



BARTONS NEWSLETTER

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Dear Parents,

Sports Day - Thursday 23rd June 10.00 - 12.00

We are keeping a watch on the weather but we will not be able to make a decision about whether Sports Day will take place until Thursday morning. We will send a text if we are going to cancel the event.

Summer Fair

Thank you so much to everyone who made the Summer Fair such a successful event - despite the weather! We are grateful to everyone who gave up their time to help and for all of you who ventured out on such a miserable day. We raised £878.53 which is amazing. Thank you.

New classes and staffing for September 2016:

<u>Current Class</u>	<u>New class</u>	<u>Teacher</u>	<u>Teaching Assistant</u>
	Elm Class (Year R)	Mrs H Reynolds	Miss T Geall Miss H Petts
Elm Class	Beech Class (Year 1)	Mrs E Duggan	Mrs L Shaw Miss N Yarahmadi
Beech Class	Chestnut Class (Year 2)	Mrs L Morris	Mrs L Blundell Miss L Farndell
Maple Class	Lime Class (Year 3)	Mrs J Eyre (Mon - Mrs Oakley)	Mrs H Terry
Chestnut Class	Hazel Class (Year 3)	Mr T Parsons	Mrs D Marsh
Lime Class	Ash Class (Year 4)	Mrs K Hillier (Fri -Mrs Oakley)	Miss J Williamson Mrs T Pett
Hazel Class	Oak Class (Year 4)	Mr C Hayne	Miss J Williamson
Ash Class	Willow Class (Year 5)	Mrs L Lewis	Mrs B Holleyfield

Mrs Gordon will teach on some days in different classes across the school as well as undertaking her role as SENCO and Deputy Head.

Miss De Silva will teach across the school giving additional support to individual pupils.



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Transition Day - Thursday 7th July

Pupils will be spending the morning in their new classes on Thursday 7th July. This is also the day when our new entrants will visit for their Teddy Bears picnic. (Schools across the county will be having Transition Day on Wednesday 6th July but we have decided to have a different day as we have no Year 6 pupils to transfer to secondary school).

INSET days and start of term

The start of the new school year will be Tuesday 6th September (with an INSET day on Monday 5th September). There will be another INSET day on Friday 9th September. This is due to the fact that the staff will be receiving training to support the Talk for Writing strategy which is used across the whole school to develop and support writing. Unfortunately, this is the only day early in the term that the outside speaker was available. The other INSET days will be organised when Mrs Powell has started in September.

Parking around school

This continues to be a concern at the front of the school and it really helps if parents can park a little distance away and walk as many of you continue to do. I know that this can be a concern if the weather is really wet but many of the local residents have been upset when parents have parked in their allocated spaces. During the Summer Fair on Friday there were a couple of altercations outside which is very upsetting for everyone involved. PLEASE be thoughtful and considerate when and where you park.

If you have any concerns or worries regarding your child please do not hesitate to contact the class teacher in the first instance or myself or Mrs Gordon.

Yours sincerely

Mrs. M. Daley
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This will take place on Thursday - weather permitting -

If there is any doubt about the weather we will make a decision on Thursday morning and send a text.

If the event goes ahead:

Children need to come to school in their PE kit and wearing plimsolls or trainers. Please make sure that your child has a hat and apply sun cream before they come to school, if necessary.

All children need to have a named bottle filled with water for them to take outside. Please do not bring any other drinks for your children during this time as they will have their water bottles with them. We expect the event to last from 10.00 until 12.00 noon.

Although we have always allowed parents to take photos and film some of the events please remember that none of these must be posted on any social media sites as we have children who cannot be identified as pupils at Bartons.

I would also like to remind all parents and visitors that smoking is not allowed anywhere within the school grounds and it is not appropriate to bring alcoholic drinks into school. Thank you.