



Barnfields Primary School
'Believe & Achieve'



School Newsletter

16 May 2018

Our School Vision

To be a school where children achieve well and make good progress through a love of learning that is fun and relevant.

Children will be curious, ask questions, tackle challenges, solve problems, make informed choices and take risks within a creative curriculum that promotes emotional and mental well-being.

Children will have high self-esteem with strong values of Respect, Resilience, Responsibility, Reflection and Positivity.

Celebration Assembly

11 May 2018

RH - Sophia, Esme, Daniel,
Scarlett
RM - Michaela, Jenson,
Alexander
1DJ - Belle, Evie Doris
1T - Eli, Gideon
2M - Jake H, Rudra, Charlie
2T - Anya, Reuben
3F - Aden, Hollie
3H - Poppy, Ashton
3M - Kyrach, Rowan
4A - Victoria, Connor, Summa
4RY - Eli, Mason, Harvey
5A - Joseph, Finlay
5T - Sachin, Natalie
6H - Luke, Lily, Charlie
6S - Joseph G, Alex, Jacob

Headteacher's Award

Amelia, Chloe (2M)
Harry (2T)
Jake, Sophia, Kyrach (3M)
Benjamin G, Eli, Harvey (4RY)
Jake S (5T)
Emma, Lexie, Keira, Max, Chloe,
Isabel, Eve, Charles (6H)
Isabel, Maisie, Alfie, Evie,
Melanie, Jay-Mari, Ethan, Isaac,
George (6S)

Walk to School Week

21 - 25 May 2018

Help reduce congestion and pollution in and around our school environment by walking, cycling, scooting or park and stride to school next week.

Please see your leaflet for more information.

SPORT

Y3 and Y4 Tag Rugby

Huge congratulations to our Years 3 and 4 tag rugby players who represented the school at Stafford Manor High School last week. They went undefeated for the entire event, winning three and drawing one game!

A big well done to: Eva C, Matty, Bella, Tyler, Eli, Evie M, Ben J and Josh H.

Year 6 CSI Day

Children in Year 6 will be given the wonderful opportunity of being forensic scientists for a day on Tuesday 6 June.

If your child is in Year 6, please ensure that you make your payment to cover the cost of this activity to us as soon as possible.

Talk Homework

Over the weekend please have this family discussion - all classes will be discussing this on Monday morning

Next week is Walk to School Week.

Why is walking to school a good idea?



Year 1 Visit to Stafford Castle

Children in Year 1 will be visiting Stafford Castle on Friday 15 June to enhance their topic work.

If your child is in Year 1, please ensure that you return your child's permission slip and make your payment for this visit to us if you have not already done so.

Lost Property

We still have a number of unclaimed items in our Lost Property Box - please come and look through it if your child has lost any of his or her belongings in school.

Please ensure everything brought into school is clearly marked with your child's name.

Tidy Cloakroom Competition

Well done to the children in Year 2 who are this week's winners of the Golden Ticket.

Children in both Year 2 classes had extra playtime as a reward.

Walk to School Trophy

Well done to 1T and 6H who were awarded trophies for having had the highest percentage of children walk to school at least once a week in April.

Recent Letters

- *Y6 Leavers' Book
- *Reception visit to National Forest Adventure Farm

Cook's Corner

Don't forget that we will be swapping Thursday and Friday's menus around this week.

We will be having Fish and Chips for dinner tomorrow (Thursday) and we hope that all children, especially those in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2, will join us for lunch.

Please see your menus for next week's meal choices.

Mrs Branson

Parents and Friends General Data Protection Regulation

The PTFA committee is taking advice to ensure that we comply with the new GDPR regulations that come in to effect on 25 May. Please look out for a letter from us explaining how we will communicate with you in the future. Thank you.

Barnfields Has Talent - 22 June
Tickets, priced at £6 for adults and £3 for siblings, will go on sale shortly after the half term break and will initially be limited to two per family due to high demand. We are really looking forward to this wonderful event and hope to see lots of you there too.

PTFA Summer Fayre - 29 June
Raffle tickets and information about this year's fun-packed summer fayre will be sent home with your children after half term. There will be lots of new games and some old favourites too - remember to save empty jars for the Jam Jar tombola - details about this year's theme and everything else you need to know will follow soon!

Next Committee meeting

The next PTFA committee meeting will be held at 7pm on Wednesday 6 June. Please join us for the evening and support our school.

easyfundraising

easyfundraising is the simplest way to raise money for Parents and Friends of Barnfields School.

Please register to support us today -

<https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/pfobs/>

Dates for your Diary

Monday 1 - Friday 25 May

KS1 test period

Monday 14 - Thursday 17 May

KS2 SATs

Friday 18 May

Early Years Royal Wedding celebration

Tuesday 22 May

Y5 Space Exhibition

6.30pm Big Bears Parents' Evening

Thursday 24 May

Tempest Photography to take class photos

Friday 25 May

Diabetes Charity Day

9am KS1 sport taster morning

Monday 28 May - Friday 1 June

Half term

Tuesday 5 June

Y6 CSI Day

Wednesday 6 June

KS1 & KS2 sports day

Thursday 7 June

Reserve Sports Day

Friday 8 June

Y6 Hobbies Fayre

Monday 11 - Friday 15 June

Art week

Friday 15 June

Y1 Visit to Stafford Castle

Y3 visit to Birmingham Museum and Art Gallery

Monday 18 June

Y5 visit to St Mary's, Stafford

Friday 22 June

7-9.30pm Barnfields Has Talent

Friday 29 June

6-8pm Summer Fayre

Thursday 12 July

Y7 induction day at WHS

Tuesday 17 July

10.30am Nursery Sports Day and Family Picnic

Wednesday 18 July

Reception Seaside Day

Thursday 19 July

Y6 Leavers' party

Friday 20 July

School closes for summer holiday

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