



The Bardfield Buzz

Newsletter #37 Friday 29th June 2018

The newsletter will be circulated to all parents every Friday. Newsletters are also held centrally at the School Office and are on the website.

Isle of Wight

Only three sleeps to go! A letter was sent out yesterday to Year 6 parents with some reminders for the trip on Monday. The most important one being that we are leaving from Great Easton Primary School - please be there at 8.00am.

We will let our Year 6 parents know how we are getting on with regular text messages. We will keep the rest of the school up to date with our travels and adventures with lots of photos and a daily update, which you can all see on the front playground.

Mrs Kerrell and Mrs Aldred will be away from school on the visit next week and we are pleased to let you know that Mrs Crow will be Acting Headteacher for the week. Please ask to speak to her only if you have a safeguarding concern or if you have a question that is urgent and cannot wait until Mrs Kerrell comes back.

Open Afternoon

Apologies as we have had to make a change to these arrangements.

On Thursday 12th July, from the end of school - 4.30pm, we would like to invite KS2 (including new Year 3 in September) parents and carers to an informal Open Afternoon, where you can have a chat with your child's current class teacher and look at the work that your child has been doing this term. There will also be an opportunity to meet your child's new teacher.

We would like to invite our EYFS/KS1 parents to an informal Open Afternoon on Friday 13th July from 3.05pm - 4.00pm to have a chat with your child's current class teacher and look at the work that your child has been doing. Current Year 2 parents are also welcome to attend this session, in addition to the Thursday Open Afternoon, if you would like to have a chat with Mrs Crow.

There will also be an opportunity to have a quick chat with the teacher your child will be having in September. Reports will be given out on Wednesday 11th July, when in addition to your child's report, we will share with you the class arrangements for September.

Celebration Assembly

As Mrs Kerrell is away next Friday on the trip to the Isle of Wight with Year 6, Celebration Assembly is cancelled.

Sports Day

Thank you to all of the parents who were able to come along and support last Monday. It was so hot for everyone so lots of house points for resilience parents!

The children had the best day and we will be updating the website shortly with all the new photos from the events of the last few weeks.

Induction

We have now completed all of our Induction sessions for our brand new Unicorns. What a lovely group of children they are. They seem very little compared to our wonderful Year 1s in training!

Proms on the Playground

This is approaching very quickly! I hope that you received the sign up letter this week, which we must have back for your child to take part. Please remember that it is a showcase rather than a competition. Just a reminder about how it runs: the children prepare a piece, either as a solo or in a group, that they would like to perform on stage at the event.

We will have a good array of refreshments on sale including tea, coffee, prosecco, cream scones, strawberries and cream, sausage rolls, cheese puffs, doughnuts and cakes.

We really hope that you can come along and support the children. Please feel free to bring your own seats or a blanket. The event will run straight after school until 6.00pm. **Choir Club will be opening the show.**

School Dinners

It seems to be an increasing trend that some of the children are asking for a plain baguette. From Monday we will be asking children to choose a filling. Can you please talk this through with your child if this is normally what they order for lunch.

End of Year Disco

The end of year disco will be on Friday 13th July. There will be one disco for everyone to attend together from 4.00pm to 6.30pm. The cost will be £3.00 and will include a kids buffet. Please buy your tickets on the door on the night.

The Circus

We are very excited that the circus will be coming to school again at the end of September. The children will be able to visit it to learn circus skills during the week and then on the weekend of the 29th and 30th September there will be shows that everyone can buy tickets for. It was a huge success the last time and we really hope that you will come along and offer your support.

Welcome BBQ

We will be hosting our traditional Welcome BBQ on Sunday 16th September. It is an opportunity to welcome everyone back to the new school year and to get to know our new Unicorn parents and children and families who have joined the school in other year groups. Please save the date as we would like to see as many people there as possible.

Forthcoming Dates

Friday 6th July

Year 5 Induction day at HRS

Wednesday 11th July

Year 6 Performance (Evening)

Thursday 12th July

Year 6 Performance (Morning)

KS2 Open Afternoon, end of school until 4.30pm.

Friday 13th July

EYFS/KS1 Open Afternoon, 3.05pm to 4pm

End of Year disco (in school)

Tuesday 17th July

Whole school trip to Frinton

Wednesday 18th July

Moving up morning

Proms in the Playground

Thursday 19th July

Pool Party Year 6

Friday 20th July

Final Assembly

Wednesday 5th September

First day of the Autumn Term

Sunday 16th September

Welcome BBQ-all parents

Awards

A huge well done to all of the children who have received awards this week.

Golden Awards

Jack P, Felix, Alice C, Ethan, Ruby, Charlotte K, Rosie C, Alice K, Jamie and Rosie W.

Presentation Awards

Finley, Jasmine N, Alice St, Poppy and Alfie.

Bookworm Awards

Tommy W, Annie V, George T, Henry C and Jay.

On behalf of all of the staff, I would like to wish everyone a great weekend.

Mrs Kerrell