

Newsletter

Friday 8th April

Dear Parents and Carers,

I can hardly believe that this is the last newsletter of the Spring term. It has been such a busy and productive time and I have thoroughly enjoyed the opportunity to lead the school across the term. It certainly feels like a happy place to be right now and there is always a buzz as I walk around the school, pop into classrooms and meet with children. I have particularly enjoyed the children coming to see me with their work. They are always so keen to talk about their learning and justifiably proud of their achievements.



This week the group of year five pupils who attended the Christ's Hospital choral workshop led our Tuesday singing assembly. We were treated to musical performances from Holly and Emily on the flute and William on the saxophone. Followed by a group performance from all the children. They then taught a medley of songs to everyone. It was wonderful to see such confidence and leadership blossoming amongst the year fives. The children across the school were incredibly impressed.

Today we have enjoyed our Easter Egg hunt arranged and supported by the PTA. I would like to thank them for their fundraising efforts across the term on behalf of the school. We have some very exciting plans concerning our outside environment coming up and I look forward to being able to share these with you shortly.



The children have all enjoyed looking at each other's egg creations. It was wonderful to see so many families taking part and it looks like lots of fun was had at home. Thank you and well done to everyone who joined in, the panel of Judges certainly found it hard to make a decision!

Our runners up were Michael, Bethany, Jaymi, Charlotte and Ollie. Our overall winners were Jack in Reception and Imogen in Squirrel class.

For your information, the school is having a deep clean over the Easter break. This is certainly something that is needed and we look forward to welcoming the children back on Monday 25th of April to a fresh and clean environment!

This just leaves me to thank you for all of the kind messages and support shown to me over this past term and to wish you a very happy, enjoyable and safe Easter break on behalf of myself and all the staff here at Barns Green Primary School.

Warm wishes,
Tracey Newbold



Managing Medicines

We are often asked if we are allowed to administer medicines to our pupils. Mrs Coxon and Mrs Cooper are trained in Managing Medicines for pupils. There are still some parents who have not returned the consent form to administer short-term non-prescribed medicine, e.g. paracetamol. Please see the attached form and return this as soon as possible. Email consents are acceptable.

Please look at our Supporting Pupils with Medical Needs policy on our website for further information.

Diary dates - 2022

April

Monday 25th – Children back in school

PTA meeting 7.30pm (venue tbc)



Wednesday 27th – KS1 Multiskills festival at The Weald (details to follow)

May

Monday 9th – Messy Church in community room

Friday 27th – Break up for half-term at 3.20pm

June

Monday 6th - Children back in school

Messy Church in community room

Sunday 12th – Yr 5 + 6 PGL residential trip

Wednesday 15th – Yr 5 + 6 back from PGL residential trip

July

Friday 1st – INSET day

Monday 4th – Messy Church in community room