



Barningham CEVC
Primary School

Newsletter



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Safer Internet Day

On Tuesday 7th February we will be joining schools across the UK in celebrating Safer Internet Day. Using the internet safely and positively is a key message that we promote in school and celebrating Safer Internet Day is a great opportunity for us to re-emphasise the online safety messages we deliver throughout the year. The learning council will be working on preparing for this day next week. We would be delighted if you could join us in celebrating the day by continuing the conversation at home.

To help you with this, the UK Safer Internet Centre have created some free activities and information for parents and carers which are available at:

www.saferinternet.org.uk/SID-parents

There is also a useful film linked to Safer Internet Day 2023 for parents and carers which you can watch here:

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=rl_gZTQ9F7w

If you have any concerns or questions about keeping your child safe online, please do get in touch with Mr Rolfe, our Online Safety Lead, or any other member of staff who will be able to support you.

Children's Mental Health Week

Place2Be launched the first-ever Children's Mental Health Week in 2015 to shine a spotlight on the importance of children and young people's mental health. **This week, from 6-12 February 2023**, schools, families and communities across the UK will take part in Children's Mental Health Week. This year's theme is **Let's Connect**. This is all about making meaningful connections. People thrive in communities, and this connection is vital for our wellbeing. When we have healthy connections – to family, friends and others – this can support our mental health and our sense of wellbeing.

For Children's Mental Health Week 2023, we're encouraging people to connect with others in healthy, rewarding and meaningful ways.

Our Core Value
for this half term is



to be kind

Our Christian value
for this half term is

compassion

Tuesday 7th February

Safer Internet Day!
Click below to find out
more:

[www.saferinternet.org
.uk/SID-parents](http://www.saferinternet.org.uk/SID-parents)

Friday 10th February

Friends' Cake Sale.
Bring in 50p to spend
on cake ☺

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



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A message from the Friends

Hi everyone, we are looking forward to our **Cake Sale next Friday (10th February)** as an end of term treat for the children. Please send your child in with 50p so they can buy a cake at morning break.

After half term we will be hosting a **school disco on Friday 24th February**. As always we hold two sessions - 6pm til 7pm for Rabbits & Squirrels, and 7.15pm til 8.30pm for Badgers & Owls. Due to increasing costs we have had to increase our ticket price to **£2 per child**. This entry fee will include soft drinks for the evening. We will also run a tuck shop where we will sell crisps and sweets, and also have our temporary tattoo stall which is always popular with the children. Tickets will be available from the school office from Monday 6th February.

Christmas Jumpers - if you are having a sort out and find any Christmas jumpers that will not fit your child next year would you kindly consider donating to the school so we can build a stock for next year's Christmas jumper sale? All donations to the school office please, thank you.

Future Fundraising:

We are looking into personalised **Coronation Tea Towels** as souvenirs for the Coronation - more news to follow.

We have been discussing the possibility of a **"Popcorn Night"** and would welcome your views. If you have not completed the survey which we posted on our Facebook page last week, can you please do so either via Facebook or by following this link. Thank you

[Popcorn night 🍿 \(google.com\)](#)

Amazon Smile - some of you may be aware that Amazon are withdrawing their fundraising platform on 20th February. Whilst this is disappointing, there are still a couple of weeks where any purchases you make via Amazon will result in a small contribution to our cause, so please think of us whilst shopping online (details for access below).

Dates in the diary are:

Tickets for disco go on sale - Monday 6th February - £2 each

Cake Sale - Friday 10th February - please send in 50p per child

Disco - Friday 24th February - 6pm til 7pm for Rabbits & Squirrels / 7.15pm til 8.30pm for Badgers & Owls

Friends Meeting - Wednesday 22nd March 7pm, Barningham village hall

Easter Coffee Afternoon - 24th March

Coronation Afternoon Tea - 5th May



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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

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

World Book Day

Thursday 2nd March 2023 is World Book Day! Dress up as your favourite book character – more information to follow 😊

Art & DT Ambassadors

Mrs Duncan has handed out application forms for those children in Year 4-6 who are interested in joining a team of new Art and DT ambassadors. We're looking for children who are passionate about art and DT, want to make a positive impact and can make the role their own. Those applying need to commit to meeting regularly. Please support your child with their application if they are interested.

NSPCC National Number Day

The 3rd of February was National Number Day! Thank you for all your donations – we managed to raise £73 for NSPCC!

PE Uniform

Some children have started to come to school in the incorrect PE uniform. All children need to wear plain black jogging bottoms / shorts and plain black trainers on PE days. Thank you for your continued support with this.



Careers Week (6th – 11th March)

We are running a careers week at school where we want the children to learn about and celebrate a variety of careers. We need your help! We would like to invite parents in to talk to a class about their job, and answer some questions from the children about their career. We will have teachers on hand to lead and support this with you. If you are interested and available between Monday 6th March and Friday 11th March, please contact the office on admin@barningham.suffolk.sch.uk or call us on 01359 221 297 and let us know your job and what dates and times you would be available as well as how long you would be available for.

NHS Rainbow Day (7th July)

NHS Rainbow Day (Friday 7th July) We would also like to invite parents who work for the NHS to come and talk to the children on Friday 7th July just as above. We would like to celebrate all the wonderful work that the NHS does for us

A note from the governors

"What a great couple of weeks the children have had with inspiring visits from Pierre Henry-Fontaine and Skip2BFit; we hope the children have enjoyed these visits as well as their learnings of new topics this term. If you would like to know more about the work of the governing body, please get in touch with me at barninghamgovernors+julie@gmail.com.

Julie Surridge, Chair of Governors"

House Points

Red: 913 points **Yellow:** 1057 points **Blue:** 1021 points

Key Dates for your diary

(Please note changes and amendments are in red)

Monday 6th – Friday 10th February: Children's Mental Health Week

Tuesday 7th February 23: Safer Internet Day

Friday 10th February 23: Last day of Spring half term & Friends Cake Sale at break (bring in 50p)

Monday 20th February 23: Children return to school

Friday 24th February 23: Friends School Disco

Thursday 2nd March 23: World Book Day (Dress up as your favourite Book Character!)

Monday 6th March to Friday 11th March: Careers Week

Wednesday 22nd March 23: Friends Meeting at 7pm, Barningham village hall



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Friday 24th March: Friends Easter Coffee Afternoon

Friday 31st March: Last day of term

Friday 5th May: Friends Coronation Afternoon Tea

Friday 7th July: NHS Rainbow Day

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>

@BCEVCPSBadgers <https://mobile.twitter.com/bcevcpsbadgers>

@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.