



NEWSLETTER

Barton Primary School



Please can we ask parents not to enter the school/classrooms at the start/end of the day via the back door from the playground unless escorted by a member of staff.
All visitors should report to reception before entering the school.
Thank you for your co-operation.

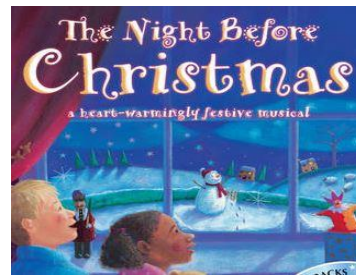
CHRISTMAS POSTBOX

Situated in the main reception area at the school entrance from Monday 4th December. Children may post their Christmas cards into the box and they will be delivered daily.



DON'T FORGET TO GET ORDER TICKETS FOR THE KS1 CHRISTMAS PLAY

The Reception, Yr1 & Yr2 Christmas play, "The Night Before Christmas", will be held on Thursday 14th December in the school hall. There will be one performance at 2pm and another at 6pm.



Letters/order forms have gone home to all children in Reception & Key Stage 1.

SCHOOL DINNERS *Week Commencing Monday 4th December 2017 (info provided by Caterlink)*

Reminder: Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 pupils are all entitled to free school meals.

£1.85 for Nursery & Years 3, 4, 5 and 6

Jacket Potatoes are available on Monday, Tuesday & Thursday for pupils in Years 1-6.

Monday: Sausage/Quorn Sausage (v) with Mash & Gravy, Cauliflower, Peas, Wholemeal Plum & Vanilla Crumble with Custard, Yoghurt/Fresh Fruit Platter

Tuesday: Shepherd's Pie with Gravy/Sweet & Sour Vegetables with Noodles (v), Carrots & Green Beans, Apple & Raisin Flapjack, Yoghurt/Fresh Fruit Salad.

Wednesday: Roast Pork/Quorn Roast (v), Savoy Cabbage & Swede, Carrot & Courgette Cake with Custard, Yoghurt/Fresh Fruit Platter

Thursday: Chicken Tikka with Rice/Creamy Vegetable Pie with Mashed Potato topping (v), Sweetcorn & Peppers, Dutch Apple Pie & Custard, Yoghurt/Fresh Fruit Salad

Friday: MSC Salmon Fishcake with Chips/ Macaroni Cheese with Garlic Slice (v), Baked Beans & Garden Peas, Lemon Drizzle Cake, Yoghurt/Fresh Fruit Chunks

Parent Survey – November 2017

Dear Parents & Carers,

We would like to find out your views and opinions about the school.

Please could you spare a few moments of your time to complete an anonymous survey. The link to the survey can be found on our Facebook page and on our website.

If you would prefer to complete a paper copy of the survey, these are available from the office.

Thank you for your co-operation.

If your child has borrowed a school tie or PE kit please could it be returned to school ASAP. We now have no spares available.

More than 20 ties have been borrowed and not returned since the start of term.

BARTON PRIMARY SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

19TH-22ND NOVEMBER 2017

Attendance for Whole School:
94.5%

So far this academic year:
96%

Best Class Attendance:

Yaverland - 98.3%

Best House Attendance:

Bembridge (Blue) 95.1%

Our school target is 96.2%

Dates for your diary 2017-18

Autumn Term 2017

School Finishes: Thursday 21st December 2017 (No Breakfast & After School Club)

Spring Term 2018

School Starts: Thursday 4th January 2018 (No Breakfast & After School Club on Thursday 4th & Friday 5th Jan)

Half Term: Monday 12th - Friday 16th February 2018

School Finishes: Thursday 29th March 2018

Summer Term 2018

School Starts: Monday 16th April 2018

Bank Holiday: Monday 7th May 2018

Half Term: Monday 28th May – Friday 1st June 2018

School Finishes: Friday 20th July 2018

Development Day: Monday 23rd July 2018

Term dates for 2018/2019 can be found on the Isle of Wight council website.

There will be NO Breakfast Club or After School Club on Thursday 21st December (last day of term) or on Thursday 4th & Friday 5th January 2018.

CAR PARKING

Please can we remind parents that the school car park is for **staff parking only**.

And after complaints from local residents, can we also ask parents not to block access to driveways or to use the service lane at the side of the community centre.

Under their Park & Stride Scheme, the IOW council allow Barton parents to park in Coppins Bridge car park for **free between 8.00-8.45am and 2.45-3.45pm** if they display a council parking permit, which is available from the office.

WILD LIFE PHOTO COMPETITION

- Win a Blue Planet 2 book

Next time you are out and about, take a photo of an animal that you see.

You can either send it to: senco@bartonpri.iow.sch.uk or print it out and give it to Mrs Eagar.

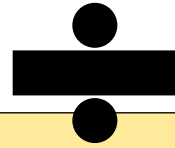
Competition closes on Friday 15th December

Have you been watching Blue Planet 2? Talk to Mrs Eagar about it.



Mrs Eagar and her daughter love watching Blue Planet. Last year at the beach, Zara took this photo of a jelly fish:





Mr Wake's Maths Challenge

Maths Challenge for this week...See Mr Wake or Mrs Burke and recite any times tables that you know (bonus housepoints if you hand in a written piece of work). Do you know the opposite division facts too?



Join our **NEW** book group for children in years 5 & 6

Talk about books + play games + write reviews
+ meet new friends

**Our first meeting will be on the
17th January at 4pm at Newport library**

Spaces are limited so book yours early!



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