



The Bardfield Buzz

Newsletter #28 Friday 5th May 2017

The newsletter will be circulated to all parents every Friday. Newsletters are also held centrally at the School Office and are on the website.

Clubs

We had our first teacher led clubs this week. If your child wasn't able to get into a club do please let the office know and we will try to accommodate them if there is space. Cookery club will now run each week for the current group and finish at 5.00pm.

We still have lots of space in the free cricket club on Tuesdays. The sessions are on:
09.05.17/ 16.05.17/ 23.05.17/ 06.06.17 and 13.06.17.

Children must commit to attending **every** session as we will be preparing for a competition.

The children who attended the first session have said how much they enjoyed it. If your child is in years 4, 5 or 6 and would like to have a go, please let the office know.

Book Fair

A huge thank you to everyone who bought a book from our Book Fair. Sales totalled £300 which resulted in £200 commission for the school. Emma Hine and Maisie Francis enjoyed choosing some lovely new books for the whole school which will go into the class libraries.

SATs

Our Year 6 children have worked their socks off over the last few weeks. They have tried their very best and could not be better prepared for their tests next week. We will offer a breakfast club for these children **only** next week,

Monday-Thursday at 8.00am. Good luck to all of our wonderful Year 6.

PE Kit

The children have been outside this week for PE and it has been rather chilly. We feel still too chilly for shorts. Until the weather really warms up please make sure that your child has a tracksuit for outside PE.

Online payment

This is up and running now this week. Most people have told us how fantastic they think it is. As with all new things however some people have had some teething problems. If you can't log on please let the office know and we will try to resolve the issues as soon as possible.

We are trialling the system for swimming initially. We will roll it out for the beach trip later in the term and then eventually for school dinners in the new school year in September.

Swimming Letters

Please return your swimming letter as soon as possible. We need all letters in by next Wednesday please so that we can begin to create the swimming groups and build the swimming timetable.

We will need parent volunteers please to help the little ones with changing. If you are available to help with this we would be grateful if you would let the office know and we will let you have the timetable as soon as possible.

Absence

If your child is too ill to come to school please call the school office between 8.00am and 8.30am. During this time you may need to leave a message if the office is not manned. Please ensure that you give us as much information as possible so that a decision can be taken as to whether the absence will be authorised or unauthorised.

Dates for this coming term.

Please find below a list of the important dates this term:

Saturday 6th June

Garage Sale

Monday 8th May-Friday 12th May

SATs Week

Thursday 18th May

Key Stage Two Cinema Club

Tuesday 23rd May-6.00pm

Isle of Wight Meeting (Parents and Children)

Monday 29th May

Half Term Holiday

Monday 5th June

Non Pupil Day

Wednesday 7th June

Senior Citizens Community Lunch

Saturday 10th June

Summer Fete

Monday 12th June

Year 6 visit to The Isle of Wight

Thursday 22nd June

Key Stage One Cinema Club

Wednesday 28th June

Year 6 HRS Taster Day

Tuesday 4th July

Sports Day (Main)

Friday 7th July

Year 5 HRS Taster Day.

Saturday 8th and Sunday 9th July

Family Camping weekend.

Monday 10th July

Open Afternoon at 3.15pm

Year 6 taster day JF Academy

Tuesday 11th July

Whole school Seaside Trip

Thursday 13th July

Sports Day (Reserve)

Friday 14th July

Proms on the playground

Tuesday 18th July

Year 6 (KS2) Production 1.30pm

Wednesday 19th July

Year 6 (KS2) Production 6.00pm

Friday 21st July

Leavers Assembly 2.00pm

Awards this week go to:

Well done to Maisie Francis who won a book token this week when she entered the 'words in the newsletter' competition last week.

No other awards this week as we did not have celebration assembly.

We would like to wish all of our Year 6 children lots of luck for next week. Well done children we are very proud of all of your efforts so far.

On behalf of all of the staff I would like to wish everyone a really lovely weekend.

Mrs Kerrell