



## **Great Bardfield News**

### **Newsletter No 34– Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> July 2015**

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

#### **Mersea Island on Monday**

As you will know we are all off on our final whole school visit of the year to the seaside on Monday. A letter has been sent to you today in book bags detailing what is needed for the trip. A copy of this will also be emailed to you. Please make sure your child is ready for the sunny weather.

We are really looking forward to this fun packed day. We are due to leave school at 9.00am and should return between 4.00pm and 4.30pm. We will text parents shortly before we get back so that you can make arrangements for pick up.

#### **Bardfield's Got Talent**

Our PTA are organising the hotly anticipated Bardfield's Got Talent competition (formerly known as Stars in Your Eyes). This will take place on Friday 10<sup>th</sup> July at 6.00pm. There will be a bar and a BBQ at the event. The rehearsals went very well this week and a definite theme has emerged along with some unusual acts.

#### **National one minute silence**

We gathered the school together today at 12 noon to mark the national one minute of silence. I explained to the children that there had been a sad tragedy in the world and we were taking a minute to be thankful for our families.

#### **Reports**

Lots of parents have been asking about when we will be sending out the end of year reports. Your child will receive their report on Monday 13<sup>th</sup> July and then a separate letter on Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> July to let them know which class they will be in and who their teacher will be next year.

#### **Brownies**

A sad event next week as Mrs Sylvia Ruck-Brown Owl, will be leaving the Brownie Pack. I am sure that you will join me in extending heartfelt thanks to her for all of her hard work and dedication over the last years to the girls.

Mrs Liz Crow will be taking over in September as the new Brown Owl. I know that she is really looking forward to her new role and leading the girls onwards.

#### **Parent Governor Elections**

Look out for a letter next week inviting nominations for the position of parent governor for the new academic year.

#### **Bikeability**

Well done to our Year 6 children who took part in Bikeability last week. You all passed with flying colours and it is good to know that you will now be safe on the roads around the village.

## **Frozen Fridays**

We sold ice creams again after school today which the children have really enjoyed! We made £59.00 last week so thank you for supporting this tasty fundraising opportunity.

## **Awards this week go to:**

### **Special Awards:**

Sofie Thomson, Luis Sansom, Tamsin Aston, Archie Bullock, Holly Ballantyne, Harvey White, Thomas Jarmain and Bradley Wood.

### **Book Award:**

Harry Needham, Sonny Burgess, Frankie Michaelides and Stewart Groves.

### **Presentation award:**

Olivia Speight, Jamie Davidson and Prudence Green.

### **Times Tables awards:**

Jake Beanland, Christy Brandl, Stewart Groves, Thomas Jarmain, Erin Jones, Nicholas Jones, Amanda Millen, Cerys Williams, Bradley Wood, Katelyn Tebbey, Kirtsy Way, Christopher Vaughn, Madeleine Ridge and Joshua Ricca.

Thank you for all of your support this week in the hot weather. The children have stayed safe in the sun. Have a lovely weekend.

*Mrs Kerrell and  
all of the staff*