



# The Bardfield Buzz

Newsletter #21 Monday 9th February 2026

Welcome to the final week of this half term. It has certainly been a challenging one. Thank you for your understanding and support on Friday following the flooding; these decisions are never taken lightly, but I am confident the right choice was made. We are all hoping for some drier weather ahead.

The safety and wellbeing of our school community will always be my priority when making any decisions, and I am grateful for the continued support of our families.

## Attendance

Congratulations to Garwood Class who achieved perfect attendance of 100% last week. They have the privilege of taking care of Archie our Attendance Bear this week. Well done!

Our term dates for 2026-27 have now been agreed by the Governing Body. I have attached them to this newsletter.

## Charity Film Club

As part of her role as our Pastoral Mentor, Hollie Leslie is holding a film club on Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> February in the hall. All profits will go to Kids Inspire which is a children's mental health charity offering free trauma support to families who otherwise couldn't afford it. Booking is now closed – please drop in your donation of £3 before tomorrow.

We would like to add a few more resources to The Nest, our pastoral

support room. If you have any of these unwanted resources at home, we would really appreciate them. Playdoh and tools, board games, dolls, cars, marble run.

## The Hive

Please note that breakfast is served **up until 8.15am** at breakfast club. If your child arrives later than this, it will not be possible to provide breakfast for them as staff need to have cleared away and be ready to leave in time for school to begin.

The Hive now has a phone line so that parents and carers can contact us. Please **only** use this line to notify us of anything urgent between 3.15pm and 6pm and if your child is onsite at the Hive. All queries and bookings should go through Parentmail or the school office. The number is: **07803 114239**.

## Clubs

Alongside our Sports Clubs, our staff also run clubs during **break and lunch times**. There is no need for your child to sign up to these, they can just come along, but you might like to remind them in the mornings of any clubs they may be interested in. They begin again this week and will run until Easter.

### Monday Lunchtime

Drawing Club

### Tuesday Lunchtime

Chess Club

### Thursday Lunchtime

Recorder Club

### Friday Lunchtime

Creative Writing Club

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There will also be a Century Club (Y5/6), Friendship Club, Lego Club and TTRockstars Club (Y4). These will be by invitation.

## Rocky Steady Band

We currently have a couple of spaces available in some of our bands. If your child would like to sign up or you'd like to find out more, please follow the link below.

## [Rock Steady Booking Link](#)

## Online Safety

This week's attached leaflet, from The National College, is titled '**Ten top tips for stronger passwords**'. Please take a few minutes to read these each week, as they offer practical advice to help you support your child in staying safe online.

## Cambridge Literary Festival

The Cambridge Literary Festival is on over the weekend of 25 and 26 April. Tickets for the children's events are free for children and accompanying adults. The tickets go on release from 10am on Friday 13 February and will be very popular so do book early if you can.

There are some wonderful authors at the Festival. Also, this year to celebrate the National Year of Reading, there will be a children's zone with free activities and storytelling all weekend - so you can go even if you don't manage to get tickets. All the details are on the festival website [Spring Festival 2026 - Cambridge Literary Festival](#)

***We hope you have a fantastic week and a relaxing half term break when it arrives.***

*Mrs Crow*

## Important Dates for your diary

### February

**Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> February 3.15pm-5pm**

Charity Film Club

**Friday 13<sup>th</sup> February**

INSET Day

### March

**Thursday March 5<sup>th</sup>**

World Book Day

**Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> March**

KS2 Kew Gardens Visit

**Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> March**

Y5 Careers Fair