

Newsletter



Our Core Value for this half term is



Our Christian focus for this half term is

Friendship

No.37 Summer 2023

Sports Day Results!

Thank you parents for coming to support your child during Sports Day – I am sure you would agree it has been a great success and the children had a wonderful day. The scores are in...

In 3rd place, with 1696 points = Yellow In 2nd place, with 1754 points = Red

In 1st place with 1924 points = Blue team. Well done Blue!

These points have been added to this week's totals which are below

House Points

This week: Red: 1,822 Yellow: 1,760 Blue: 1,967 Total this year: Red: 4,028 Yellow: 4,241 Blue: 4,509

Attendance Race

We are proud to announce that Squirrels have won the attendance race this term! Squirrels can wear their own clothes on the last day of term on Friday 21st July.

Attached to this newsletter is a letter from Suffolk County Council who have asked all schools to share with all parents the importance of attendance ready for September.

Transition Success

We welcomed two new teachers this week as part of our transition and all children were able to meet their new teacher and begin their transition work ready for the new year.

We have now also allocated support staff to classes.

Rabbits: Mrs Dear will cover class for teacher release time

Squirrels: Mrs Morriss & Mrs Yarrow Badgers: Miss Lowe & Miss Orton

Owls: Mrs Shelton, Mrs Dear & Miss Jackson

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We have had to reschedule this to Wednesday afternoon due to the weather. We will have lunch at school and head over for games.

Monday 17th & Tuesday 18th July

Owl Class Production @ 2pm

Wednesday 19th July

Y6 Leavers Service @ Church 9.30am

Friday 21st July Y6 Leavers Assembly @ 2.30pm

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



A message from the Friends

Hi everyone, thank you for supporting our **school disco** last night which raised £135 for the school. We hope all the children had a good time. Thank you to everyone who supported our **ice cream Friday** last week, we are grateful to the Barningham Spar shop for donating some free ice-creams to support our fundraising, and we therefore raised £51 for the school. We will be repeating the treat this Friday and next Friday when we break up from school. Available straight after school in the playground, at £1 each. There are enough treats available for the grown-ups too.

At Sports Day this week the Friends provided all the children with ice-pops and squash during the refreshment break, funded by our fundraising.

We made a few changes to the way we ran our recent Summer Fayre, and would love to know what you think. If you haven't already completed the survey published on our Facebook page, can you do so here?

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSeWvKNNUydQqJnOhL9SvDj5gTZL7IZt2qqpcCORckVRddmu7Q/viewform?usp=sf link

Last Autumn we were given a beautifully hand knitted "garden clown" to use as a fundraiser in the Spring. The Spar shop in Barningham has kindly agreed to support us in a "Name the Clown" competition. Each name is £1 and the winner takes him home, (see here: Have you seen this... - Friends Of Barningham CEVC Primary School | Facebook). We will be announcing the winning name before school closes for summer holidays so make sure you get your entry in soon by completing the entry form at the till in the Spar.

Help us raise funds for free - Sign up to <u>Easyfundraising.org.uk</u> and make Friends of Barningham School your chosen charity and they will donate a small percentage of your purchase to us (at no cost to you). Just use the app or website every time you shop online. Hundreds of retailers have signed up including Amazon, Argos, Next, Ebay, Just Eat and many, many more.......

Fundraising focus: interactive whiteboards:

- Owl class installed and fully funded
- Badger class installed and fully funded
- Squirrel class fundraising target achieved interactive board has now been ordered!
- Rabbit class next focus

Fundraising:

Commemorative tea towels for King Charles III coronation, £5 each, in reception now Name the Clown - see competition at tills in the Spar shop



Dates in the diary are:

Ice cream Fridays - every Friday after school 3.20pm until 21st July

Social Media - support our social media presence on Instagram, Facebook 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

For up-to-date information on what the Friends are organising, please follow our Facebook page. If you need some **replacement uniform** we have lots of **pre-loved stock** so contact us over Facebook messenger with your requirements and we'll check to see if we have it in stock.

We thank you for your continued support Friends of Barningham School

A note from the governors

An exciting time for our Y6s this week as they spent time getting to know their new high school; we hope they enjoyed the experience of having a little insight into their future world from September. As governors we met this week and Mr Neel Shearer, who has been a member of the Governing Body for nine years will be stepping down at the end of this academic year. Neel has been an enormous support to the school, and has been the Vice Chair for the last 6 years; we are very sorry to see him go and thank him for his tireless dedication. This does give us a vacancy for a co-opted governor; if you are interested in the role or if you would like to know more about the work of the governing body, please get in touch with me: julie.surridge@barningham.suffolk.sch.uk Julie Surridge, Chair of Governors

Key Dates for your diary

(Please note changes and amendments are in red)

Monday 17th July: Owl Class Production to parents with younger siblings @ 2pm

Tuesday 18th July: Owl Class Production to parents @ 2pm

Tuesday 18th July: End of year Reports to parents

Wednesday 19th July: Year 6 Leavers Service @ the church 9.30am

Wednesday 19th July: Summer Games @ Martineaus (pm) – rescheduled from Friday

Friday 21st July: Year 6 Leavers Assembly to parents and whole school 2.30pm

Friday 21st July: 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

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