



TEAM BARTONS

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Year 6 Residential

Last week, Year 6 went to PGL Osmington Bay in Dorset and had the most brilliant residential. Mrs Olliver was very impressed how well behaved the children were and how they challenged themselves to try lots of new outdoor activities. Many children overcame some initial worries and felt a great sense of achievement completing the adventurous activities. Well done Year 6 and thank you so much to Mrs Olliver and Mrs A. Powell for giving up their time to accompany the children. Let's just say that they were all very tired on Friday.



The British Legion Poppy Appeal



Again, this year, we are supporting the annual British Legion Poppy appeal in school by selling poppies and other remembrance items after half term. They will be on sale in the afternoons and brought to the classes. If you would like your child to buy a poppy or any of the items (some would need a donation of over £1) then please bring the coins to school in a named purse or envelope. This is a very worthy charity and so thank you for your support in advance.

Parents Evening

This week, Parents Evening appointment slots were released on Monday. The consultation dates are Tuesday 3rd November @ 3.45pm - 5.45pm and on Wednesday 18th November 4pm - 6.45pm. If you would like an appointment with Mrs A. Powell, our school SENCo then please contact the school office. Appointments are offered on a first come first serve basis. If you can't make an appointment, then please talk to your child's class teacher about making a mutually agreed alternative appointment or phone call.

Yellow School Photographs

The deadline to order your child's school photograph is Tuesday 3rd November. Ordering details are on the Yellow proofs sent home.

Non-Uniform Day - Rainbow Hampers

On Friday 20th November, we will have a non-uniform day in exchange for some Christmas Fair hamper items. As we did in the summer, we would like everyone to bring in an item (or items) that are a particular colour. These items can be anything; please ensure they are new and unopened. Suggestions of items could be sweets, biscuits (no nuts), games, stationary, smellies, hair accessories, small gifts and gift sets, bottles, crafty items, games, pack of cards etc. Anything goes, as long as, it has the specific colour on it! We will then create 7 colour themed hampers as prizes for the raffle. A colour has been assigned to each class.

The colours are:

Elm: **Red**

Beech: **Blue**

Chestnut: **Green**

Hazel: **Yellow**

Ash: **Orange**

Lime: **Purple**

Cedar: **Black or White/Monochrome.**

The hampers will be a great prize to win, and the feedback was excellent from the summer. We hope you will all join in to help us raise as much money as possible for a new outside area for the children - this is our fundraising goal for the next year or so.

Mystery Christmas Goodie Bags



Today, for the upcoming Christmas Fair, we will be sending out the 'Mystery Goodie Bags'. Please fill the bag with any Christmas themed goodies (no nuts) and return them by Friday 6th November. Thank you as always for your support.

Have a great half term! Best wishes Kate Powell