## **Barnes Farm Junior School**

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## Go Bonkers and Commonwealth day Newsflash

Due to the adverse weather conditions and on specialist advice, we have had to cancel the Go Bonkers inflatable event. We have explained to the children and hope that they are not too disappointed. All parents who purchased tickets for wristbands are eligible for a full refund, however, they might like to consider that this event is our main source of annual fundraising and request a smaller amount to be refunded.

We are now planning a revision of our **Commonwealth** event next Friday July 18th to incorporate some of the elements lost from today's cancellation.

The event will go ahead as planned at 1:00pm however we now plan to include all of the side stalls and refreshments that we were going to have this afternoon during Go Bonkers.

Miller and Carter will be available all afternoon to provide a delicious barbeque and we will be selling a range of drinks and other refreshments as well as running our raffle, tombola and games stalls including coconut shy and football shoot out.

We are asking for all children to bring a packed lunch to school still and this will be eaten alongside their attending grown ups during a picnic lunch on the field. Grow ups may wish to bring some goodies along to enjoy too or even better, take advantage of the **Miller and Carter** barbeque.

Please can we request no glass bottles, jars etc and strictly no alcohol!

We are very much looking forward to seeing the children dressed in their class' country colours or national dress. If you are attending, please collect your child from their class door and make your way onto the field. After the picnic, we will ask children to make their way over to their class teacher and we will ask for parents to take a seat around the edge of the track. At the end of the event, we will ask all children to accompany their teacher back to their classroom where they can then collect their belongings ready to go home. In the interest of safety, only the main entrances will be open during this event.

We will add further details to the website if it looks like the weather is going to be unkind to us again!

Mrs Mills and Mr McTaggart. Headteachers Barnes Farm schools	
Child's Name:	Class:
I would like the following amount refunded to me for Go Bonkers wristbands	
Signature:	Date:







