



The Bardfield Buzz

Newsletter #36 Friday 22nd June 2018

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

Summer Fete

We had a wonderful time at the fete last Saturday and raised a marvellous £3080.

Thank you to everyone who came along and supported the fete or who bought raffle tickets.

Massive thanks go out to so many people for their help on the day. The following people were the school's very own Super Heroes!

The organisation committee and also helpers on the day:

Clare D, Julie G, Charlotte, Julie W, Emma, Abbie, Julia and Clare W.

The Food

Sam C, Jennifer, Emma, Mark, Sven, Ollie and Simon K.

The Bar

John for supplying the beer and manning the bar

The Teas

Anna, Angela and Amanda who were a great team and thanks to Anna for her brilliant treasure chest cake.

The crockery smash

Julie, Richard, Andy (Governor) and Chris

Face Painting

Sophie V (Governor), Charlotte and Sophie N (brand new Unicorn parent)

Stocks

Clare O

Gladiator

Mike Jones

Staff Teas

Danielle and Isabella

I would also like to thank all of the teachers and staff who helped on the day, as we could not have run the stalls without their support.

Sports Day

You are all very welcome to come along to Sports Day on Monday. Parents should arrive from 12 noon for a picnic lunch. If you would like your child to have a school packed lunch please let the office know before 9.00am on Monday morning. If your child is sitting with another family do please let us know.

Please read the letter that was sent out last Wednesday for more information.

We will allow photographs and video to be taken at Sports Day but we do please ask that you try to take them only of your child. Please do not share any of your photographs or videos on any social media site without the express permission of a child's parent if they are in your photo or video.

Community Lunch

It was marvellous to welcome 19 members of our community to school last Wednesday to have a traditional roast dinner. The Year 6 children thoroughly enjoyed hosting the event and chatting to so many people.

KS2 Athletics Competition

Our children had a wonderful time meeting many new children from different schools in our partnership. They took part in lots of activities and tried their absolute best. **Well done to all of you - we are very proud of you!**

Isle of Wight

It is hard to believe that this is just over a week away. Parents, please return your information form as soon as possible and check your pack for all the things you will need for next week. We will be sending you helpful reminder texts.

SRE Meeting

We would like to invite KS2 parents to come to a Sex and Relationship Education (SRE) meeting next Tuesday evening (26th June) at 6pm. There will be an opportunity to view the materials that we will be using when we will deliver these lessons in July.

Induction

We really enjoyed meeting our new Unicorn children again today when they came for their second visit. The last visit is next Thursday when the children will come for a story and then stay for lunch. For further information, please call the school office.

Proms in the Playground -18th July

This is approaching very quickly! Just a reminder about how it runs. The children prepare a piece either as a solo or in a group that they would like to perform on stage at the event.

We will have a good array of refreshments on sale including teas, coffees, Prosecco, cream scones,

strawberries and cream, sausage rolls, cheese puffs, doughnuts and cakes.

We really hope that you can come along and support the children. Please feel free to bring your own seats or a blanket. The event will run from straight after school until 6.00pm. **Choir Club will be opening the show.**

End of Year Disco

We will not be having the end of year disco on the last day of term this year. Instead the disco will be on Friday 13th July in the school hall and will kick off a last week of fun.

There will be one disco for everyone to attend together from 4.00pm to 6.30pm. The cost will be £3.00 and will include a kids buffet. Please buy your tickets on the door on the night.

The Circus

We are very excited that the circus will be coming to school again at the end of September. The children will be able to visit it to learn circus skills during the week and then on the weekend of the 29th and 30th September there will be shows that everyone can buy tickets for. It was a huge success the last time and we really hope that you will come along and offer your support.

Welcome BBQ

We will be hosting our traditional Welcome BBQ on Sunday 16th September. It is an opportunity to welcome everyone back to the new school year and to get to know our new Unicorn parents and children and also families who have joined the school in other year groups. Please save the date as we would like to see as many people there as possible.

Open Afternoon

On Thursday 12th July, from the end of school to 4.30pm, we would like to invite parents and carers to an informal open afternoon where you can have a chat with your child's current class teacher and look at the work that your child has been doing this term.

There will also be an opportunity to have a quick chat with the teacher your child will be having in September. Reports will be given out on Wednesday 11th July, when in addition to your child's report, we will share with you the class arrangements for September.

Congratulations

We are delighted for Heather in the office as she is getting married next Thursday! Her new married name will be Mrs Barrell. Please join with us in sending Heather and her new husband Mark, lots of good luck and warm wishes for their future together.

Sad news

I am sad to share with you that Mrs Perry will be leaving us in the last week of term. We have loved working with her and I know that she has made a difference to so many children. Mrs Perry is such a lively member of our staff team; she will be sorely missed but we wish her all the very best for the future.

We are in the process of filling Mrs Perry's role and will let you know shortly who our new LSA in Unicorn class will be.

Forthcoming Dates

Monday 25th June

SPORTS DAY

Tuesday 26th June

SRE Evening

Thursday 28th June

Induction new Unicorns with Mrs Kerrell and stay for lunch

Monday 2nd July

Year 6 to the Isle of Wight

Friday 6th July

Year 5 Induction day at HRS

Wednesday 11th July

Year 6 Performance (Evening)

Thursday 12th July

Year 6 Performance (Morning)

Open Afternoon, end of school until 4.30pm.

Friday 13th July

End of Year disco (in school)

Tuesday 17th July

Whole school trip to Frinton

Wednesday 18th July

Moving up morning

Proms in the Playground

Thursday 19th July

Pool Party Year 6

Friday 20th July

Final Assembly

Wednesday 5th September

First day of the Autumn Term

Sunday 16th September

Welcome BBQ

Saturday 29th and Sunday 30th September

The Circus

On behalf of all of the staff, I would like to wish everyone a great weekend.

Mrs Kerrell