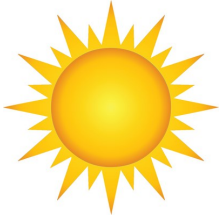


# Team Bartons



Bartons Primary School  
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This week, the children in Years 4, 5 and 6 have been working really hard to put the final preparations together ahead of the first performance of Dragon days next week. I am really looking forward to seeing the show after hearing snippets of lovely songs over the last few weeks. It is also great to be joined, once again, by our pianist extraordinaire Michael Servant. Please make sure that you have bought your tickets .

On Wednesday, Year 6 went to the beach as part of their treat days after SAT's. Both classes had a great day and were able to let off steam. Mr Hayne and Mrs Lewis report that the children were very well behaved and they enjoyed their time with the children.

On Thursday, Beech class shared their learning this term and we heard all about their trip to Marwell Zoo. It was a lovely assembly where the children taught us facts about Geography and Science. Well done children; it was great to see such confidence and to see how much you have enjoyed this terms learning.

## Summer Fair

Last Friday we held our annual Summer fair. The weather was perfect and lots of you came along to support us. Thanks to a tremendous Team Bartons effort, we raised a brilliant £1368. Thank you to all of the Friends who gave up their time in meticulously planning the event and setting up on the day. We couldn't do it without your enthusiasm and commitment. Thanks also to the staff and Governors who ran stalls and who donated items. This total will really help in our fundraising towards our new library and on behalf of everyone at Bartons, thank you.

## Art Exhibition

On Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> July, we will open our art exhibition and the children will have the opportunity to look at it through the day. At 2.30 - 4pm parents can come and see the fabulous art work. The gallery will also be open on the morning of Friday the 5<sup>th</sup> from 8.15am until 9am. The framed work can be purchased for £7.50 with a percentage of this going towards the school. We do hope that you will come along and enjoy the art.

## Sports Day

We are very sorry that we had to postpone today's sports afternoon but the staff were all in agreement that because of the uncertainty of hot temperatures, that it was the right decision. The children's safety is always paramount and we had been monitoring the weather all week. We do appreciate that a change of plan is inconvenient but we hope that the school community will be supportive of the decision. We will attempt to run sports day again next Friday 5<sup>th</sup> July but we will run it in the morning from 9.30am until 11.30am. Parents will be able to drop off the children as normal in the morning and then set up on the school field alongside the running track. Unfortunately, it will not be possible for us to hold a family picnic following the mornings events. Again, we apologise for any inconvenience caused.

## Dragon Days: KS2 Summer Production

The KS2 production of Dragon Days is nearly upon us. The children and staff have been working really hard and they are really looking forward to the performances next week. Please make sure you have bought your tickets ahead of the performances. At the moment, the performance runs for 1 hour 15 minutes. For the evening performances, the children will need to be back at school for 5.30pm. Please do not arrive before then because the staff will be having their break. There will be a chance to buy a lucky programme for 20p and this will give you the chance to win £10. We look forward to seeing you next week.

## Diary Date Reminders...

### **JULY:**

- 2nd: KS2 Production: 'Dragon Days' 2pm & 6pm
- 4th: Art Exhibition in school  
KS2 Summer Production: 'Dragon Days' 6pm
- 5th: Art Exhibition in school  
Sports day morning: 9.30am - 11.30am.  
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

### **SEPTEMBER 2019:**

3rd: Autumn term begins

### **OCTOBER:**

28th - 1st November: HALF TERM

### **NOVEMBER:**

4th: INSET day: School closed for pupils

*Have a great weekend and be careful in the sun!  
Regards Kate Powell*