consultations

From next Thursday, 18th January, you will be able to book your Spring Parent Consultation. These are booked via your ParentApp / Content / Parent's Zoom Meetings. Individual class letters regarding these will be uploaded to the website at: Letters and Forms - Bowerham School.

In addition to the zoom meeting, we are offering a parent drop-in on Friday 23rd February, 8.30-10.30am and 2.00-3.00pm in the Lower Hall. Come at a time convenient to you but please be aware there are no appointment times and may incur a wait depending on numbers.

Football News

In a recent boys' football tournament, the team showcased an impressive performance, securing victories in three matches. Their determination and skill were evident in a hard-fought draw in one game. Despite a minor setback with one loss, the team's overall display highlighted their resilience and competitiveness throughout the tournament especially with it being in arctic-like conditions! Goal of the tournament had to go to RH⚽ who smashed it into the top corner from a free kick!

Results:

Bowerham v Ellel

1-0

RH⚽

Moorside v Bowerham

1-0

Bowerham vs St Joseph's

2-2

LP⚽

LP⚽

Bowerham vs St Wilfred's

3-1

LP⚽

JS⚽

TT⚽

Well done boys! A great start to the sporting year!

Possible Baby unit at Bowerham

We are currently looking into developing facilities in our nursery to cater for children 9 months plus. Given the new announcement by the government to provide 15 hours for all 9 month olds from September and then 30 hours from September 2025, we have decided to see if this is something our community would use. We are looking for expressions of interest for anyone who would like to consider sending their child from 9 months of age to our nursery. Responses will enable us to determine demand; we need the indication of number to be able to proceed with this exciting project. Please email admissions@bowerham.lancs.sch.uk

Please use the following link for details of sessions times and provisional prices [Provision for 0-2yr olds - Bowerham School](#)

Don't forget to keep an eye on our Facebook and Instagram pages to find out what happens during our school information

Staff News

Just to keep you informed of our newest members of the Bowerham family – we welcome Lorna Bettess (Y3 teacher) and Jen Lawrenson (Y1 teaching assistant).

School Disco

It's our School Disco on Wednesday 7th February for reception – Y6 children.

- Rec and KS1: 5.30pm – 6.30pm
- KS2: 6.45pm – 7.45pm

Entrance is only £1.00 per child payable on the door; the entrance fee includes a bag of crisps, drink and a Glo Stick. Please watch out for further information.

World Book Day

World Book Day is Thursday 7th March. We are inviting children to come to school dressed as their favourite book character for the chance to win a fantastic prize. We are encouraging families to create an outfit from items that are already available in the family home or even wear a homemade costume. If anyone has a spare/outgrown costumes that they would like to donate we will have a rail outside school after February half term.

Uniform

Can we remind you all children must be wearing the correct school uniform ensuring that your child is wearing plain black tracksuit bottoms, leggings, skort, and athletic shorts (making sure any cycling shorts are of a suitable length for school) and remember that trainers MUST be mainly black. Please make sure all uniform is named as we do not have a lost property box so returning un-named red jumpers is nearly impossible. Please refer to our website to see our uniform policy:

[Uniform - Bowerham School](#)

Re-Cycled Clothes Rail

We are still running our re-cycled clothes rail outside nursery and we are very grateful for all the donations that are being brought in as we are running low on stock for this. If you have any of the above items in good condition that you no longer require, in any size, we would gratefully receive them.

Parent Governor

We have a vacancy for a Parent Governor on our Governing Body; this position is elected for by the parents of pupils at our school and it will be a 4 year office term.

For more information and nomination forms please see: [Our Governors - Bowerham School](#) or if you would like an informal chat with our Chair of Governors Craig Smith or Mrs Banks please contact the school office and we can arrange a mutual time.