



TEAM BARTONS

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Welcome back to school after the October half term break. I hope you all managed to have some quality family time altogether. It's a shame that the weather wasn't at its best! Having said that, this week's weather has been quite extraordinary with the amount of rain we have had. I hope none of you have been affected by the flooding or the wind. I was pleased that yesterday's weather warning wasn't quite as bad as we were all expecting in the end. Despite the weather being so poor yesterday, the children were in good spirits.

Maths Week



This week has been Maths Week with the theme being 'Maths in our everyday lives'. It has been an opportunity to really immerse the children in creative and purposeful Maths. Each class have explored different areas and the children have thoroughly enjoyed really digging down into their Maths learning. Thank you to the teachers and Mrs Lewis for planning the whole week of fun. I'll post some photos next week from across the school and remember to look at the Class Pages on the school website for information.

Yellow School Photographs

This week all of the proofs for the school photos have been sent home for you to view. On the proof, is all of the details about how to order and how to pay if you want the photographs. Please ensure that you use the correct codes unique to our school and your child, and follow all of the instructions carefully. Please make sure that you pay and order for any photo packs before the deadline of Tuesday 14th November. Thank you.

Sports for Champions

Thank you for your patience with regard to the sponsored event that should have been scheduled for this week. Sadly, our athlete Chloe, encountered an injury at football training and has been receiving medical support this week. We are currently trying to organise an alternative date in the next few weeks and as soon as I know, we will let you know the date. We have been really impressed with the children's enthusiasm towards this event and well done to everyone who has collected sponsors. We wish Chloe a speedy recovery and hope to see her soon.

Hazel Class Trip to Butser Ancient Farm



You'll remember that before half term, Hazel class visited Butser Ancient Farm and had an incredible day of learning. They even got to meet the Duke of Gloucester who was also visiting the farm that day. In half term, we spotted this picture on the Royal family's Instagram page. What a great photo!

Useful Diary Dates Coming Up

6th **November**: Year 6 Residential all week.

15th: Parents Evening: 4pm - 6.45pm.

16th: Yr6 Parents invited to Residential Assembly @ 9.30.

17th: Children In Need day: £1 'spot-tacular' non-uniform day

21st: Come and see your child's work @ 3.15pm - 3.45pm.

22nd: Come and see your child's work @ 8.40am - 9am.

1st **December**: Christmas Market @ 3.30pm - 5pm

5th: Years 1, 2 & 3 Christmas Production @ 2pm & 6pm.

8th: Wear your Christmas Jumper for the day for £1.

14th: Last day of Term.

Have a great half term! Best wishes Kate Powell