

Newsletter



Our Core Value for this half term is



to give

Our Christian value for this half term is

service

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Remembrance Day

Thinking of our Christian value of service and our school value of giving to others this half term, today we remember all the soldiers who have given their service to our country. Thank you to all the families who have bought snap bands, poppies and other items - all the money raised will go towards supporting the British Legion. Owl class today will be going to St Andrew's Church to take part in the village memorial service at 10.50am as we commemorate the soldiers who died in service from the village in WW1 and WW2.

Children in Need

On Friday 17th November, it is Children in Need day! Children can come to school wearing something spotty or yellow and bring in a donation of £1 (or more if you choose to!). All money raised goes to Children in Need to help support projects across the country.

Parents Evening

Parents' evening will be after school on Monday 14th November and Tuesday 15th November. Please complete the link sent to book a slot

Maths Home-learning

To help our children practise their basic maths skill, children in Squirrels, Badgers and Owls will be getting maths home learning each week to complete. These will be based on skills they have learnt during the week and will give them the opportunity to practise their skills. This will start for Badgers and Owls this week and Squirrels next week. Thank you for your support with this.

A message from the Friends

Hi everyone, we hope you are able to join us for our Afternoon Tea this afternoon and relax and enjoy a treat before starting the weekend. Unlimited tea/coffee and cake for £3 (£1 children). From 2.30 pm. Thank you to everyone who has supported us with cake donations.

Friday 11th November (TODAY!)

Owls Remembrance Service at 10.50am outside St Andrews Friends Afternoon Tea at 2pm in the hall

Monday and Tuesday

14th and 15th

November

Parents Evening at school for all classes.

To grow in faith, grow in our learning and grow our future world



A message from the Friends continued...

Christmas Cards and Gifts - orders can still be placed at <u>mychildsart.co.uk</u> for unique gifts based on your child's creativity. Each sale results in a small commission for the school and we thank those who have placed orders to date.

Craft Evening - this is booked for Wednesday 30th November from 7pm til 9pm at Barningham Village Hall where we support each other making Christmas wreaths and other festive crafts. More details to follow.

Christmas Fayre - 26th November 1 - 3pm - we are busy planning this event and need your support with donations for the teddy tombola, regular tombola and class boxes. Tombola donations to the box in Reception please. Class boxes as follows:

Rabbit - Gold Squirrel - Green Badger - Silver Owls - Red

For those who have not experienced our class boxes before, we ask each child to donate something to their class box in that colour, examples are candle, chocolate, soap, ornament - the possibilities are endless . The result is a lovely box full of wonderful goodies that we raffle at the school fayre. We will also be sending home money tree envelopes on Monday, please put in a small amount of change, between 20p and £1 and ask your child to decorate the envelope and return to school. These will adorn a tree at the fayre; always a popular item with the children. Thank you.

Social Media - we have increased our social media presence to Instagram and Twitter. Please take pictures at our events and tag them with #friendsofbarninghamschool #fobs so we can all enjoy your photos and memories

Facebook: https://www.facebook.com/FriendsBarninghamSchool/

Twitter: @BarninghamPTA

Instagram: @friendsofbarninghamschool

Dates in the diary are:

Christmas Fayre - Saturday 26th November, 1pm til 3pm Craft Evening - Wednesday 30th November 7pm (village hall) Disco - Friday 24th February 2023 - more details to follow

Please also have a look in your wardrobes for any unwanted and outgrown **Christmas Jumpers** so we can have a bit of fun nearer Christmas with a Christmas Jumper Swap. All donations to the school office please.



If shopping online at Amazon, please remember to generate a small commission for our school (at no cost to you) by purchasing through https://smile.amazon.co.uk/ch/1030812-0

For up-to-date information on what the Friends are organising, please follow our Facebook page. It also has a stock list of pre-loved uniform items that are available for a small donation should your child(ren) outgrow their uniform and you need a quick

replacement. https://www.facebook.com/FriendsBarninghamSchool/

Thank you in advance for your support The Friends of Barningham School

A note from the governors

"We hope the children are enjoying this term which is planned to be full of activities that the children can share with their parents including the nativity production from EYFS and KS1, a craft morning, school fayre and church services. Today, as we remember those who sacrificed so much for us, we were very proud to see our Owl class continue the tradition of laying poppy crosses at the village memorial this morning.

Within our governing body we have a vacancy for a <u>parent governor</u> to join our team; if you are interested in fulfilling this vacancy, or want to know more about the work of the governing body, please get in touch with me at

<u>barninghamgovernors+julie@gmail.com</u>. We wish all the children and staff a happy and productive term filled with memorable experiences.

Julie Surridge, Chair of Governors"

House Points

Red: 590 points Yellow: 588 points Blue: 536 points

Key Dates for your diary

(Please note changes and amendments are in red)

Friday 4th November: Closing Date for Parent Governors nominations **Wednesday 9th November:** Friends Meeting at 7pm at the Village Hall **Friday 11th November:** Friends Afternoon Tea 2.30pm until 4pm

Monday 14th November: Parents' Evening Tuesday 15th November: Parents' Evening



Friday 17th November: Children in Need (wear something spotty/yellow for Pudsey!)

Saturday 26th November: Christmas Fayre 1pm – 3pm

Wednesday 30th November: Craft Evening at 7pm at the Village Hall

Monday 5th December: Christingle Service in the church (parents invited) at 9.30am

Wednesday 7th December: EY/Y1/Y2 Nativity Performance to parents with young siblings 9.30am

Friday 9th December: EY/Y1/Y2 Nativity Performance to parents only 9.30am **Tuesday 13th December:** Christmas Craft Morning with parents from 9.15am

Thursday 15th December: Christmas Service at the Church at 9.30am

Thursday 15th December: Christmas Jumper Day & Christmas Lunch for children **Thursday 15th December:** Owls visiting the Martineau's for Christmas Games

Friday 16th December: Last day of term

Clubs and Extended Day Provision

We run a great **Breakfast Club**, which opens at 7.45 every morning and costs just £4 per session, payable when you drop off please or via the SchoolMoney app.

We run an **After School Club** which is open for five nights a week until 4:30 and it is £4 a session. We provide a snack, games and friendship. We'd love to see you there! Please book in advance through the school office.

We also run **Sports After School Clubs** which are funded by our Sports Premium and so these are free of charge to parents. Contact the school for more information.

Website, Twitter, Marvellous Me & Tapestry

We have lots of ways to keep parents up to date with information about what is happening in school. Whilst we await all the parent forms giving permissions for various platforms, some of these may not yet be updated. You can find out more in the following ways:

Website: www.barningham.suffolk.sch.uk

Twitter: https://twitter.com/BarninghamCEVCP

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 can be found 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

Marvellous Me: This is a private platform to hear great things happening at school.

Tapestry: This is for Reception parents only and has now been set up for you.