

# NEWSLETTER

Attendance  
96.6%

[Summer Menu Week 1 beginning 24th June 2019](#)

No 35 Fri 21<sup>st</sup> June 2019

## Key Dates

- Thurs 27<sup>th</sup> June** Move-Up Morning  
Display Evening 5pm-7pm
- 3<sup>rd</sup> + 4<sup>th</sup> July** Y6 Evening Productions
- 8<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> July** Y6 IOW Residential visit
- Weds 10<sup>th</sup> July** 4K Class Assembly
- Thurs 11<sup>th</sup> July** History off the Page Y4
- Mon 15<sup>th</sup> July** Sports Day morning 9am-11am
- Weds 17<sup>th</sup> July** Secrets of Success Awards Evening 7pm
- Tues 23<sup>rd</sup> July** Y6 Leavers' Assembly to parents 9am
- Weds 24<sup>th</sup> July** End of term

## Non-Pupil Days 2019-2020

- 3<sup>rd</sup> Sept 2019 4<sup>th</sup> Nov 2019 6<sup>th</sup> Jan 2020
- 24<sup>th</sup> Feb 2020 22<sup>nd</sup> May 2020

**Bank Holiday change – 4<sup>th</sup> May 2020 now 8<sup>th</sup> May 2020**

## 2020-2021

- 2<sup>nd</sup> Sept 2020 23<sup>rd</sup> Oct 2020 4<sup>th</sup> Jan 2021
- 22<sup>nd</sup> Feb 2021 28<sup>th</sup> May 2021

## Stars of the Week

14<sup>th</sup> June 2019



Summer Term 2019

- Y6 Vaishnavi Bandaru  
Tayen Davis
- Y5 Tyler Bensley  
William Madison  
Kai Carter
- Y4 Ellis Browne  
Freddie Johnson  
Amalie Hollidge
- Y3 Emilia Buckmaster  
Karter McAiney  
Mya Engall

Champions



Barnes Farm Junior School are Chelmsford District Athletic Champions after a convincing display in both track and field this week. More details later!

## Choir Sing Up at the Civic!



Mrs Summers led our choir to participate in a fantastic evening performance at the Civic theatre alongside a number of other KS2 pupils for the Chelmsford Music Festival. The children were strongly supported by many family members who watched in the audience as they sang a number of different songs with energy and enthusiasm. Well done to all those who represented the school.

## Display Evening 27<sup>th</sup> June 5pm-7pm

### Y6 Enterprise Stalls

As well as both Barnes Farm schools being open, the Y6 students have been busy preparing various enterprise stalls to sell to all the visitors. Please come along (with some loose change) and support their ventures. All money raised is invested directly back into Y6 activities. There will be:

Face painting	Calm cushions	Name the teddy / teddy tombola
Sand tray lucky dip	Rice crispy cakes	Biscuits
Sweet cones	Guess the sweets in a jar	Transfers / tattoos
Popcorn	Ice pops	Book marks

### Staffing Update

We have appointed a new teacher - Mr Adam Williams, who joins us from another school in Witham. He will be teaching in Y4 next year as Mrs Summers leaves us to go onto maternity leave.

### New Class Arrangements

On Monday 24th June, parents of children currently in Years 3-5 will be emailed in the evening with information about their child's new class and teacher for September. Pupils will not be told about their new classes before parents are informed and we have chosen the evening to try and allow the majority of families to find out at the same time.

#### *Meet and Greet*

On Tuesday 25th June, the children will have a brief opportunity to meet as their new class. This will not be with their new teacher at this point but just gives them a chance to see who is in their class for the first time.

### **Move Up Morning**

On Thursday 27th June, all pupils from Years 2-5 will meet in their new classes with their new teachers in their new rooms, spending the first part of the morning together and familiarising themselves with the new structure. Between 5-7pm that day, our joint Infant and Junior Display Evening takes place when you can visit your child's current class and speak informally with their current teacher, but also take the opportunity to introduce yourself to their new teacher.

### **Y6 Secondary Destinations**

Our Y6 pupils will be heading off to many different secondary destinations in September. Here is an overview of where they are going:

Grammar Schools	13%
Great Baddow High School	27%
The Beaulieu Park School	19%
Sandon School	19%
The Boswells School	16%
Other schools	5%

### **RE at School - A message from Mrs Kuma**

Eid Mubarak to all who celebrated Eid at the beginning of this month! We are almost at the end of this month already. Hope you had a wonderful time.

Do you have photographs, stories and wonderful experiences that you can share with our pupils?

In a recent pupil survey, most of our pupils expressed their appreciation of parents sharing their cultural and religious experiences with us as a school. Most said they would really like to see more of this happening in school.

We would like to hear from you if you have any stories or experiences to share with our pupils.

Please contact the school office to arrange a convenient time to do this.

### **Safe and Well Visits from Essex Fire Service**



To keep yourself and your family safe at home, we recommend booking one of our free, personalised Safe and Well visits.

Our trained Safe and Well officers can provide advice and guidance in relation to fire prevention and home security, as well as signpost you to additional advice and support if you need it.

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