

Barnfield News



Autumn Term Issue 3

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Headteacher's Weekly News

Last Friday was our Jeans for Charity Day. We raised £311 which is a fabulous start to our fundraising efforts for this year. The School Council has an input into our choice of charity and this year they have decided that they would like to raise money to improve the equipment in the Infant Playground. In other words they would like to raise money for improving the school environment. Having supported global charities and national charities in the past, it is good to see the children wanting to make a positive impact on their very own environment. I know that there will be more fundraising ideas coming from the children soon.

This week we have had police visits for all year groups. P.C. Diane has been in talking to all the children about key issues linked to safety. They were great workshops and I know that the children got a lot out of them.

Next week is poetry week. During our literacy lessons the focus is on learning and enjoying poetry. The children will also be performing poetry to their class and other children throughout the school.

Miss Saberwal will be starting her maternity leave very soon. In her absence, Mr Locksley, will be the Deputy Head. He is always by the door at the start and end of the school day. We wish Miss Saberwal and her husband the very best with the new baby and look forward to her bringing it into school for a visit



Attendance and Punctuality

Well done 1P 2G 2J & 5M for the highest attendance last week.

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

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To learn



1P:Neda : For finding her feet so quickly in her new class, and always being so kind and helpful. Well done

1S:Besan : For always doing your best! You are a superstar!

2G:Gabriele : For being such a great role model in 2G, Putting her hand up to share ideas on the carpet and setting a good example at her table.

2J:Denys : For being a lovely buddy to a new child in class. Thank you

3C: Negen: Excellent homework.

3J: Kowsar: For being a kind and bubbly classmate in 3J

4H: Ashkar: For always having his hand up and contributing every day

4SW: Benard: Always ready to work and enthusiastic.

5V:David: Writing a beautifully descriptive story in Literacy.

5M: Alexandra: super extended

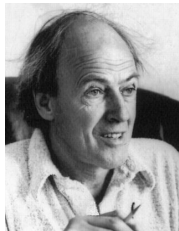
writing! Well done for using emotive language to create empathy.

6H: Shanice: For great hockey skills in PE. Well done!

6J: Sami: Using accurate coding vocabulary to write a clear explanation of how you created your app in computing. Well done.

Benard 4SW Sana 6J Prasiddha 6JAbderahim 1S





Calling all Barnfield Poets...

**A poetry competition based on the amazing
author: Roald Dahl**



To celebrate poetry week, we are inviting you to create your very own poem inspired by Roald Dahl. Selected poets may have their work displayed and you can also be in with a chance of winning a magnificent prize.

All "Phizz-Whizzing Words" entries have to be handed in to school by Friday 5th October.

Enjoy writing

Mrs Siggins, Mrs Jobanputra and Ms Grasby

Diversity Week

As part of our upcoming Diversity Week (week beginning 8th October), we would like to learn more about you our Barnfield community. We would like to know if you have any particular skills which would help us learn more about your cultural background for example dance, food, traditional dress or history. Perhaps you have an interesting story which tells us about your journey and the country you are from.

We would LOVE to hear from you. Please speak to your child's class teacher.

Nursery 2018-19

If your child was born between September 2014 –August 2015 Your child could be entitled to a place at our Nursery Application forms are available from the school office

Parents



When sending in money or completing any forms for school, such as trip letter dinner money etc. Please make sure yours child's first and last name are clearly marked and that your child class is also on the form

Dates for you Diary

1st October Poetry Week

15th October Diversity Week

11th & 16th October Parents Evening by appointment

19th October 1/2 Term 3.10pm

29th October School Close Inset Day

30th October Children Return to School 8.55am

19th November Creativity Week

11th December Foundation Nativity to Parents 2.00pm

12th December Infant Nativity to Parents 2.00pm

19th December Junior Christmas Production To Parents 1.45pm

20th December Christmas Choir Concert St Alphage 6.30pm

21st December end of Term 2pm

If you would like to contact the school Governors please use the following address : governors@barnfield.barnetmail.net