



TEAM BARTONS

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Summer Production

The summer production is next week. There are two performances on Tuesday 7th July at 2pm & 6pm and one performance on Wednesday 8th July at 6pm.

*The relaxed performance on Monday 6th July at 2pm. This performance is also for the rest of the school, therefore, due to limited space, it is only open to parents bringing pre-school aged children. **If you are planning on bringing very young children, please can we ask that if they become upset and are making a lot of noise, then please take them out of the hall so as not to disrupt the performance and put the performing children off. If you would like to attend this performance, please contact Ms Camp on 01243 822056. This is so that we know numbers – you do not need a ticket for this performance.***

TICKET PRICES: £2.50 per ticket (these are virtual tickets – you will not be given a physical ticket, but your allocated tickets and names will be on the guest list). The price of the tickets will cover the costs of the performing licence which we have to have for this production. Programmes can be purchased on the day for 50p.

Last Few Weeks of Term

Can I remind all parents that children should have a water bottle and hat in school during the warmer summer weeks. Children can bring suncream to school but must be able to apply it themselves. Long lasting suncreams can be applied before school. The forecast next week is set to be warmer and we will continue to monitor the situation day by day. We will let you know if there are any adjustments to uniform or trips in due course. Thank you for your support as always.

Staffing News



Another lovely piece of staff news to tell you is that Mrs Low is expecting a baby in the autumn. This is wonderful news and I'm sure you will all join with us in wishing her and her husband congratulations.

Sports Morning 2026

Today, we held our inclusive sports morning and it was great to see so many of you join us for an action packed morning of events. It was the perfect conditions for a morning of athletics. The children were very excited and had practiced well. There were a variety of events including the 200m sprint and a mixed relay culminating in the popular sprints at the end of the session. The final standings were:-

1st	2nd	3rd	4th
Phoenix	Dragon	Pegasus	Unicorn
706	692	664	577

Well done to **Phoenix** who narrowly beat Dragon by just 14 points. It was very close this year. Huge congratulations to all of the children who showed amazing Team Bartons team spirit and enjoyment. Thank you for all of your positive supportive cheering and excellent feedback to new events this year. Thank you to Miss Yardley for organising the whole event. It went so well and we all loved it.

Mobile Phones

You will have seen that the new ban on the use of mobile phones for under 16's during school hours has come into force. The Children's Well-being and Schools Act 2026, came into force on Monday making phone restrictions a national legal requirement. Our policy already aligned with the legislation and so we don't need to make any changes. Pupils in Years 5 and 6 only, if they walk to school, with parental written consent, can bring one to school. These are turned off and handed in at the beginning of the day and returned at the end of the day. We have never had any difficulties with this approach and comply fully with the act.

Have a great weekend! Best wishes Kate Powell