

Barnes Farm Junior School



NEWSLETTER

Attendance: 94.8%

No 29: 10th May 2024



PTA Summer Fete - Friday 19th July

The PTA are back and so is the annual Summer Fete on Friday 19th July. This will be held on the school grounds (after school) and provide a true community event for all those connected with both schools.



BFJS is a Super School for wellbeing

We were delighted to be awarded this badge which recognises our whole-school monitoring_of pupil wellbeing through regular standardised surveys. Staff respond quickly to pupil responses which is then backed up by our wider pupil wellbeing measures such as 'I wish my teacher knew' boxes and therapeutic approach to managing behaviour.

Mini-Wimbledon Winning Streak

Congratulations to our year 4 Mini-Wimbledon champions. On Wednesday they competed at the Chelmsford School Sports Partnership tennis competition. Each player was exceptional and the team finished in **second** place. They are now looking forward to competing in the finals on Wednesday 15th May. Well done to the team! A big thank you to Mrs Coote for escorting the children and to the parents for the superb support. Good luck for next week!







Spelling Bee Success!



On Thursday, four members of Year 5 were selected to enter a spelling competition at Great Baddow High School. They had lots of very tricky words to learn and a lightning round to complete. After some fierce competition our team ended up coming 3rd! Well done to Krish, Pragathi, Grace and Oliver and thank you to Mrs Wye for accompanying them.

Y3 Enrichment

Year 3 have had an amazing day of learning more about our wonderful planet and how we can work together to save it and raise awareness to others. This included handing out their own leaflets to members of public, litter picking, bug hunting, identifying trees and spreading the message to the school community using chalks and natural materials. Well done year 3 for a fantastic day; representing the school in such a positive manner.



NSPCC Listen up, Speak up

The NSPCC is encouraging every adult in the UK to take their 10-minute digital training and learn how to listen up and speak up for children. <u>Listen up, Speak up</u> will show:

- some signs a child might be at risk, and steps you can take to help
- how to approach difficult conversations to help keep children safe
- who you can contact if you're ever concerned about a child or their family.

Ross McTaggart - Headteacher

Please see our 'community links' page for more information on events available locally

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Y6	Holly F	Nitya	Macy	Reading 6S
Y5	Sophia L	Evan	Saanvi	72%
Y4	Jake	Eleanor	Grace	
Y 3	Nathan	Ella	Camron	





PE Sports Provision

PE Kit Days					
Date (Week beginning)	M	Т	W	Т	F
13/5/2024	6	3	4	5	5
20/5/2024	6	3	4	5	
Half Term	I	l	ı	l	
3/6/2024	6	3	4	5	3
10/6/2024	6	3	4	5	4
17/6/2024	6	3	4	5	5
24/6/2024	6	3	4	5	6
1/7/2024	6	3	4	5	3
8/7/2024	6	3	4	5	4
15/7/2024	6	3	4	5	5
22/7/2024	6	3			

House Point Update

Griffin	Phoenix	Pegasus	Dragon		
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Points	Points	Points	Points		
240	178	211	326		
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