



Barncroft Primary School

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News of the Week - Congratulations to all children who have taken part in pantomimes and dance competitions.

Bug Club

Bug Club has arrived at Barncroft! It is a powerful, whole school reading programme that is proven to raise attainment in reading and spelling. It combines engaging books with online activities for developing comprehension skills. The resources are designed to hook children into a lifelong love of books and develop confident young readers. By the end of term, your child will be given their individual login and the link to the Bug Club website can be accessed from our school website as follows:

1. Go to www.barncroftprimary.co.uk
2. Select Our Learners
3. Select Learning Links
4. Select Bug Club
5. Enter child's personal details. The school code is **6rjj**



School Christmas Dinner

Christmas Dinner is on Thursday 15th December 2016. Your child can order the dinner in class as normal on Thursday. If you pay for school dinners please remember to send in £2.10 on the day.

Red choice - Turkey with sausage, stuffing ball and gravy

Green choice - Quorn fillet with vegetarian sausage, stuffing ball and gravy

All meals come with roast potatoes, garden peas and baton carrots.

Pudding is a choice of New Forest chocolate ripple ice cream or a satsuma.

Community Christmas Lunch - Christmas Day

We recognise that Christmas Day may not be a happy time for everyone for many reasons. Come and join Park Community School for food, fun and festivities! Whether you fancy just reading the newspaper with company or going to one of the halls for games and fun with inflatable play equipment, they are here for you. Last year the tables were brimming with a traditional Christmas dinner. Transport can be provided if necessary, there is no charge but donations are welcome. It is **essential to pre-book** because Santa's elves need to prepare the food. Please ring Sara on **07766 020524** to book.

Christmas Jumper Day

On Friday 16th December 2016 the children are encouraged to wear a Christmas jumper for a donation of £1, which will go to "Save the Children". Please note the children must wear school trousers/skirts, polo shirts and shoes. It is **not** a non school uniform day, just a Christmas jumper day.

Year 5 Fundraiser for Fairthorne

Year 5 have organised a chocolate raffle to raise funds for their trip to Fairthorne. Tickets are on sale from their classrooms and are 50p per strip. The draw will take place on Friday 16th December 2016.

Philosophy Homework

This week's question...

Would you rather be
a firefighter or a policeman?

The most popular choice was: A policeman.

P4C Learning Cards

This week we have awarded

19 - Red

3 - Orange

2 - Yellow

Neptune News

This half term we have been learning all about the Great Fire of London. We have been asking and answering questions about the past and finding out what happened in the great fire. We now know lots of facts about it so ask us some questions.

We have also been very busy rehearsing for our Christmas performance. We hope to see you there!



Diary Dates

12/12/16 - YR/1 Christmas Performance, 9.30am
 12/12/16 - Y4 Listen to Me Concert, 2.30pm
 13/12/16 - YR/1 Christmas Performance, 2.00pm
 14/12/16 - School Disco, Y1/2/3, 3.30pm to 4.30pm
 14/12/16 - School Disco, Y4/5/6, 4.45pm to 6.00pm
 15/12/16 - Pupils Christmas Lunch
 16/12/16 - Y2 Christmas Carol Performance, 9.30am
 16/12/16 - Christmas Jumper Day for Save the Children
 19/12/16 - 02/01/17 - Christmas Holidays
 03/01/17 - First Day of Spring Term
 13/01/17 - YR Maths Workshop and Come and Play
 18/01/17 - Gemini Assertive Mentoring Meetings
 20/01/17 - Kuma Assertive Mentoring Meetings

Please note all dates are subject to change, however we will endeavour to give as much notice as possible.

Class Attendance

Here are this weeks classes, whose attendance is 95% or over:

Mars - 99%
 Beid - 98%
 Procyon - 97%
 Libra, Aquarius and Vega - 96%
 Saturn - 95%

To make the very best of their education your children need to be in school.

What's for Lunch?

	Red	Green
Monday	Moroccan chicken with rice	Vegetarian sausages with gravy & diced
Tuesday	Beef roast	Quorn burger
Wednesday	Beef meatballs in gravy	Pizza
Thursday	Christmas Dinner - Turkey roast	Christmas Dinner - Quorn fillet roast
Friday	Baked fish fingers with ketchup	Neapolitan pasta

Well done to...

"Top Tablers"

This week's "Top Tablers" were:

From Endeavour:

Miley Scannell, Kiera Beardsworth, Madison Smith, Max Brazier, Chloe Clark, Reilly Hayes.

From Discovery:

Brynley Osborne-Hayward, Grace Shiers, Ruby Sharpe, Marius Schroder, Albert Goldring, Harvey Okoli.

From Challenger:

Daniel Ungurean, Dylan Broderick, Chloe Leadley, Rebecca Howard, Jensen Barnley, Lauren Smith.

From Atlantis:

Ria-Mae Read, Mahlah Forder, William Burley, Pollyanna Parker, Summer Schofield, Lacymarie Winn.

Learners of the Week

Stars	Violet Williams
Sun	Aiyden Griggs
Jupiter	Megan Heath
Neptune	Torreon McGlynn
Saturn	Elise Galligan
Mars	Pollyanna Parker
Vega	Summer Marriner
Polaris	Peter-Jay Creed
Procyon	Owen Frost & Archie Outen
Aquarius	Amy Graham
Libra	Fletcher Haudiquet
Beid	Kiera Beardsworth
Kuma	Megan Peters
Gemini	Libby Graves
Milky Way	Anders Palmer