



Barncroft Primary School



Newsletter Number 03 - 20/09/2019

Macmillan Coffee Morning Friday 28th September

On Friday 28th September we will be holding a coffee morning which will include a cake sale at 8.30am at the front of the school in aid of Macmillan Cancer Support. Please come along and support us to raise funds for them.

Family Links

Miss Burgess will once again be running the 10 week Nurturing Programme for parents on "How to get the best out of family life". Sessions will be held on Thursday from 26th September at 9.30am - 11.30am at the Bidbury School. Please feel free to come and find out more, refreshments will be provided. If you would like more information please call or text Miss Burgess on 07929 876027.

Harvest Festival

We are asking for donations of tin goods or dry foods, for our Harvest Festival. The food will be donated to the PO9 Food Bank and we thank you in advance as we have a great response every year. Please could you bring your donations to the office from Monday 23rd September until Wednesday 2nd October.

Dates for Diary Update

Please be aware that the Aquarius Assertive Mentoring meeting will be on Friday 6th March 2020.

Reminder

Children are not allowed to wear nail varnish or false nails to school nor are they allowed to wear hooped earrings to school. If your child is found wearing any of these they will be removed.

After School Clubs

There are spaces available at the following after school clubs - YR - Y1 Play & Stay, YR - Y6 Craft, Y1 - Y2 Story Dance, Y4 - Y6 Barncroft Voices, Y3 - Y6 Box2BFit and Cross Country. Please collect a form from the office if your child would like to attend.

If your child attends any after school clubs please ensure that their PE kits are brought back into school the next day. Unfortunately Cookery and Football are now full, if you would like to go on the waiting list please collect a form from the office.

Important Notice

Can we remind all parents that we are a nut free school as we have several children with nut allergies. Could all parents ensure that if they provide their child with a packed lunch that it is completely nut free. Please note that no chocolate spread is allowed as we cannot guarantee it is nut free. Also there is no need to provide a drink in their lunchbox as we provide water, as well as fruit juice and milk at lunch for all children.

As a healthy school we ask that any lunch/snacks that can be included in their lunchboxes are suitable e.g. fruit or raisins.

School Meals and Breakfast Club

School meals and Breakfast Club must be paid for in advance or paid on the day. Breakfast Club costs £1 a day and school meals are £2.40 per day. Payment can be via cash, cheques payable to Hampshire County Council or as an online payment via ScoPay.

Philosophy Homework

This week's question...

Would you rather find a magic bag of sweets that is always full
or
a magic carpet that could take you anywhere?

The most popular choice was:

Find a magic bag of sweets that is always full

School drop off and collections

Classroom doors open at 8.45am and close at 8.55am. After 8.55am children need to be brought in by an adult via the office and will be marked in as late. Children arriving after 9.15am will be marked down as an unauthorised absence.

Procyon Class News

Procyon class enjoyed a fantastic day with Scar, a female Viking warrior! She showed us lots of different weapons and Viking artefacts.

We spent the day dressed as Vikings and learnt all about Viking life.

We learned that Vikings, although fierce and aggressive, were actually very clean. They made soap from plants and they cleaned their teeth by chewing on twigs.

Vikings were fierce and we tried to be too! It was a great start to our topic.

We have made fact files which we look forward to sharing with our parents during Curriculum Showcase later this half term.



Diary Dates

23/09/19 - Saturn Assertive Mentoring Meetings
 25/09/19 - Y5 Welcome Meeting, after school
 26/09/19 - Mars Assertive Mentoring Meetings
 26/09/19 - Y4 Welcome Meeting, after school
 27/09/19 - Macmillan Coffee Morning, am
 30/09/19 - School Nurse appointments only, am
 10/10/19 - Individual School Photographs, am
 16/10/19 - New Reception 2020/2021 Open Morning, am
 24/10/19 - Non-School Uniform, for Stockheath fireworks
 24/10/19 - Curriculum Showcase, after school
 25/10/19 - INSET DAY

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

Class Attendance

Here are this week's classes, whose attendance is 95% or over:

Polaris & Aquarius - 99%
 Kuma, Sun & Vega - 98%
 Procyon - 97%
 Neptune - 96%
 Stars - 95%

Late Arrivals

Number of children arriving late to school - 17
 Learning time lost 7 hours, 43 Minutes

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

What's for Lunch?

	Red	Green	Blue
Monday	BBQ chicken fillet	Mixed vegetable wrap with tomato salad	Jacket potato with baked beans
Tuesday	Roast beef and yorkshire pudding	Summer vegetable bake	Jacket potato with grated cheese
Wednesday	Quorn chilli with brown and white rice	Margherita pizza	Jacket potato with tuna and sweetcorn
Thursday	Pork grill and mashed potato	Macaroni cheese and garlic bread finger	Jacket potato with ham and cheese
Friday	Battered fish goujons and chips	Vegetable curry, brown and white rice and naan style bread	Jacket potato with two pork sausages and baked beans

"Top Tablers - 20/09/2019"

Endeavour: Hugo Allinson, Chloe Hughes, Rhys Smith, Skylar Donohue, Ruby Lush & Rebecca Lester

Discovery: Sofia Aseyiga, Billy-John Burn, Caitlin Baker, Billy Peck, Sophia Lidbetter & Dillion Brailsford

Atlantis: Grace Read, Alexia Taylor, Amita Forder, Spencer Folorunso, Michael Saunders & Archie Kenyon

Challenger: Jessica Shepherd, Liam Chase, Stanley Quinell, Phoenix Smart, Daniel Mullins & Dennie Stevens

Awards of the Week

Class	Learners	Star Writer	Superstar Reader
Stars	Logan Moore & Gwen Thomas		
Sun	Ronnie Rawlings & Ella Hughes		
Jupiter	Annabelle Rundle & Ollie Jay Corrigan	Ellie Hopkinson	Lyra Burton
Neptune	Elliott Jerome & Isabell Kirk	Jocelyn Chunduru	Parker Fowler
Saturn	Archie Kenyon & Annah Griggs	Dennie Stevens	Raymond Tan
Mars	Grace Read & Jake Mullett	Hugo Allinson	Poppie Taylor
Vega	Aiyden Griggs & Eva Mullins	Violet Williams	Bella Carter
Polaris	Ellie-May Gregory & Mikey-Roy Smith	Louie Hird	Annie Wilks
Procyon	Zoe Allen & Henry Littlemore	Kai Minett	Amita Forder
Aquarius	Evie Mellor & Liam Smith	Finley-Rae Pearce	Lola Barker-Dempster
Libra	Emily Marsh & Leo Gibson	Michael Saunders	Jensen Barnley
Beid	Hadley Hopkins & Sophia Lidbetter	Amare Gibson-Oladipo	Demi Smith
Kuma	Lloyd Graves & Ashleigh Macey	Kadie Nixon	Whole Class
Gemini	Harrison Kirk & Emily Pook	Amy Ewing	Peter-Jay Creed
Milkyway	Tyler Donohue		