



BARNINGHAM CEVC PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Our focus for Collective Worship this half term is 'Accepting One Another'.

Friends Fundraising for Barningham CEVC Primary School

We haven't been able to fundraise in the usual way at Barningham this year due to all the restrictions. We will be hosting a raffle this summer with the ever popular class boxes. We ask for parents to donate an item related to their child's class theme:

Rabbits - garden Squirrels – beach Badgers – craft Owls – relaxing

We welcome donations towards the boxes and can include any small (or big) items relating to the class theme. Please send these items in with your child/children and they will add it to their class box.

Raffle tickets go on sale on Tuesday 6th July for £2 each and can be purchased from Mrs Pipe in the office. Please send money in a labelled envelope and indicate how many raffle tickets you would like and which boxes you'd like to play for. Remember to put your name on so we can give you your prize if you win!

The winning tickets will be drawn on Thursday 15th July and the four winners will win one of the boxes each.

Please check out our Facebook page as we continually update details on how to support our online fundraising <https://www.facebook.com/FriendsBarninghamSchool>. You can also support us by using this link <https://smile.amazon.co.uk/ch/1030812-0> when shopping on Amazon ; this has no extra cost to you but we will receive a few pennies each time you shop. Thank you for your continued support

Friends of Barningham School



Active Week

Active Week is finally here! From Monday 5th July to Friday 9th July, children will be allowed to wear their PE kits all week as they will be taking part in various sports activities both in class and outside including:

- Suffolk School Games Festival Activity Bingo cards with a range of activities to take part in at home and at school
- Tuesday 6th July: Activities run by Thurston Sports Partnership with Soft Archery for Squirrels and Parkour for Badgers and Owls
- Wednesday 7th July: Activities run by Explore Outdoor including Geocaching, Catapult building for Badgers and Owls and Bottle Rockets for Squirrels.
- Wednesday 7th July – Friday 9th July: Y5/6 Owls will be going to Kingswood
- All classes will be taking part in lessons around being active in class as well as extra sports related activities to encourage the importance of staying active!

Lunch Menu & Summer Picnic

In the final week of school, there have been some changes to the lunch options. On Wednesday 14th July, Y6 leavers have chosen a special menu of their choice for the day. On Thursday 15th, we have our traditional Summer Picnic at the Martineaus' and so there is a packed lunch option. Children will have a great afternoon in the gardens, playing games and having their lunch. Therefore, a new menu sheet will come out next week to allow you to book for these changes.





Transition

This week will begin our work on transition; getting pupils ready for next year and 'moving on up' to their next class, year group or for our Y6s, their next school.

Wednesday 7th July: New Reception Rabbits will be in meeting their class teachers 1pm – 3pm

Friday 9th July: New Squirrels & Badgers will be in meeting their class teacher all day. New Y5s will be with Mrs Petch working through transition activities

Tuesday 13th July: New Squirrels, Badgers & Owls will be in meeting their class teacher. Current Y6s will be working with Mrs Cockle preparing for their leaving events and activities.



Uniform

A reminder that the **new uniform policy will start in September 2021 and will come fully into place in September 2022.** This will allow families to have the year to move from navy to black and to purchase new uniform when their child grows out of their old uniform. This will also mean for children in Y6 next year, they won't need to buy new uniform for only the one year.



Suffolk Libraries – Summer Reading Challenge

Take part in the six book "Wild World Heroes" reading challenge over the summer and make a difference to the environment. The Summer Reading Challenge is back in 2021! More important than ever, it gets children reading over the long summer, while having fun. This year's theme is Wild World Heroes – a group of friends making their town even better for the people and animals that live there. You can find out how to sign up and to find out more by clicking on this link:

<https://www.suffolklibraries.co.uk/whats-on/annual-events/summer-reading-challenge-2021>



Breakfast Club, which opens at 7.45 every morning and costs just £4 per session, **payable when you drop off** please.



After School Club is open for five nights a week until 4:30 and it is £4 a session. We provide a snack, games and friendship – all from the safe distance of our class bubbles - and I'd love to see you there! Please book in advance through the school office. **Please note – after school club will be closed on the 7th, 8th and 9th July as Paige will be going to Kingswood with Y5/6.**



House Points:

Blue 4,264

Yellow 4,182

Red 3,733

Achievement Awards:

RABBITS

For her excellent work in maths on place value.
For her fantastic effort and focus when reading.

SQUIRRELS

For working more independently.

For working well with his peers.

BADGERS

For making excellent contributions to our word bank in English.
For trying really hard to apply his skills in maths independently.

OWLS

For being kind.
For her legend writing.



Key Dates for your diary:

Monday 5th July – Friday 9th July: Active Week

Tuesday 6th July: Sports Activities: Parkour KS2 /Soft Archery KS1

Wednesday 7th July: Sports Activities: Geocaching, Catapult Building KS2 / Bottle Rockets KS1

Wednesday 7th July (pm): New Reception children coming in for taster afternoon

Wednesday 7th – Friday 9th July: Y5/6 Kingswood Trip

Friday 9th July: Transition day – all pupils spending time in their new classes preparing for September.

Tuesday 13th July: Transition day – all pupils spending time in their new classes preparing for September.

Wednesday 14th July: End of Year Reports to parents

Wednesday 14th July: Y6 Leavers Choice for lunch menu

Thursday 15th July: Summer Picnic for the whole school

Friday 16th July: Last day of school for the summer term

Monday 19th & Tuesday 20th July: PD Days for staff

Wednesday 1st September – Thursday 2nd September: PD Days

Friday 3rd September: First day back for children.



A note from the Governors: We hope that all the children are enjoying the summer term and look forward to hearing about their experiences as they take part in school trips, an activities week, as well as enjoy the return of the traditional picnic at the Martineaus. We are delighted to confirm

the appointment of Steve Gallagher as our Foundation Governor, and Kevin O'Connell as our Co-opted Governor. Both Steve and Kevin bring with them a wealth of experience having previously held governor positions at other schools and we look forward to working with them. To see more about your school governors, please take a look at this link <https://www.barningham.suffolk.sch.uk/barningham-governors/> Julie Surridge, Chair of Governors (contact: barninghamgovernors+julie@gmail.com)



Twitter

Come and have a look at some of the great work happening at school by clicking on this link <https://twitter.com/BarninghamCEVCP>. Also, **You can follow us on @BarninghamCEVCP**. If you can 'like' or 'retweet' our tweets, it helps to get the school some positive attention.

Our Class Pages are up and running and you can find them here:

@BCEVCPowls <https://mobile.twitter.com/BCEVCPowls>

@BCEVCPBadgers <https://mobile.twitter.com/bcevcpbadgers>

@BCEVCPsquirrels <https://mobile.twitter.com/BCEVCPsquirrels>

@BCEVCPRabbits <https://mobile.twitter.com/bcevcprabbits>

If you haven't got a twitter account, you can follow instructions here <https://www.wikihow.com/Make-a-Twitter-Account>. Then once you have an account, you can follow us on @BarninghamCEVCP or your child's class as above (or both!).

We have now also linked our Twitter feed to our school website class pages, which you can see here:

Rabbits <https://www.barningham.suffolk.sch.uk/category/rabbits/>

Squirrels <https://www.barningham.suffolk.sch.uk/category/squirrels/>

Badgers <https://www.barningham.suffolk.sch.uk/category/badgers/>

Owls <https://www.barningham.suffolk.sch.uk/category/owls/>

Why not look on our **school website** (www.barningham.suffolk.sch.uk) for more information, newsletters and policies.

Stephany Hunter
Head Teacher

To learn, aspire, believe and hope through our Christian faith.

Barningham CEVC Primary School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of all children. The Designated Safeguarding Lead is Miss Hunter, the Alternate Designated Person is Mrs Pipe and the Governor with responsibility for Safeguarding is Rev Cathy Bladen. The Online Safety Lead is Mrs Smithson and the Governor with Responsibility for Online Safety is Rev Cathy Bladen.



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