



Barns Green Primary School

Newsletter

16.05.2025



Dear Parents and Carers,

On Wednesday evening I had the pleasure of working with a small group of committed parents who form the backbone of our PTA. We have come up with exciting plans to celebrate the 10th anniversary of the school building opening!



On Saturday 12th July (12pm-3pm) we will be holding an anniversary summer fete and will be welcoming the entire village to celebrate with us. Exciting plans are already afoot, and we do hope that you will join us in celebrating our wonderful school!

Of course, these sorts of things require support and if you do have any ideas for performances, pitches or suggestions for help please, please do let myself or members of the PTA know!! We need you!!

This has the potential to be a really special occasion and a fabulous way to recognise the school's 10th anniversary!

Have a super weekend.

Tracey Newbold



PTA

The PTA has largely run this year with the support of parents from Fox Class. These parents will soon be moving on and we urgently require the next generation of parents to actively support our school.

Without your support many popular events such as the Halloween Spooktakular and school disco are in danger of not running and the school will miss out on an essential funding source.

Please do consider joining the team, it's an opportunity to support everyone here at school!

Year 6 SATs

We were so proud of our year 6s this week. They demonstrated amazing resilience and determination as they sat their SAT tests. We couldn't ask for more!

Today they celebrated with ice cream!

Well done year 6!



PTA news update

School summer fete



The school fete is now celebrating the 10th anniversary of the school being in the new building. Thank you to everyone who has signed up through the poll on the PTA Facebook page. It's a fantastic start but we do need more help to run the event. We welcome anyone - uncles, aunties, grandparents, previous students. This event is a birthday celebration for all.

We do appreciate not everyone has access to the group and have created a form to gather responses including anyone who is willing to add an advertising sign, anyone who has a stall and would like a pitch for the event. Please do share.

<https://forms.office.com/r/chypDD98rm>

Or

<https://www.facebook.com/share/p/1CB9VgmTGm/?>

Next PTA meeting

Our next meeting is Wednesday 11th June at the Barns Green social club from 7.30pm. This meeting will focus on summer fete planning and it would be great to see as many of you there as possible to help plan this big event.

Dates for your diary.

- PTA fete planning meeting – June 11th at 7.30pm - Barns Green Social Club
- Summer Fete – Saturday 12th July.

Dates

May

Monday 19th -23rd – Walk to School week

Thursday 22nd - Year 3/4 swimming lessons

Friday 23rd – Walking Bus – From Village Hall at 8.35am

Dormouse and Hedgehog Drop and Read 8.45-9.15am

Break up for half-term 3.20pm

June

Monday 2nd – Children back in school

Thursday 5th - Year 3/4 swimming lessons

Friday 6th - Dormouse and Hedgehog Drop and Read 8.45-9.15am

Monday 9th – Messy Church (**at the village hall**)

Wednesday 11th – PTA fete planning meeting at Barns Green Social Club 7.30pm

Thursday 12th – Year 3/4 swimming lessons

Outdoor Learning day

Monday 16th – Otter and Squirrel trip to the British Museum

Tuesday 17th – Yr 6 Railway Roadshow Trip

Thursday 19th – Year 3/4 swimming lessons

Friday 20th - Dormouse and Hedgehog Drop and Read 8.45-9.15am

Thursday 26th – Year 3/4 swimming lessons

Weald Big Sing

Friday 27th – Sports Day (afternoon)

Monday 30th – Otter and Fox trip to Lodge Hill

July

Thursday 3rd – Year 3/4 swimming lessons (last session)

Friday 4th - INSET day (no children in school)

Monday 7th – Messy Church (**at the village hall**)

Year 6 swimming (details to follow)

Wednesday 9th – Year 5 Bikeability (details to follow)

Thursday 10th – Fox Class trip to Hever Castle (letter to follow)

Dormouse Class assembly 2.45pm

Friday 11th – Reports sent out

Dormouse and Hedgehog Drop and Read 8.45-9.15am

Saturday 12th – Summer Fete

Monday 14th – Year 6 swimming (details to follow)

Wednesday 16th - End of year production – Yr 6 and all of KS2 to attend - 6pm

Thursday 17th - End of year production – Yr 6 and all of KS2 to attend - 6pm

Monday 21st – Leavers' assembly (time tbc)

Tuesday 22nd – last day of term

September

Wednesday 3rd – INSET day (no children in school)

Thursday 4th – All children back to school