

The Barn Croft Bulletin

Dear Parents & Carer,

Welcome back to the Summer Term! I do hope you all enjoyed the Spring holiday and the wonderful weather!!

This is of course a very busy term - and this year even more so than the last couple of years because everything can go back to how it was pre-March 2020!

This means we can have our annual Summer Fair, Y6 can go on their residential trip to Gilwell and Y5 & Y6 can go swimming - amongst many other events and trips.

Music Lessons will start from next week, as will Clubs.

Today I met with children for Hot Choc Friday for the first time since February 2020 and it was absolutely wonderful to sit and talk to the children and hear their news and about what they had been doing. And after that, we had our first whole school Celebration Assembly in the Hall! The children were wonderful but I have to admit it was very strange trying to remember how we used to run the assembly before it was all switched onto Zoom!!

As the weather is improving now please remember to remind your child to wear a sun hat to school and in the playground and to Outdoor Learning. It is important for them to be safe in the sun.

Have a lovely weekend!

Tracey Griffiths
Headteacher



STARS OF THE WEEK

Certificates this week have been awarded for *Great start to the Term*



*Reception – Arthur & Idris
Year 1 – Lily-Rose & Seren
Year 2 – Martha & Michael
Year 3 – Izabela & Leonardo
Year 4 – Edie & Jay
Year 5 – Daniel & Makar
Year 6 – Jesse & Shania
Tea Time Club – Olive – Year 2*



Item Request!!

Early Years would really like any of these unwanted items for their home corner; a 2 seater Sofa, Coffee Table, Floor lamp and bookshelf.

Hot Chocolate

Reception – Harry
Y1 – Orson
Y2 – Violet
Y3 – Indi
Y4 – Solly
Y5 – Edrik
Y6 – Zunairah

Uniform will be back in the bike shed area from next week

Key Diary Dates

25th April – 6th May
Year 5 Swimming

26th April
Year 2 Trip –
Walthamstow Wetlands

2nd May Bank Holiday

5th May
Year 4 Trip – Science
Museum

9th May – 12th May
Y6 SATs Week (Breakfast
for Year 6 Provided)

16th May – 27th May
Year 5 Swimming

27th May
KS2 Disco

27th May
Last day of Half-Term

30th May – 3rd June
Half-Term Holiday

17th June
Class School Photos

25th June
Summer Fayre

28th June – 1st July
Y6 Residential - Gilwell

Clubs

Clubs start from next week, please see the table below.

Please ensure you have returned the slips back to the office as we will need to know what your child will be doing after the club.

Payments will be on Parentmail after a few weeks in to the clubs as some children might change their minds.

Barn Croft Clubs

Summer Term – Running from Monday 25th April – Friday 15th July 2022



	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Before School	<i>Breakfast Club</i> £2.50 per session – book once then just turn up.	<i>Breakfast Club</i> £2.50 per session – book once then just turn up.	<i>Breakfast Club</i> £2.50 per session – book once then just turn up.	<i>Breakfast Club</i> £2.50 per session – book once then just turn up.	<i>Breakfast Club</i> £2.50 per session – book once then just turn up.
After School 3.30pm – 4.30pm	<i>Touch Typing Club</i> KS2 RM/AS <i>Sports Club</i> KS2 LS	<i>Poetry Club</i> KS2 HE Maths Games Rec & KS1 CJO/JS Mindfulness Colouring Rec & KS1 SM/LB <i>Construction Club</i> Rec & KS1 (lego/knex/junk modelling) DP <i>Dance Club</i> Rec & KS1 RL <i>Science Club</i> KS2 DG/AA	NO CLUBS TODAY	<i>Lego Club</i> Rec, KS1 & KS2 LR/SN/ WBU <i>Gardening Club</i> KS1 & KS2 JA Colouring and Drawing Rec/KS1/KS2 GA/FA	NO CLUBS TODAY

HEY, FAMILIES OF WALTHAM FOREST!

Want to make healthy habits together as a family (and have fun doing it?)

We are BeeZee Bodies, and we're here to help improve your family's health and wellbeing. Our team are experts at engaging kids around healthy eating and healthy habits (we've even won awards to prove it!) and now we're offering support to families in Waltham Forest for FREE!

FREE SERVICES AVAILABLE IN WALTHAM FOREST

 <p>Self guided online learning BeeZee Academy An online portal full of healthy living resources to help you learn about healthy lifestyles at a time that works for you.</p>	 <p>12 week online course BeeZee Families Live Fun, interactive webinars led by our expert nutritionists to help your family create healthy habits and routines at home.</p>	 <p>Community groups BeeZee Families Join us in your local community to learn about healthy living, including cooking lessons and activity sessions.</p>	 <p>One-to-one support BeeZee Lite A one hour chat with us, to support you with a specific challenge around maintaining healthy habits at home.</p>
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WHO IS ELIGIBLE?

Families with at least one child who is 5-15 years old, has a BMI > 91st centile and lives/goes to school/s is registered with a GP in Waltham Forest...but the whole family is encouraged to participate together!

TO SIGN UP FOR YOUR FAMILY'S FREE PLACE, VISIT
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RECIPES

SNACKS

BLUEBERRY BREAKFAST BARS

Ingredients:

- 2 tbsp. of butter or coconut oil, melted
- 150g mashed banana (about 2 small)
- 250g porridge oats
- 150ml of milk
- 2tbsp maple syrup
- 1tsp vanilla essence
- 150g fresh or frozen blueberries
- 1-2tsp cinnamon



Method:

1. Preheat the oven to 180C.
2. Grease an 8-10 inch square baking dish with a little butter or line with parchment paper
3. Add all of the ingredients together, folding in the blueberries last.
4. Pour the batter in to the baking dish and cook for 25-30 minutes until golden brown.
5. Cool on a wire rack before slicing into 12 squares.
6. Delicious served warm with a dollop of plain yoghurt.

*Use any berries you can get hold of. You could try adding some nuts or seeds for protein and healthy fats too.



TRIED THIS RECIPE?

Share your pictures with us!

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HEALTHY LUNCH BOX IDEAS



Here are some healthy packed lunch ideas to fill the kids' lunchboxes with delicious and nutritious food to keep them going all day!

Main Lunch

- Tuna mayo and sweetcorn pasta salad
- Chicken salad wrap
- Soft cheese and cucumber sandwich



Savoury Snack

- Breadsticks, carrot batons and hummus
- Rice crackers
- Hard boiled egg

Pudding

- Seasonal fruit salad
- Malt loaf
- Sugar free jelly

WE CAN'T WAIT TO MEET YOU!



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Barn Croft Primary School Calendar 2021-2022

Autumn Term 2021 (73 days)

Wednesday 1 st September	Staff Training Day – School Closed
Thursday 2 nd September	Staff Training Day – School Closed
Friday 3 rd September	Staff Training Day – School Closed

Monday 6th September	School Starts
Friday 22 nd October	School Ends – Last Day of Half-Term

Monday 25 th October - Friday 29 th October	Half-Term Holiday – School Closed
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Monday 1st November	School Starts
Friday 17 th December	School Ends at 2:00pm - Last Day of Term

Monday 20 th December – Monday 3 rd January	Christmas Holiday – School Closed
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Spring Term 2022 (59 days)

Tuesday 4 th January	Staff Training Day – School Closed
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Wednesday 5th January	School Starts
Friday 11 th February	School Ends – Last Day of Half-Term

Monday 14 th February - Friday 18 th February	Half-Term Holiday – School Closed
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Monday 21st February	School Starts
Friday 1 st April	School Ends at 2:00pm - Last Day of Term

Monday 4 th April – Monday 18 th April	Easter Holiday – School Closed
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Summer Term 2022 (42 days)

Tuesday 19 th April	Staff Training Day – School Closed
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Wednesday 20th April	School Starts
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Monday 2 nd May	Bank Holiday – School Closed
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Friday 27 th May	School Ends – Last Day of Half-Term
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Monday 30 th May - Friday 3 rd June	Half-Term Holiday – School Closed
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Monday 6th June	School Starts
Thursday 21 st July	School Ends at 2:00pm - Last Day of Term
Friday 22 nd July	Queens Platinum Jubilee Bank Holiday in lieu