

# Barnfield News



Autumn Term Issue 4

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## Heads Teachers Weekly News

It has been another full week at Barnfield once again!

This week we have been celebrating Black History Week. Miss Biggs has organised a great week for the school and the children are doing some fabulous work within their classes. Some of our children have also had the chance to participate in Soca Dance Workshops – which are lots of fun. Linked to this we have also been celebrating poetry through Poetry Week. Miss Oakley and Mrs Siggins have got the children taking inspiration from the poet visit last week and Black History Week to get the children writing and performing poetry. Please do take a look at the website to see photos of events that have happened.

Next week we will be collecting food for our Harvest assembly. We have a tradition that during Harvest week we collect non perishable goods (e.g. cans and packets of food) for elderly people living in our area. If each child could bring in to school one, two or three items then we could donate hundreds of items to those in need in our area. Members of our school council will then donate them on behalf of the rest of the school after the assembly. Parents Evening letters are going out soon. Please sign up for a slot to meet your child's teacher, this is a great opportunity to see how your child has settled in their new class and how we can work together to support your child with their learning this year.

## Book of Honour

1J: Shane: For always setting a really good example in class.

1S:Nati: For working so well in her team for our science experiment.

2W: Benard: For always joining in with class discussions on the carpet.

2C: Rima For working really well with her group in Literacy to perform the owl and the pussycat poem.

5G:Abdi: A real kind-hearted, much loved, member of 5G who makes the world a better place.

5H: Yalda : Being really helpful and having good manners.

5L:. Whole Class: For showing that Barnfield School has mature, sensible students, who are always keen to learn. Well done!

6J: Ahsan: For always having a smile on your face and walking in everyday with a positive attitude..

6V: Pedro: For being such a gentleman and settling in to Barnfield so well. Welcome to the family.

6A:Mahir: For being a positive, hard-working and determined member of 6A!

Be on time



at five to nine

## Attendance and Punctuality

Well done 2W & 5L who had the highest attendance last week

Attendance is important, every day counts! It is vital children are in school on time

Be on time



at five to nine

★HAPPY★  
BIRTHDAY!

George 3RW Johann 6A Elsie 1S Khalil 5G  
Nafisha 2W Yll 1J Hollie 2C



## Music Lessons Spring 2017

Yr3 –Yr6



Would your child like to play an instrument. Lessons are available for the spring term at a cost of £100.00

for ten sessions

Bookings and payments must be made by

Friday 4th December

The choice of instruments are

Piano/keyboard, Guitar

Violin and Drums



## Fete de la moisson

Means

Harvest Festival



### Infant Assemblies

2W 18th October @ 10.05am

### Junior Assemblies

5G 7th October @ 12.15pm

6J 11th November @ 12.15pm

6V 25th November @ 12.15pm



## Dates for you Diary

13th & 18 October Parents Evening By appointment

21st October Inset Day School closed

School Closed 21st –31st October Half Term

31st October Inset day School Closed

1st November Children return to school

## FREE SCHOOL MEALS

If you claim any of the following benefits your child is entitled to Free School Meals, Please come into the office to collect or update your forms.

IF YOU DO NOT UPDATE YOUR FREE SCHOOL MEAL CLAIM YOU WILL BE CHARGED FOR YOUR CHILDS DINNERS

- Income Support
- Income-based Jobseekers Allowance
- Income-related Employment and Support Allowance
- Support under Part VI of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
- The guaranteed element of State Pension Credit
- Child Tax Credit and not in receipt of working tax credit
- Working Tax Credit run-on - paid for 4 weeks after you stop qualifying for Working Tax Credit
- Universal Credit

## RECEPTION SCHOOL PLACES

RECEPTION FOR SEPTEMBER 2017

*If you were born between*

*September 2012-August 2013*

*you need to apply for your child's reception school place for 2017*

*The closing date for reception 2017 is 15th January 2017*

*Log onto*

*www.eadmissions.org.uk to start your application*

**No child is guaranteed a school place.**

*Please Contact Barnfield Children's Centre for more help and support with this application*

*0208 905 7605.*

7th November Creativity Week

6th December Foundation Nativity to parents 2pm

9th December Infant nativity to Parents 2pm

16th December Junior Christmas Production to Parents 1.45pm

19th December St Alphages Choir Concert 6.30pm