



# TEAM BARTONS

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## Class Photos Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> April

It is **Class Photo** day on the 30<sup>th</sup> of April and children will need to be looking smart and in the **correct school uniform**. Some classes have PE on that day and so they will need to bring their PE kit with them to change into. If they're not in uniform then they won't have their photograph taken sadly. Year 6 will not be photographed in their Leavers hoodies so they'll need to be wearing their sweatshirt or cardigan instead. Thank you.

## Upcoming Major Road Works



As a reminder, there are some significant roadworks being undertaken later on this term on the Chichester Road. Parts of the road will be closed for several weeks and this will undoubtedly cause significant delays for us all especially trying

to get to and from school. The works are:

**Phase One:** from 1<sup>st</sup> June to 22<sup>nd</sup> June  
Road closed on Chichester Road from the junction of The Boulevard to the junction of North Bersted Street.

**Phase Two:** from 22<sup>nd</sup> June to 21<sup>st</sup> August  
Road closed on Chichester Road from the junction of The Boulevard to just south of Loats Lane.

**Phase Three:** from 24<sup>th</sup> August to 25<sup>th</sup> September  
Road closed on Chichester Road from junction of Fairlands to North Bersted Street.

## Donations of Prizes - Plea for your help!



The Summer Fair is in June and we are already starting to think about the variety of stalls that we could have and prizes for the popular raffle. This event is raising funds for the school and so we need lots of help from you to make it a success. The staff have taken on this role this summer which is a big ask from me but they are keen to run this for our school. We would really value any offers of help for the day to help us. The proceeds of the Fair will go towards redesigning the outdoor learning space for the younger children. Please can I ask that if you know anyone who would like to run a stall or any businesses that could donate a prize for us then we would love to hear from you. Just let Debbie Camp in the office know or ask for details. Thank you.

## Useful Diary Dates 2026 (All dates are on the school website)

### APRIL

30<sup>th</sup>: Class Photo Day.

### MAY

4<sup>th</sup>: BANK HOLIDAY - School closed

11<sup>th</sup>: Year 6 SATs week. **No Year 6 absence authorised.**

22<sup>nd</sup>: Last day before half term

**(Half Term 25<sup>th</sup> May– 29<sup>th</sup> May 2026)**

### JUNE

1<sup>st</sup>: Back to School. ENRICHMENT WEEK

10<sup>th</sup>: Messy Church

12<sup>th</sup>: Non-uniform day for Summer fair donations

19<sup>th</sup>: Summer Fair (3.30pm - 5pm)

23<sup>rd</sup>: Sharing of Work in class 3.15pm - 3.45pm

24<sup>th</sup>: Sharing of Work in class 8.40am - 9am.

26<sup>th</sup>: Sports day morning

Year 6 Leavers Disco (4.30pm - 6pm)

### JULY

1<sup>st</sup>: Year 6 Transition Day to secondary school

2<sup>nd</sup>: Area Athletics tournament

3<sup>rd</sup>: Reserve Sports day morning date

Class letters out.

6<sup>th</sup>: Dress Rehearsal Summer production Yrs 4, 5 & 6.

7<sup>th</sup>: Summer Production performances 1.45pm & 6pm

8<sup>th</sup>: Summer Production performances 6pm

10<sup>th</sup>: Reports home to parents

13<sup>th</sup>: Class change over morning

17<sup>th</sup>: Last day of term

Year 6 Leavers Assembly 1.45pm. Year 6 parents invited.

20<sup>th</sup>: INSET Day - School closed to pupils.

21<sup>st</sup>: INSET Day - School closed to pupils.

22<sup>nd</sup>: INSET Day - School closed to pupils.

Happy Holidays! See you back on Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> September 2026.

## New Hot Lunch Provider in September

In September, the new catering provider ISS will take over hot meal lunch provision from Chartwells in most West Sussex schools. Over the term, we will send out information, as we receive it, about the new company and some of the new features. There will be new things that they offer and a new App for ordering lunches. Please keep an eye out for further information.

## Year 6 SATs Breakfast 11<sup>th</sup> to 14<sup>th</sup> May

Every year, at Year 6 end of Key Stage 2 tests time, Mrs Olliver organises a continental breakfast for **Cedar** class to have at school before school to get them relaxed and ready for the SAT's that day. We've found that when the children come together, they are calm and support one another. There is no cost to you and we would like all of the children to attend every day from Monday 11<sup>th</sup> - Thursday 14<sup>th</sup>. Please arrive at 8.15am through the Willow room outside door. This is a very positive start to the day for the children and please talk to Mrs Olliver about any food allergies.

*Have a great weekend! Best wishes Kate Powell*