



# TEAM BARTONS

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Welcome back to school. I hope that you all had a lovely Easter break and were able to share some lovely family time.

The summer term always brings lots of exciting opportunities and we are all looking forward to some of the activities such as, sports morning, the KS2 production, Enrichment Week and many more visits and treats.

To celebrate the upcoming King's coronation, on Friday 5th May, we will have a 'Red, White and Blue' day. The children can come to school dressed in patriotic red, white and blue coloured clothes. They can wear anything coronation related (Kings and Queens costumes are fine) and there will be fun activities in school throughout the day. The School Council have planned some activities for the children to take part in including a 'Crown Making' competition. Details will follow soon and so start thinking about what your design could be for a chance to win a prize. Good luck!

## Moving From ParentMail to ParentPay

### IMPORTANT

In order to streamline our communication systems to parents, we will be changing our communication platform from ParentMail to **ParentPay**, the system you currently use to order hot school meals. This will be for all of our future emails, texts and payments etc. This will take effect from 1<sup>st</sup> June 2023. This will mean that after 1st June, we will not use ParentMail anymore. If you have not already done so, you must activate your ParentPay account with the code you were given previously. We encourage you do this as soon as possible in advance of the changeover and this going 'live'. You must have this in order to receive any school messages and all communications.

## Ordering Hot Meals with Chartwells

Can all parents ensure that hot meal orders with the meal selection are placed on time to Chartwells. Failure to do this will result in having to provide a packed lunch for two weeks until this is rectified. If you have any queries please contact [parent-support@parentpay.com](mailto:parent-support@parentpay.com). Unfortunately, the school office cannot deal with any Chartwells queries.

## Year 6 Leavers Hoodies

The Year 6 Leavers hoodies are now available to buy from JW Sports in Bognor. Please use the link below to place your order: <https://jwsports.co.uk/product/bartons-navy-leavers-hoodie/>

## Useful Diary Dates 2023



4th May: Class Photographs

5th May: 'Red, White and Blue' day.

8th May: Kings Coronation Bank Holiday - school closed

9th - 12th May:

Year 6 SAT's - all Year 6 children must attend school and no absence will be authorised.

15th May: Outdoor Learning day

17th May: Messy Church after school

29th May - 2nd June: HALF TERM

5th June - 9th June: Enrichment Week - STEM Week

16th June: Non-uniform day in return for Summer fair items

21st June: Messy Church after school.

23rd June: Summer Fair - 3.30pm - 5pm.

30th June: Sports Morning starting at 9.30am.

5th July: National Year 6 transition day to secondary school

11th & 12th July: Years 4,5 and 6 Summer Production

14th July: School Reports out to Parents

20th July: Last day of term. Year 6 Leavers Assembly 2pm

**Have a great weekend! Best wishes Kate Powell**