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BARNFIELD NEWS

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Ambitious me - ambitious everyone



This week we invited some visitors into our school to see the great work we have been doing over the last three years. We were delighted to have the opportunity to work with a current Ofsted Lead Inspector and two Barnet Headteachers. This was not an Ofsted Inspection but a review that the school asked for as part of our self-evaluation and identify what we are doing well and what we can continue to get even better with.

The team spent Thursday in school, observing the teaching and learning happening in classrooms and talking to different pupils about their learning and progress. They also spoke to different leaders about their roles, responsibilities and the impact of their leadership.

I am so proud to share with you that the initial feedback we have received has been very positive. The team highlighted many areas of strength. It was great to hear that the work we have doing on developing our curriculum and the emphasis placed on reading is impactful and leading to good outcomes. It was inspiring to hear our children and staff could talk confidently and passionately about our ethos of being the best you can and working towards your Super North Star.

Areas to continue to further improve were the same ones as identified by the Senior Leaders showing our Self Evaluation is accurate.

I will share more details on the final report when we receive this. It is a lovely way to celebrate as we approach the end of the school year.

International Evening

What is International Evening?

This is a special event held at Barnfield Primary School, which celebrates our wonderfully diverse community with **food, dance and traditional fashion**. This event is for all **current families** in Nursery to Year 6.

When is International Evening?

Thursday 30th of June.

What will the night will look like?

5.45pm Families who've prepared food will set up dishes in gym.

6.15pm All families of current students are welcomed into the event.

Food served in hall

Families will then sit in the playground ready to watch dances.

7pm Each year group will perform a dance.

Children not performing must stay with their family throughout the night.

A fashion parade will take place.

Community dance (all staff, children and families encouraged to join in) **8pm** Evening finishes















Sports Day

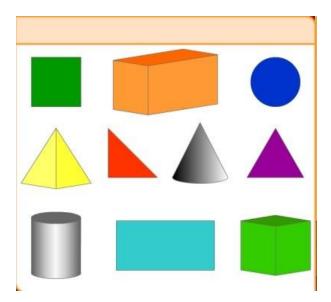


Next week, Barnfield will be celebrating National Sports Week. Each year group will have the opportunity to explore a sport such as, dodgeball, archery and even nerf! Please ensure that your children are wearing the correct PE kit on the day of their sport. Donations of £1 would be extremely appreciated and can be given to class teachers or the office. We are all looking forward to the sporty week ahead!

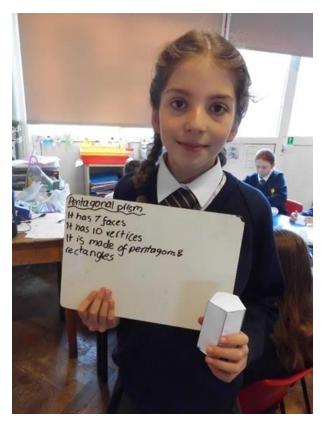
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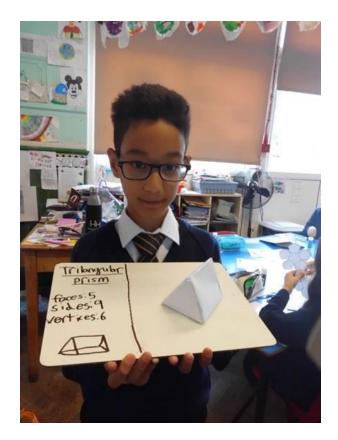
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Ambitious Me



In Year 5 this week we have been investigating 3D shapes. In our numeracy lesson we used nets to create 3D shapes and then wrote about the properties of that shape.





Barnet Music Festival

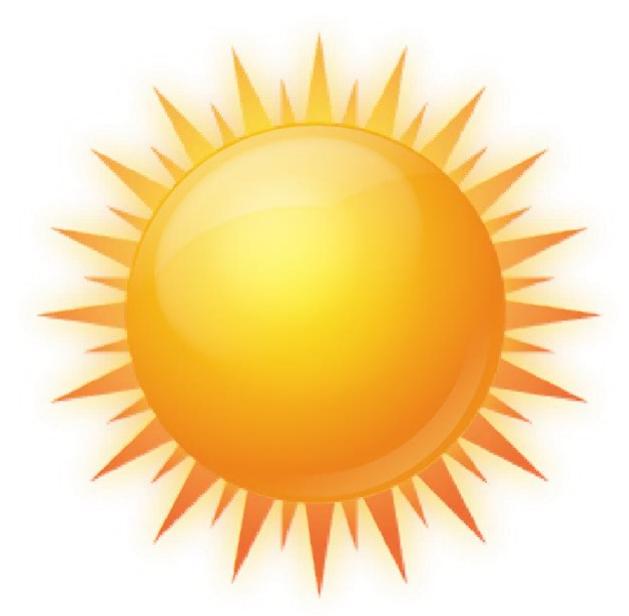


Please find some work from two students who attended the Arts Depo on Tuesday for Barnet's Music Festival.



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Hot Weather



With the weather being hot, please can you make sure that your child has suncream put on before starting school, a water bottle and a summer hat to be worn. Please make sure that both the water bottle and hat are clearly labelled with your child's name. Thank you.

Jewellery



We have noticed a number of children have started to wear items of jewellery to school. For Health and Safety reasons, pupils are not allowed to wear rings, chains or bracelets. These items can easily get caught on everyday resources we use in school and possibly lead to an accident. Pupils are able to wear stud earrings and a watch.

From next week, children will be asked to remove such items from next week and these will be returned to an adult at the end of the day. Thank you in advance for your support with this.



Parent Notice

Collecting children:

We are kindly reminding our parents and guardians when queuing to collect children, not to push in or save a space for others. Patience and respect are the values that we all need to be modelling to the children in our community. Also please be on time when collecting your children. School finishes at 3.05pm.

One way systems:

Our one way systems are still in place around the school. Please continue to follow this at all times.

Lost Property:

We have quite abit of lost property outside the school office, please have a look. All lost property will be disposed of at the end of the month.

Star of the Week



5G

Rishi - For all your kindness that makes 5G a happier place to be.

6H

Jayden - For being so kind and helpful. You are really trying to be the best you can be.

6S

YII - Always putting 100% effort into all learning.

Kick Ups Sports Academy



Please see attached a flyer for Kick Ups Sports Academy. This will take place at Barnfield School every Saturday from 9am - !pm. For your Year 1-Year 6 child to attend you must sign them up by

contacting them directly. Contact details are on the flyer, which will also be handed out to the children to take home.

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Online Safety



Please find attached this weeks online safety guide for this week.

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Safeguarding



It is the responsibility of everyone to keep our children safe. If you have a concern about a child please ask to speak to one of our Safeguarding Officers – Ms Golding, Jackie or Mr Moore.



Office Notices



Spare Clothing

If your child has been given spare clothing from the school, please make sure it is returned to the school office, washed, dried and in a bag labelled spare clothing. We have handed out multiple trousers in the last few weeks and these have not been returned.

Appointments

Parents should endeavour to make doctor/dentist appointments out of school hours, however, if this is not possible a copy of an appointment card must be shown at the office. We ask that parents do not pick up children from school for an appointment after 2.30pm as this can lead to distractions in their classrooms.

If your child is absent for any reason, please make sure you inform the school office not just the teacher/pastoral care as sometimes the messages do not get passed on and it may result in you being contacted.

Absences

If your child is unwell, please contact the school office by 9.15am. You must contact the school every day of your child's absence. **School office 0208 952 6026**

From time to time, we know that children can be unwell with vomiting and diarrhoea. Please note that they should not return to school for **48 hours** after there last bout. We appreciate this is inconvenient, and you may not believe that your child is ill, but you will appreciate that we say this in **all** cases and it should reduce the risk of infection for all children in school.

Term dates



Please click on the link below for our term dates.

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