



TEAM BARTONS

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Colour Run 24th May 2pm - 4pm

The Colour Run Event will be held on Friday 24th May. The Friends of Bartons have done a great job planning this and we hope that the children will enjoy it. For children not taking part in the event, there will be an alternative fun activity in school with school staff until the end of the normal school day. The funds raised will be going towards new outdoor reading equipment that the School Council have requested.

Because of the nature of this activity, there are some specific rules that have to be strictly adhered to.

- **Eye protection must be worn and a waiver must be signed.**
- **Please bring your own hand sanitiser and wipes/towel.**
Face masks will be available for use.
- **Children will not be allowed to enter the building after starting the race. Toilets will not be available for use.**
- **For those taking part, please bring old clothes to change into. These clothes may be ruined and will get stained.**
- **At the end of the race, children may leave but must tell their teacher when they are leaving school and with whom.**
- **For children in Year R to Year 4, they must have an adult at the event with them to supervise their child/ren's run.**
- **Years 5 & 6 will not require parental supervision. Years 5 and 6 races won't start until after school has ended. Those pupils can stay at school in preparation for their race. Ensure that they know whether they are walking home or being collected. Race times by class are:**
 - Year R – 14:15 – 14:30
 - Year 1 – 14:30 – 14:45
 - Year 2 – 14:45 – 15:00
 - Year 3 – 15:00 – 15:15
 - Year 4 – 15:15 – 15:30
 - Year 5 – 15:30 – 15:45
 - Year 6 – 15:45 – 16:00

On completion of the course, each runner will receive a certificate and some treats. The FoBs would love more volunteers so if you can help on the day, do let us know asap.

Enrichment Week 3rd June - 7th June

Enrichment Week is after half term and this year, to coincide with the 80th anniversary of D-day in World War 2 on 6th June, we will be studying WW11 Britain. On **Thursday 6th June**, we will hold our own special day with the children dressed in costume that day. They could dress up as an evacuee, a member of the military e.g. airman, soldier, female army/navy/air force intelligence officer, a land girl, air raid wardens etc. We will have some live WW2 music and some 1940's dancing and we have been invited to some community dedications. Whilst we will be remembering and honouring that time in our history, the theme for the week will be about educating our young people about the need for peace in the world. If you have any artefacts or wartime stories that you could share then we would love to hear from you. Thank you.

Useful Diary Dates 2024 (All dates are on the school website)

22nd May: Messy Church

24th May: Colour Run afternoon rearranged date.

27th - 31st May: HALF TERM SCHOOL CLOSED

3rd June: Back to school - ENRICHMENT WEEK -WW2 History focussed week.

6th June: 80th Anniversary Celebration day for D-Day. Dress up in WW2 costume. Activities and details to follow.

10th June: Year 6 Enterprise Week - details to follow

14th June: Non - uniform day for Summer fair donations. Details to follow.

18th June: New Year R parents (September) meeting at 1.30pm.

19th June: Year 6 Treat day.

21st June: Summer fair 3.30pm - 5pm.

24th June: Year 6 Treat day.

26th June: Messy Church after school

28th June: Sports day morning - starting at 9.30am.

1st July: Big Sing Event pm for Year 5.

2nd July: Sharing of Work 3.15pm - 3.45pm.

3rd July: Sharing of Work 8.40am - 9am.

4th July: Reserve day for Sports morning.

Area Athletics Competition for Years 3, 4, 5 and 6 (selected athletes.)

8th July: Dress rehearsal and relaxed performance for summer production.

9th July: Summer production by Years 4, 5 and 6 at 2pm and 6pm.

10th July: Evening production at 6pm.

11th July: Year 6 trip to Festival of Speed

12th July: School Reports home to parents

19th July: **Last day of Term.** Year 6 Leavers Assembly at 2pm.

Have a great weekend! Best wishes Kate Powell