

Barnfield News

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Sharing news in our school community

Flying high

On Thursday Year 2 went to the RAF museum to find out more about the famous Wright brothers. The children learnt how the brothers created their first plane and how they kept improving their models until they were successful in flying across the English channel.

The children also had the opportunity to look at the different planes—they were so amazed with the size of the aircrafts and particularly looking at ones which had been damaged in action.

Finally, to end a wonderful trip, the children were able to make model planes and flew them in the museum.

Our year 2 team were very impressed with how well the children behaved in the museum and whilst travelling to and from school.

Well done Year 2—we are super proud of you.

A huge thank you to our year 2 Teachers Ms Leane and Ms Grasby for organising the trip and to our fabulous TAs and parents who accompanied the classes.

OROYAL MUSEUM AIR FORCE MUSEUM



We will be marking remembrance day on Monday 11th November.

Children are encouraged to wear the poppies to school if they have one.

On time please

As part of our safeguarding arrangements, if you arrive in the mornings after the second bell has gone, parents and carers will need to walk children to the front office to be signed in. Whilst we understand that sometimes the traffic is heavy or buses run late, please try and ensure your child is in the playground for 8.55am so they have a settled start to the day.

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New Home time dismissal arrangements

Thank you to our families for your flexibility and support this week with our home time arrangements. We think the new system works better and our children have reported back that they prefer not having to walk through the large crowds of adults at the end of the day.



Thank you for waiting for the class teacher to ensure they have all the pupils lined up before they start dismissing.

Next week we will continue with the same systems.

Please do share your feedback with us.

We are looking at ways of trying to introduce a second exit gate to help ease traffics, particularly for families with pushchairs—please watch this space!

Barnfield are proud to share that we will be hosting a workshop led by the initiative group 'Real Play' who are looking at creating safer play spaces in our local community.

The workshop is aimed at 8-12 year olds and will be on Wednesday 27th November from 5-7pm. More information to follow from Barnet Council. It would be fantastic if our local children could attend and share their views on this very important matter.



School Dinner Payments

We are not able to allow parents to exceed more than a £40.00 Debt on their child's school dinner bill.

If you bills becomes higher than this amount your child will have to go

Payments for dinner should be in advance of having a dinner.

onto home packed lunches until

the debt is cleared.





Attendance Winners!

RR Class had the best attended class in Foundation key stage with 97.97%
1J Class had the best attended class in Key Stage 1 this week with 98.00%
3J Class was the best attended class in Lower Key Stage 2 this week with 97.67%
6H Class was the best attended class in Upper Key Stage 2 this week with 98.67%

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Book of Honour

1H:Leon: For working independently and reading well.

1J: Rayan: For being more settled in class this term. Keep it up Rayan!

2G: Amin:For wonderful caring and sharing when playing a ball game in the playground.

2L: Yunes: For really concentrating during carpet time and making thoughtful contributions.

3J: Rishi: For always being so hardworking and presenting all his work to a high standard $\[\]$

3P: Sahill: For taking care of your friends and being extra helpful this week!

4J: Luis: For Doing so well to share your ideas more in

class. Everyone is learning so much from you.

5S: Said: For always putting 100% effort in all lessons. Keep it up!

5V: Roxana: For being such a positive and chatty person to be around. You light up the room!

6H: Nooh: always being such a kind and helpful person. It's lovely to see you caring for others. Keep it up!

6S: Daniel O: Being such a positive and interesting member of the class. Sharing your clever predictions and researched ideas and getting involved in every opportunity.



Flu Nasal Vaccinations



Letters have been sent out about this years Flu Nasal Vaccinations.

Children from Reception – Year 6

will be offered the nasal vaccination given in school by the NHS.

<u>ALL FORMS</u> must be returned by 22.11.2019 Completed and signed for each child and returned to your class teacher or

Reception 2020 applications

If you have a child in nursery born between September 2015-August 2016 you need to complete an online application form for their primary school Reception place for September 2020

Log onto www.eadmissions.org.uk
to start your application
reception closing date is 15th January
2020

If you need any help completing the online form please talk to our Learning Mentor Jackie Bramble or the Nursery Teachers as soon as possible

French word of the week

Le feu d'artifice Means Fireworks display

Class Assemblies

22nd November 6S 12.10pm 29th November 5S 12.10pm

Please arrive on time



Please ensure that your children have their lunch boxes, PE kits & water with them at the start of the school day although we will do our best to pass items on that are brought to the office we are not able to guarantee this.

The School App

Barnfield School would like to invite you to download a new free app which will allow you to get text information from school

- 1.download the <u>parent hub app</u> from your app store
 - 2. Create yourself an account
 - choose "add a school" and enter
 @BarnfieldPS

Once you have joined the app you will be able to get messages even if you change your phone number.



PARENT'S NOTICE BOARD

If parents would like to advertise a community event that is happening in the local area please send the information to the school office and we may be able to tell other about it.

WEEK 3	WEEK 2	WEEK 1
MONDAY Spaghetti Bolognese Halal Spaghetti Bolognese Cheese & Onion Flan Vegetable Medley Fruit Salad Fruit / Yoghurt	MONDAY Chicken Curry with Rice or Cous Cous Habla Chicken Curry with Rice or Cous Cous Gnesse & Leek Pasty Jacket Potato with Coleslaw Green Beans & Sweetcorn Fruit Salad Fruit / Yoghurt	MONDAY Chicken Sausage and Mash Halal Chicken Sausage & Mash Quom Sausage and Mash Jacket Potato with Cheese Peas & Sweetcom Fruit Salad Fruit /Yoghurt
TUESDAY Chinese Chicken Noodles Halal Chinese Chicken Noodles Wegetable Chow Mein Jacket Petato with Cheese Sweetcom & Peas Fruit Salad Fruit / Cheese & Cackers	IUESDAY Meethals in Tornato Sauce & Pasta Halal Meathals in Tornato Sauce & Pasta Vegetable & Lentil Bolognese Jacket Potato with Cheese Peas & Caufiflower Fruit Salad Fruit / Cheese & Crackers	TUESDAY Beef Chilli Can Came with Rice Halal Beef Chilli Can Came with Rice Cheese & Broccoli Quiche Guiliflower & Broccoli Fruit / Cheese & Crackes
WEDNISDAY Roast Chicken with Roast Potatoes & Gravy Halal Roast Chicken with Roast Potatoes & Gravy Roast Vegetable Cous Cous Carrots & Broccoli Fruit Veghurt	WEDNESDAY Roast Turkey with Roast Potatoes and Gravy Halal Roast Turkey with Roast Potatoes and Gravy Macaroni Cheese Garrots & Spinach Fruit / Yoghunt	WEDNESDAY Roast Chicken with Roast Potatoes & Gravy Habal Roast Chicken with Roast Potatoes & Gravy Vegetarian Strips with Roast Potatoes and Strips with Colesiaw Garrots & Brussel Sprouts Fruit Salad Fruit / Yoghurt
THURSDAY Margharita Pizza with Jacket Wedges Quom Sausage Feast Pizza with Jacket wedges Jacket Potato with Coleslaw Mexican Sweetcom / Cakbage Fruit / Cheese & Crackers	THURS DAY Margharita Pizza Vegetable Chilli with Rice Vegetable Chilli with Rice Sweetsom & Berccosi Fruit / Cheese & Crackers	THURS DAY Margharita Pizza Tomato, Lentil and Bean Pasta Green Beans & Sweetcom Fruit Salad Fruit / Cheese & Crackers
Fish Fingers & Chips Fish Fingers & Chips Cheese & Tornato Penne Pauta Jacket Potato with Baked Beans Peas & Baked Beans Orange Drizzle Cake Fuit / Yoghurt	FRIDAY Salmon or White Fish Fingers & Chips Vegetable Biryani Jacket Potato with Baked Beans Pears & Baled Beans Pears & Baled Beans Pancakes with Fruit Berry Compote Fruit / Yoghurt	FRIDAY Fish Fingers & Crips Fish Fingers & Crips Bean Burger in a Bun Backet Potato with Baked Beans Peas & Baked Beans Freak & Baked Beans Fruit/Yoghurt

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AUTUMN TERM 2019

Wednesday 4th September 2019
- Thursday 19th December 2019
Half Term:

Monday 21st October 2019 -Friday 25th October 2019 (school closed Monday 2nd September

Tuesday 3rd September, for staff training)

SPRING TERM 2020

Tuesday 7th January 2020 -Friday 3rd April 2020 Half Term:

Monday 17th February 2020 -Friday 21st February 2020 (school closed Monday 6th January for staff training)

SUMMER TERM 2020

Monday 20th April 2020 Tuesday 21st July 2020 <u>Half Term:</u>

Tuesday 26th May 2020 Friday 29th May 2020 Bank Holidays 8th & 25th May (school closed Monday 6th January for staff training)

IMPORTANT DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Monday 21st October – Friday 25th October Half Term Holiday

w/c18th November: Creativity Week

Tuesday 10th December: Foundation Nativity to Parents 2.00pm

Thursday 19th December: End of Term—school closes at 1.45pm (NO After

school club)

Friday 20th December –Friday 4th January End of Term Holiday

Monday 6th January Inset day (School Closed)

Tuesday 7th January Children Return 8.55am

Monday 27th January Investigation Week

Tuesday 11th February Safer Internet Day and Parents Workshop

Monday 17th February-Friday 21st February Half Term Holiday

Monday 24th February Children Return 8.55am

Monday 24th February Book Week

Friday 6th March Book Character Day

Tuesday 10th –27th March Book Fair 3.10pm in Small Hall

Thursday 26th March Parents evening by appointment

Thursday 31st March Parents evening by appointment

Please note that school will close early on the last day of term. Children will need to be collected at 1.45pm. There will be no After School Club on this date. Please make sure you make suitable arrangements to ensure your child is collected on time.

A fixed penalty of £60 for each parent for each child will be issued should there are unauthorised absences, so please remember :

- Children should attend school to the last day of term and return on the first day of a new term
- Any absences before or after a holiday or school day closure (for example when the school is used as a polling station) will be recorded as unauthorised
- Time off for travelling <u>cannot</u> be authorised!
- Time off to extend a holiday cannot be authorised!
- Time off to visit relatives as part of a long holiday cannot be authorised!