

## **Bartons Primary School**

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Dear Parents,

As the summer term draws to a close so does our first year as Bartons Primary School. I hope you will agree with me how successful this first year has been. It has been a pleasure to see the school evolve from an empty shell to a happy and exciting environment for the children and the staff.

I especially love the outside space that we have here; it is fantastic to see that the gardening club and individual classes have been making good use of the green house and the raised beds.

The extra space made for a fabulous afternoon for our summer fair; I thoroughly enjoyed myself as usual on the raffle table. It is always a great opportunity for me to catch up with parents and to meet new faces. Thank you to all of you who took the time to stop and chat with me.

We do still have a space for a parent governor and a community governor, please contact the office if you are interested in either of these roles

At the end of term we say a very fond farewell to Mrs Pettit who has decided to retire after many years of service to the school and the community. On behalf of all the staff, governors and pupils - past and present, I would like to take this opportunity to give my heartfelt thanks to Mrs Pettit and to wish her a very happy retirement.

Have a happy and safe summer break, see you in September

Sarah Fisher - Chair of Governors