

Team Bartons



Bartons Primary School
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Despite the awful weather this week, it has been another busy one. I have been into many classrooms this week and have seen amazing learning taking place across the school. Chestnut class had Pirates day and showcased their wonderful written work in their class assembly. Well done Chestnut class; it was wonderful to see your great learning. Last week Elm class amazed the school with their learning this term. Sadly, I wasn't there but the staff have said how well they did. Great job Elm class! Could I just ask parents of very young children to ensure that if any toddlers/babies are unsettled during an assembly, to pop out of the hall so that the children can still be heard and they are not distracted. Thank you.

Summer Fair - Friday 21st June

The Summer Fair is on Friday 21st June. Plans are in full flight and we still need lots of helpers. Please let us know if you can help or if you have a raffle prize that you can donate. Thank you for all of the items donated today as part of the non-uniform day. These will really help us. We will also need lots of yummy cakes either brought in the day before or on the morning of the Fair. Raffle tickets have now been sent home so please try and sell as many as you can and return them back to school on Tuesday 18th June for the chance to win some great prizes.

Year 6 Enterprise Week

Last week, after much planning, Year 6 ran their Enterprise Week to raise money towards resources and their trip to Chessington. The children had planned brilliant activities and stalls and raised a whopping £768.55. This is a fantastic amount and thank you to all of the Year 6 parents and the school for supporting the children.

Butlins INSET Day Deal

We have been able to gain a special deal for Bartons families to go to Butlins on a day visitor pass during our two INSET days at the end of term. At a much reduced rate, families can enter Butlins with vouchers with the rate of Adults £20 and Children £12 each. We have emailed the voucher to you so if you use them on the 23rd and 24th July then please present them at reception.

Bags2School

Today Bags2School collection bags have gone home for you to fill up with lots of unwanted clothing and items. The bags are weighed and we get money for them. The more bags we have, the more money we get. We will send out a list of what is required in terms of what they accept and what they don't accept. Please have a good sort out over the weekend so that we have as many bags as possible. Please bring in your full bags on Monday 24th June. Thank you in advance for your support.

West Sussex Music Promotional Video

A few months ago, we were asked to be involved in a new promotional video for West Sussex Music. As a great supporter of the Music charity, I was interviewed about why I felt Music was so important in school and some of the children in Year 1 and 3 were filmed taking part in music lessons in school. The video has been professionally produced and it is wonderful. It is currently on YouTube where you can view it using the following link:

<https://youtu.be/s1qmYySDV14>

Diary Date Reminders...

JUNE:

14th: Bags2School collection bags go out
21st: Summer fair at 3.30pm
24th: Bags2School collect at school
28th: Sports day afternoon - starts at 1pm
Family lunch picnic at 12pm

JULY: 2nd: KS2 Production: 'Dragon Days' 2pm & 6pm

4th: Art Exhibition in school
KS2 Summer Production: 'Dragon Days' 6pm
5th: Art Exhibition in school
Reserve day Sports afternoon
New Class letters go home
12th: Reports go home
17th: Samba Assembly for Year 4 parents
19th: Last day of term
Leavers Assembly for Year 6 parents 2pm

Have a great weekend! Regards Kate Powell