

Summer Fayre

With our summer Fayre fast approaching we are really keen to collect as many donations for raffle prizes as possible. We would really appreciate if you could ask companies you work for or businesses you have contacts with to make a donation to the school for a raffle prize. Any donations can be handed into the school office. Many thanks

If you would like to have your own stall at our Summer Fayre please contact FORO@redoaks.org.uk for more information. We are really keen to have lots of different stalls so please do not hesitate to get in touch.

Sports Day Information - 16th June

Reception/Nursery: 8:45 - 9:30am
Year 1 and 2: 9:30 - 10:30am
Year 3, 4, 5 and 6: 10:45 - 12:15pm

Please arrive through the gate on the main playground and head to the field to watch your children.

All parents/guardians are invited to a picnic lunch on the field 12:15 - 1:15pm

- Parents/guardians with children in Nursery and Reception please collect them from the MUGA
- Parents/guardians with children in KS1 please collect them from their classrooms
- Parents/guardians with children in KS2 please collect them straight from the field after the events

If parents are unable to attend, children will sit with their teachers.

There is no option for hot food on this day, so ALL children will need a packed lunch. If your child is in Reception - Year 2 or entitled to a free school meal, a packed lunch will be provided from school. Please ensure you have booked these on ParentPay and cancel if you will be providing your own.

At 1:15pm, the whistle will blow and parents/guardians please take Reception and Nursery children back to the MUGA for teachers to collect. For all other children (Year 1 - Year 6) please take your children back to their classrooms like morning drop off.

Warmer Weather



Hopefully we will soon have some sunny weather, please ensure children have sun cream applied before they come to school. We are unable to apply suncream to children in school. Children may bring a hat to wear at playtimes if they wish. All children should bring a **named water bottle** that they are able to refill at any time during the day. Please ensure **only water** is used as it is the healthier option and squash etc attracts ants if spilt.

Earrings

For Health and Safety reasons jewellery is not permitted with the exception of inexpensive watches, stud or sleeper earrings, small items of jewellery for religious reasons may also be worn. All of the above must be able to be removed for PE including earrings.

Prime Bottles

Please can we ask that children do not bring in Prime bottles even if they are being used as a water bottle. Many thanks

School Gates

Please note that these gates will open at 8.20am.

Online Safety - Gacha Life

Does your child play Gacha Life? Please follow this link to read a helpful Parent's Guide about how to keep your child safe when playing the game: <https://www.internetmatters.org/hub/news-blogs/what-is-gacha-life-what-parents-need-to-know/> Please pay particular attention to the paragraph about Gacha Heat.

There appears to be many videos on YouTube containing the characters from Gacha Life. The vast majority of these videos contain age-inappropriate content and are not safe for children to view. We strongly recommend that you regularly check your child's online activities and ensure all of their devices have parental controls enabled.

If you have any concerns about your child's online activity and would like to discuss it with a member of the Safeguarding Team, please don't hesitate to get in touch.

Deaf Awareness Week

Congratulations to these children who were the winners of our competition before half term 😊



Eco Corner



As we are an eco-school, we would like to encourage our children and families to become more eco conscious. Each week we will share an eco-challenge for you to try at home, an eco-affirmation to discuss and a new eco friendly website to explore. Please take pictures of you completing the challenges on Dojo as we would love to share them in school.

Challenge 1 - Go on a litter pick. Having a clean environment is good for the mind as well as wildlife.

Affirmation - I mindfully acknowledge my role in the sustainability of natural resources.

Website - <https://www.ecokidsplanet.co.uk/pages/free-resources>

Upcoming Dates

- 16th June - Sports Day & Family picnic
- 26th June - Reserve Sports Day
- 7th July - Bags2School
- 7th July - Summer Fayre
- 12th July - Year 6 Leavers Party - further information to follow
- 17th July - Reports sent home
- 19th July - Year 6 Leavers Performance
- 20th July - Last Day of Nursery
- 21st July - Last day of school - 1.30pm finish

A poster for a 'SUMMER PROGRAMME'. It features a blue background with a sun, clouds, and various icons like a brain, a pineapple, and musical notes. The text provides details about the program, including dates and locations for two weeks. It also includes contact information and a QR code.

SUMMER PROGRAMME

Join fun activities to learn the five ways to wellbeing. For ages 7-11

Week one: Ferndale Primary, Wiltshire Ave, SN2 1NX
OR
7th, 8th & 9th August

Week two: Oliver Tomkins primary, Beaumaris Rd, Toothill SN5 8LW
21st, 22nd & 23rd August

10AM-3PM

To book your free space now, visit:
<https://forms.office.com/e/EaUU8UFPSe>
email for more information:
OutreachProjectMe@barnardos.org.uk

Logos for Barnardos, me, NHS, and the Mindful Me initiative are at the bottom.