

The Barn Croft Newsletter

Courage, Love, Excellence

Dear Parents & Carers,

This week has been filled with sunshine and that joy has been reflected in some of the fantastic things the children have been doing this week.

Year 6 were at Gilwell Park for the week to complete their residential trip – they were climbing, go-karting, learning archery and so much more. The children demonstrated such resilience and determination, even when faced with challenges such as jumping off high climbing poles to a trapeze, they encouraged one another and worked together brilliantly in team building exercises. Year 6's behaviour and attitudes throughout the trip were exemplary and they really emanated Courage, Love and Excellence the whole time. All the children had a fantastic time and we are very proud of them all. Well done to everyone in Year 6 and a huge thank you to all the staff who gave their time to make this trip possible – I do hope everyone had a well-deserved rest this weekend.

Reception also went on a trip this week to the Natural History Museum to complete a dinosaur workshop, linked to their learning in class. They had a brilliant time and again, behaviour was superb! The children had a wonderful time and thoroughly enjoyed the museum and the workshop. Thank you to staff for organising these events and to parents for supporting on trips – they cannot happen without additional adult support.

There are more trips and events planned for the coming weeks, it is a very busy time of year. Please do make a note of dates in the newsletter so you are aware in advance.

Friends of Barn Croft are holding their Summer Meeting in the hall at 6.30pm on Tuesday 20th June – please see flyer below. All welcome to attend – I hope to see lots of parents there to support the vital volunteer work they do to raise much needed funds to support school to run exciting curriculum events and extra-curricular opportunities for all children.

Finally, as the hot weather continues, please ensure that children have a **water bottle in school every day**, a sun hat for the playground and that you have applied sun cream **before** they come to school (we are not able to apply it during the day).

Miss Kelly

Acting Headteacher

Key Diary Dates

20th June
Parent Coffee
Afternoon
 2:45pm Hall all invited

20th June
FOB Meeting
 6:30pm Hall all invited

10th July
Sports Day
 All invited

13th July
Backup Sports Day

21st July
Last day of Term
 2:00pm finish

Non Uniform Day

Year 1

Friday 23rd June



Stars of the Week

Certificates this week have been awarded for *Spelling*

Reception - Hector & Rickie

Year 1 – Arthur & Emma

Year 2 – Cora & Samuel

Year 3 – Dorothy & Lola

Year 4 – Frankie & Izabela

Year 5 – Esme & Leo

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Reception- Jason

Year 1- Niamh

Year 2- Winnie

Year 3 – Rosalie

Year 4 – Mirhat

Year 5 - Darragh

Do you have concerns about your child's mental health and wellbeing?

*A parent coffee afternoon will be held on **Tuesday 20th of June at 2.45pm**. Come early before pick up to meet our new CAMHS (Child, Adolescent Mental Health Service) link workers to find out how they can best support you and our school. They will also be available after school on a stall with flyers to answer your questions and introduce themselves.*

Please let us know if you will be able to attend either via email School@barncroft.waltham.sch.uk or pop into the office or call us.

FOBC PTA SUMMER TERM MEETING

EVERYONE WELCOME

**20/06/2023 6.30PM
SCHOOL HALL**

AGENDA:

- MINUTES FROM LAST MEETING
- PARENTMAIL RENEWAL
- PAYMENT MACHINES
- SUMMER TERMS EVENTS/PROJECTS
- LOOKING AHEAD TO NEXT ACADEMIC YEAR (AGM ETC)
- FINANCES/TAX RETURN
- ANY OTHER BUSINESS

SEE YOU THERE!

CONTACT: barncroftfriends@gmail.com



A RIGHT TO PLAY

Summer Holiday Club 2023

24th July - 25th August 2023
8:00AM - 5:00PM



Contact Details
Tel: 0333 123 0063
Email: info@childcare-solution.com
Website: www.childcare-solution.com

Cost per day: £35*
*Late fees will be incurred
5:00pm - 5:10pm £10.00; 5:10pm - 5:20pm £20.00;
Social services contacted if not collected by 5:20pm



Barn Croft Primary School Calendar 2022-2023

Autumn Term 2022 (72 days)

Thursday 1st September
Friday 2nd September

Staff Training Day – **School Closed**
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Monday 5th September

School Starts

Friday 21st October

School Ends – Last Day of Half-Term

Monday 24th October - Friday 28th October

Half-Term Holiday – **School Closed**

Monday 31st October

School Starts

Friday 16th December

School Ends at 2:00pm - Last Day of Term

Monday 19th December – Monday 2nd January

Christmas Holiday – **School Closed**

Spring Term 2023 (59 days)

Tuesday 3rd January

Staff Training Day – **School Closed**

Wednesday 4th January

School Starts

Friday 10th February

School Ends – Last Day of Half-Term

Monday 13th February - Friday 17th February

Half-Term Holiday – **School Closed**

Monday 20th February

School Starts

Friday 31st March

School Ends at 2:00pm - Last Day of Term

Monday 3rd April – Friday 14th April

Easter Holiday – **School Closed**

Summer Term 2023 (64 days)

Monday 17th April

Staff Training Day – **School Closed**

Tuesday 18th April

School Starts

Monday 1st May

Bank Holiday – **School Closed**

Friday 26th May

School Ends – Last Day of Half-Term

Monday 29th May - Friday 2nd June

Half-Term Holiday – **School Closed**

Monday 5th June

Staff Training Day – **School Closed**

Tuesday 6th June

School Starts

Friday 21st July

School Ends at 2:00pm - Last Day of Term



Barn Croft Primary School Calendar 2023-2024

Autumn Term 2023 (74 days)

Monday 4th September Staff Training Day – **School Closed**
Tuesday 5th September Staff Training Day – **School Closed**

Wednesday 6th September School Starts
Friday 20th October School Ends – Last Day of Half-Term

Monday 23rd October - Friday 27th October Half-Term Holiday – **School Closed**

Monday 30th October School Starts
Thursday 21st December School Ends at 2:00pm - Last Day of Term

Friday 22nd December – Friday 5th January Christmas Holiday – **School Closed**

Spring Term 2024 (54 days)

Monday 8th January Staff Training Day – **School Closed**

Tuesday 9th January School Starts
Friday 9th February School Ends – Last Day of Half-Term

Monday 12th February - Friday 16th February Half-Term Holiday – **School Closed**

Monday 19th February School Starts
Thursday 28th March School Ends at 2:00pm - Last Day of Term

Friday 29th March – Friday 12th April Easter Holiday – **School Closed**

Summer Term 2024 (67 days)

Monday 15th April Staff Training Day – **School Closed**

Tuesday 16th April School Starts

Monday 6th May Bank Holiday – **School Closed**

Friday 24th May School Ends – Last Day of Half-Term

Monday 27th May - Friday 31st May Half-Term Holiday – **School Closed**

Monday 3rd June Staff Training Day – **School Closed**

Tuesday 4th June School Starts
Wednesday 24th July School Ends at 2:00pm - Last Day of Term