

Bartons Primary School Newsletter 10 16th November 2018

This week, we were treated to two special assemblies. Oak class presented their class assembly. Having been on their Year 6 residential trip last week, they were able to show us photographs of their time at PGL and share their best moments. Well done Oak class. It was lovely to see what you got up to and we particularly enjoyed seeing Mrs Lewis and Mrs Cook on the high swing and hearing their hysterics!

On Monday, the drama club presented their acting and singing piece from Matilda. It was lovely to see how hard they had worked and to see such talent. Well done drama club and Miss Cook for giving us a real treat.

Two weeks ago, the new football team took part in the football tournament at The Regis. This was the first time we had had a school team. The boys played 7 games; drew two but lost five. Mr Starr was thrilled because they did their best, were playing against Year 6 teams when they are only Year 5 boys and they scored 11 goals. Well done to Jax, Kai, Alfie, Alfie, George, Bailey, Riley and James. This was a great first effort and thank you to Mr Starr for arranging.

Non-Uniform Day

On Friday 23rd November, we will have a non-uniform day where in return for not wearing school uniform, the children can bring in donated items for our upcoming Christmas Fair. The Friends are already planning the event and would like the variety of specified items as set out on the Friends of Bartons Newsletter which is on the reverse of this newsletter. The Friends are approaching companies for raffle prizes and if you work for a company that would be happy to donate a prize or items then please bring them in. We are always very grateful for any offers of help and for prizes. **After School Football Club**

In our effort to provide more after school clubs, Luke Cooper will be running two football clubs from January. He will run a session for Yr 1 & 2 children and one for Yr 3 & 4. These will run on Tuesdays. To take advantage of the special offer please see the attached letter.

Christmas Dinner



Our Christmas dinner day is Tuesday 11th December. All children in Yrs R, 1 and 2 who normally have hot lunches through the Universal Free School Meal will get a turkey dinner.

If your child is in Yr R, 1 and 2 and has a packed lunch but you would like them to have a Christmas dinner then please let Mrs Toone know in the office by 30th November. For all children in Years 3, 4, 5 and 6 who would also like a Christmas please book directly dinner then at www.mealselector.co.uk by 2nd December. For all year groups who want a vegetarian option on the 11th December then please let the school office know by 23rd November to ensure orders are complete. The price is £2.35.

Weekly Team Bartons Newsletter

In an effort to cut down on our use of paper and to save the school money, we will be moving over to emailing the newsletter home on a Friday instead of sending home a paper copy. This is something that most schools do now and we have been planning for a while. We now have a main email address from the majority of our families. If you haven't given us an email then you will not receive one. Newsletters are posted every Friday on our school website and displayed in the information display areas. There will also be some paper copies in the school Reception area by the school office. If you do not have access to the internet then you can request a paper copy from the school office. The switch over will be after the 30th November. This means that the last paper copy will come home on Friday 30th. Thereafter, the newsletters will be emailed home to the address that you have given us. For the moment, trip letters will continue to be sent home as a paper copy.

Bags2School

Thank you to everyone who donated unwanted clothes last week in our Bags2School collection. We raised £84 this time and this will go towards buying more quality texts for our school library. Every amount counts and so thank you for taking the time to have a sort out.

Flu Vaccination

Just for your information the Flu vaccination for the children with consent in Years R to 5 will be done in school on Tuesday 27th November.

Have a great weekend! Kind regards Kate Powell