



# Barncroft Primary School



Newsletter Number 11 – 24/11/17

## Important News

As you may have been aware, we have had a number of children who have had a sickness bug this week. We are doing everything we can prevent the bug from spreading and have spoken to all children in assembly around the importance of good and regular hand washing. We would appreciate it if you could also discuss the importance of hand washing with your children. Thank you for your continued support.

## Reminder - School Rules for Hair and Nails

We ask that your child should not come to school with an extreme hairstyle - no shaved patterns or Mohicans. Shaved hair styles should not have anything less than a Grade 2, long hair should always be tied back. No hair should be coloured with permanent, temporary or even spray in dyes.

False nails, even temporary ones are not allowed in school and no nails are to be painted with nail varnish. The school will ask any pupil wearing nail varnish to remove it and if they refuse parents will be telephoned. Many thanks for your continued co-operation.

## Anti-Bullying Week

Last week was anti-bullying week. The theme was "All Different All Equal." Throughout the week the children were involved in a number of activities relating to anti-bullying. Thank you to all the parents who turned up to see the Y5 children put on their assemblies. For more information please visit:

<http://www.anti-bullyingalliance.org.uk/anti-bullying-week/info-for-parents-and-carers>

## Christmas Fayre- Friday 8th December 2017, after school

Books of raffle tickets for the Christmas Fayre will be going home very soon. If you have any spare books that you do not need please return them to the office so they can be passed on.

On 1st December 2016 the school will hold a Non Uniform Day. To help us raise funds through our Christmas Fayre please bring in a donation of chocolate. Many thanks.

## Reminder YR - Y4 Flu Immunisation

YR - Y4 will be having their immunisation on Thursday 30th November 2017.

## Philosophy Homework

This week's question...

Would you rather be poor but help people,  
or  
become incredibly rich by hurting people?

The most popular choice was:  
be poor but help people.

## P4C Learning Cards

This week we have awarded:

16- Red  
2 - Orange  
23 - Yellow

## Neptune and Jupiter Class News

Super sound!

This term we have been learning about how we hear the sounds around us. We have looked at how sound travels into our ear and to our brain. On our sound walk we listened carefully to the sounds in our school environment. We played instruments to find out what happens to sound when it gets further away. We found out that sound travels and we made our own telephones.



## Diary Dates

29/11/17 - Learning to Learn Assertive Mentoring Meetings  
 30/11/17 - Flu Immunisation YR– Y4  
 30/11/17 - Vega Assertive Mentoring Meetings  
 01/12/17 - Polaris Assertive Mentoring Meetings  
 01/12/17 - Non Uniform Day (chocolate donation)  
 08/12/17 - Father Christmas Visit, am  
 08/12/17 - Christmas Fayre, after school  
 11/12/17 - Y4 Listen To Me Concert, 2.30pm  
 15/12/17 - Y2 Christmas Singing Performance, 2.30pm  
 15/12/17 - Children's Christmas Lunch  
 15/12/17 - Wear Your Christmas Jumper 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:

Procyon and Neptune - 98%  
 Beid, Libra, Aquarius and Polaris - 96%  
 Vega and Saturn - 95%

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

## What's for Lunch?

|           | Red  | Green                       |
|-----------|--|-----------------------------|
| Monday    | Ham and cheese macaroni with garlic bread finger | Quorn burger                |
| Tuesday   | Roast pork                                       | Vegetarian sausage puff     |
| Wednesday | Vegetable chilli with brown and white rice       | Margherita pizza            |
| Thursday  | Chicken and sweetcorn pie                        | Vegetable goujons           |
| Friday    | Battered fish and chips                          | BBQ vegetable and bean wrap |

## "Top Tablers"

This week's "Top Tablers" were:

### Endeavour:

Rebecca Lester, Harry Wall, Tayla-Mae Loveless, Elysia Salmon, Scarlett Kite

### Discovery:

Amelia Chandler, Alfie Wallis, Zoe Allen, Vanessa Villalon, Hope Osborne-Hayward, Blake Moth

### Atlantis:

Isabelle Schofield, Piper Harris, Zac Evans, Megan Sutherland, Benjamin Parker, Ria-Mae Read

### Challenger:

Ruby Davis, Owen Taylor, Leo Coles, Phoenix Smart, Lauren Smith, Kacey Stainer

## Learners of the Week

|           |                       |
|-----------|-----------------------|
| Stars     | Mackenzie Koom-Dadzie |
| Sun       | Eva Leake Shepperd    |
| Jupiter   | Skylar Donohue        |
| Neptune   | Joe Hay               |
| Saturn    | Sholah Udy            |
| Mars      | Kolton Couper         |
| Vega      | Demi Smith            |
| Polaris   | Beni Ungurean         |
| Procyon   | John Gray             |
| Aquarius  | Elysia Salmon         |
| Libra     | Jacob Way             |
| Beid      | Chloe Heath           |
| Kuma      | Jai Stewart           |
| Gemini    | Talia Hachem          |
| Milky Way | Lily Winter           |