



The Bardfield Buzz

Newsletter No 30 Friday 9th July 2016

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

Sports Day

Unfortunately it was necessary to cancel Sports Day again this week. This was not a decision that we undertook lightly as we know the inconvenience that it can cause. So sincere apologies if you had to yet again swap around your plans.

We are very hopeful that we will have wall to wall sunshine for the remaining two weeks of the year as we have lots of events planned.

The Isle of Wight visit

Well done to our Year 6 children, Mrs Aldred, Mrs Williams and Miss White who all had a very successful visit to The Isle of Wight. We were delighted to receive a highly complimentary email from the guest house telling us how beautifully behaved our children are and what excellent manners they have.

Swimming

We have now completed our official weeks of swimming and the next two weeks will either be a catch up session or an extra session. Mrs Crow has emailed a revised timetable to parents so do please check the new timetable, for swimming for the next two weeks.

Sex and relationship Education

Thanks to parents who made it along to our meeting this week. We will be having these lessons next week.

Dates for the closing weeks of the school year

On **Tuesday 12th July** we will also be holding an **Open Afternoon** from **3.30pm** where you can tour the school with your child and look at their work and our displays. For Year 1-6 children there will be an opportunity to informally chat with your child's class teacher for next year. **We will follow this with Proms in the Playground.** An email was sent out yesterday clarifying the arrangements. FOBs will be providing refreshments.

The **Year 6** production dates are:
Tuesday 12th July 1.30pm and
Wednesday 13th July 6.00pm.
Tickets are available from the office.

Our final assembly of the Year will be held on the last day of term, Thursday 21st July, at 2.00pm. **Please note that Year 6 parents will have priority at this assembly.**

For this assembly only we will allow photographs of the Year 6 children to be taken during the performance. Please do not take photos of any child who is not yours and post them on social media sites.

Final trips of the year.

On Monday 18th July Griffin and Pegasus class will be heading off the The British Museum. This will be an early start and we would like all children to be in school by 7.45am ready for an 8.00am departure. We will

return at approximately 5.00pm depending on the traffic. Thank you to parents who have volunteered to help on this trip.

Also on the 20th July we are planning to take the whole school to The Seaside. This trip will take place within the hours of the normal school day. Thank you also to parents for volunteering to help with this trip.

We will send letters outlining what the children will need for both of these visits, next week.

FOBS News

We were so disappointed that we also had to cancel the camping weekend this week.

Please see the attached letter from Sally Beanland about upcoming events.

Outstanding forms

Please return any outstanding trip forms, Home School Agreements and Data Collection forms by Monday please. Also please settle up any outstanding dinner money.

Whole School Photograph

We are very proud of our whole school photograph. It is available to see in the office should you wish to buy one.

Summer Family Swim

As we mentioned in a previous newsletter we will be opening the pool on selected mornings during the summer holidays. On these mornings the pool will be open from 10.00am-1.00pm if your child is aged between 5 and 11 years old only and can go into the pool on their own. If you would like to come along then you are welcome to bring a picnic and some chairs.

For Health and Safety reasons children **must** be supervised by their own parent in the pool at all times. If you would like to come along then please sign up at the office so that we can get an idea of numbers. It will be £5.00 per family for the entire session-please pay on the day.

The dates will be:

Friday 29th July

Tuesday 2nd August

Friday 19th August

Tuesday 23rd August

This week's awards:

Special Award:

Eva Penney, Rosie Collins, Harry Needham, Henry Collins, Anysia Ledgerton-Wright, Ben Paulyn, Thomas Chapman and Emma Hine.

Presentation Award

Luca Rowe, Abigail Goldsworthy, Jack Francis and Phoebe Loe.

Bookworm Award

Henry Winsborough, Amelia Carlson, Tamsin Aston and Niamh Burgess.

Headteacher's Award

Lola Bray and Mrs Chapman.

Well done to you all!

I would like to wish everyone a lovely weekend.

Mrs Kerrell