



NEWSLETTER

Friday 10th June 2022

Be Curious

Be Caring

Be Confident

Be Cooperative

HEADS' CORNER

Dear Parents/Carers,

We hope everyone had a brilliant half term and were able to enjoy all the wonderful jubilee events happening in and around the local area.

We have had a great start to the second half of the summer term! We have introduced our theme of the month; Join together June. We will be focusing on our **Be Cooperative** value, giving out pink stickers to all the children as they move around the school sensibly and show excellent behaviour in the canteen and on the field during lunchtime.

Each week we will also be giving the children a secret task to complete in school. This will be linked to our school values and it is the job of the rest of the staff to try and guess what the secret task is. We obviously can't tell you what the secret task is in case any of the staff read the newsletter but I'm sure your children will tell you! If the children complete their task effectively, there will be an extra playtime to celebrate.

A big well done to year 1 who have all completed their statutory phonics screening check this week. We are so proud of each and every year 1 child; they are such fantastic readers! If you are a year 1 parent, your child's score will be sent home with their end of year report.

We are looking forward to seeing you all in school next Wednesday afternoon to help us celebrate 'Here and There' day.

Nicola Hayles and Jennie Reed

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

June 22

Monday 30th May - Half Term

Monday 6th June – Back to school

Monday -13th June – Class group photos

Wednesday 15th June – Here & There Day – Non Uniform

Monday 20th- Friday 24th – National Sports Week

Monday 27th-Thursday 30th – Year 6 school journey

July 22

Monday 4th July – STAFF INSET – School closed for children

Wednesday 13th & Thursday 14th July – Year 6 Performances time tbc



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ATTENDANCE

House attendance

Balmoral – 92.22 

Holyrood – 96.21 

Sandringham – 90.75 

Windsor – 92.12 

Most Improved Attendance

This week 3 children received a certificate for the most improved attendance

Congratulations to Aaron, Sufyan and Jack

Beech	94.30
Maple	95.94
1 Oak	88.98
1 Willow	84.75
2 Chestnut	96.80
2 Palm	95.90
3 Cedar	97.63
3 Hornbeam	96.67
3 Yew	95.37
4 Cherry	94.86
4 Larch	94.86
4 Pine	100.00
5 Holly	94.44
5 Laurel	94.86
5 Sycamore	96.50
6 Ash	97.40
6 Elm	87.29
6 Hawthorn	91.54



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100 Club

Perfect Attendance

Congratulations

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You have had 100% attendance this week

411 children achieved 100% attendance this week

Congratulations



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NOTICES AND NEWS

JUBILEE COSTUME COMPETITION WINNERS

We had a fantastic day celebrating the Queens Platinum Jubilee on the last day of term, all of the children and staff looked great dressed for their decades. Below are the winners of our costume competition. All winners will receive a wish voucher to use in class. Well done!

Nursery - Alfie

Reception Shravan from Beech

1 Jessiah from 1 Willow

2 Mila from 2 Palm

3 Farah from 3 Yew

4 Amy from 4 Cherry

5 The Spice Girls - Hollie, Sammy, Willow, Ruby and Kelly from 5 Laurel

6 Natalia from 6 Hawthorn.



HERE AND THERE DAY 15th JUNE

On **Wednesday 15th June**, Underhill are celebrating '**Here and There**' day. Children can come into school in **non-uniform** on this day, wearing clothes that reflect or celebrate their culture. Children will spend the day doing a variety of activities related to this topic, and we will end the day with a whole school **parade**.

Parents & carers are invited to come and join us to watch the parade from **2:45pm**.

DR BIKES

Unfortunately, the Dr Bike session that was due to take place on Saturday 11 June 2022, between midday and 3pm in High Barnet has been cancelled. They are hoping to re-arrange this soon.



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NATIONAL SPORTS WEEK MONDAY 20TH- 24TH JUNE

It's that time of year again!!! National Sports Week as a whole school we will be celebrating an array of sports with workshops happening in every year group of the school throughout the week. Please can you send your child in their PE kit every day this week!



UNIFORM NOTICE

From September this year all children will be required to come to school in the new black and yellow uniform. To avoid any delays and stock issues we are asking parents to order uniform for their children in advance. If your child is going to need new uniform in September please can we ask you to ensure that you place your order as soon as possible. Orders need to be made on School Money by the end of June at the very latest so that we can ensure we are able to order enough stock to fulfil all the orders. Please contact the office if you have any queries.

LUNCHES

If your child would like to change their lunch choice from packed lunches to school dinners or vice versa please ensure you give the office 1 weeks notice.



SUMMER TIMETABLE

To view the Summer term timetable for Children's Centre activities, please click on the link below:
https://www.barnet.gov.uk/sites/default/files/Summer%20Timetable%202022_0.pdf



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MONEY SUPPORT & ADVICE

FACTS AND FIGURES



HELP AND ADVICE

- Recent years have seen a continuing rise in the number of people whose lives are impacted by debt and money concerns.
- Bills piling up or falling into debt are likely to harm wellbeing. This stress could lead to sleep problems, low mood and possibly even physical illness.
- It is possible for you to take control of your finances – budgeting and planning can help. If you can't manage, get advice. There's plenty of support available locally.
- You can claim Universal Credit to top up your wages if you are on a low income as well as providing help if you are out of work. It can also help with housing costs. This can be done over the phone if you are unable to use a computer.
- If you are looking for work, why not try out a benefit calculator to test how much you could be entitled to in different scenarios.
- You can still receive other benefits on top of Universal Credit for example PIP or Council Tax Support.
- It is always better to raise money issues early to avoid further issues in the future.
- Try to find ways to make your money go further for example furniture recycling centres, one off grants and foodbanks.

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LOCAL SERVICES AND ONLINE SUPPORT

Service	Type	Description	Details
BOOST	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Face-to-face Phone Online 	Council's first point of contact for employment, financial and wellbeing help for local people. Welfare Benefit Advisers, discretionary housing payments, and housing advice	<p>Phone: 0208 359 2442</p> <p>Complete web referral: www.boostbarnet.org.</p>
Barnet council tax, benefit and grant advice	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Online 	Advice and applications for help with <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Council Tax Housing Benefits Disabled Facilities Grant 	<p>Website: https://www.barnet.gov.uk/benefits-grants-and-financial-advice/managing-your-money-and-benefits-advice</p>
Citizens Advice Barnet	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Face-to-face Phone Online 	Provides free and impartial advice on issues including benefits, money and housing.	<p>Barnet CAB Website: https://barnetcab.org.uk/get-advice/online-help/</p> <p>Helpline: 0808 250 5708 (Monday to Friday 9.30am – 4pm and until 7.30pm on Wednesdays)</p> <p>Limited drop in sessions: https://barnetcab.org.uk/get-advice/visit-us/</p>
Barnet Homes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Phone Online 	Welfare Benefit Advice services for Council tenants. Help with claims and appeals. Access help through your Housing Officer or Income Collection team referral.	<p>Phone: 020 8080 6587</p> <p>Website: https://thebarnetgroup.org/bh/contact-us/</p>
Discretionary Housing Payments	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Online Phone 	Additional payments to help with rent for those in need on Universal Credit or Housing Benefit. Claimants need to provide income and expenditure details and bank statements. Welfare Benefit Advisers at BOOST, Barnet Homes and Family Services can assist.	<p>Website: https://www.barnet.gov.uk/benefits-grants-and-financial-advice/housing-benefit/apply-discretionary-housing-payment</p> <p>Phone : 0208 359 2442</p>

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Turn2Us Grant Finder	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Online 	A single site that allows you to search for grants	Website: https://grants-search.turn2us.org.uk/
New Citizens Gateway – <i>previously Barnet Refugee Service</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Phone Online 	Previously Barnet Refugee Service. Advice for refugees and asylum seekers: Welfare Benefits, Housing, Health, Education, Employment, or Asylum & Immigration issues	Website: http://www.ncgateway.org.uk/ Email: advice@ncgateway.org.uk Phone: 07498464530
AGE UK Barnet	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Phone Online 	Later Life Planning Service - free and confidential information and advice on welfare and benefits, housing or support services as well as how to keep healthy and active.	Website: https://www.ageuk.org.uk/barnet/our-services/information-and-advice/make-an-appointment/ Phone: 020 8432 1417 Email: info@ageukbarnet.org.uk
Social Prescribing Link Workers – GP referral	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Phone Online 	SP Link workers can connect you to local benefit advice services that support your needs as well as help with lots of other things.	Ask your GP to refer you
Moneyhelper	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Online 	Working out what benefits or tax credits you're entitled to can be tricky, especially with recent welfare changes. Find out where to get free expert advice online, face-to-face or by calling an advice helpline.	Website: https://www.moneyhelper.org.uk/en/benefits/problems-with-benefits/where-to-get-help-and-advice-about-benefits
London Capital Credit Union	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Phone Online 	The Credit Union is a not for profit savings and loans co-operative for Barnet residents dedicated to promoting saving rather than borrowing. It also provides low cost loans at times of need.	Website: https://www.credit-union.coop/ Phone: 020 7561 1786 Email: info@credit-union.coop
Christians Against Poverty <i>(only available in some locations)</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Phone Online 	Christians Against Poverty (CAP) provides free debt help and has a local Barnet presence. CAP also provide budgeting advice courses. Search your postcode on their website to find CAP near you.	Website: https://capuk.org/i-want-help/our-services/cap-debt-help/introduction Phone: 0800 328 0006

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MUSIC TUITION

Any budding musicians out there?

Please book your child's online music lessons through BEAT directly, for drums, guitar and piano lessons.

The Autumn term 2022 is now open for booking, so if your child is interested in learning or wishes to continue with lessons please click on the link below as soon as possible.

Parents can enrol and pay for lessons directly by following this link <https://beatrust.org.uk/enrol/school-based-instrumental-lessons/> There you will find details of the cost of lessons and the terms and conditions.

If you are in receipt of pupil premium parents can still receive a £50 discount off one instrument per child they enrol. Teachers can contact parents directly through the app.

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BEAT HALF TERM WORKSHOPS

TUESDAY 31 MAY 2022

TAIKO DRUMMING



KS2
10:00 - 11:00: £15

KS3
11:30 - 12:30: £15

Teachers
13.30 - 14.30: £15

DJ-ING



KS3
10:00 - 11:00: £10

KS2
11:30 - 12:30: £10

KS2
13:00 - 14:00: £10

KS3
14:30 - 15:30: £10

FOUNDATION STAGE



Nursery & Reception
09:30 - 10:15: £5

Y1 & Y2
10:30 - 11:15: £5

BEGINNER - GRADE 3 MUSICIANS



Woodwind/brass/
string/ukulele
10:00 - 12:00: £10

COME & TRY AN INSTRUMENT



13:00 - 15:00: £10

VENUE
St Mary's & St John's School
Sunningfields Road
NW4 4JU

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MAKING YOUNG LIVES MUSICAL

EXTERNAL CLUBS AT UNDERHILL.

Woodys Football Fridays Yr1-6 –
www.woodyssportsacademy.com 07961437202

Yoga & Mindfulness – enquiries@lotusclouds.co.uk
or call Bansi on 07950 288075

High barnet School of Dance
– highbarnetschoolofdance@outlook.com

Express Yourself Drama – Kat – 07908638827

Early Bird Tennis – Luke - luke@lmbtennis.com



GROW

GROW Produce on sale
Drop in activities for kids
Farm tours
Bring your own picnic
And more!

FARM OPEN DAY!

Sunday 12th June
11am-3pm

GROW Farm, The Totteridge Academy, N20 8AZ
www.wearegrow.org / [wearegrow](http://wearegrow.org)



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Join the **GROW** veg box scheme!

Why join?

- Help to combat climate change.
- Did you know that food and farming are responsible for **35%!!** of global greenhouse gases?
- Protect wildlife by supporting sustainable farming practices.
- Eat healthy, tasty food and access veg you don't see in the supermarkets.
- Reduce your plastic waste.
- Support fairly paid jobs in the local area.
- Support GROW programmes and fight for food justice.
- Be a part of your local community.



How does it work?

- Select the size of veg box that you would like; small (3-4 items) or large (4-5 items).
- Prices start from just £4.75 a week. We operate an income based payment system which makes our veg affordable for all.
- Add weekly or monthly flower bunches.
- Pick up your veg from the farm every week during our pick up times. If you pick up on Thursdays, you can buy other seasonal treats at our stall and visit the GROW farm.
- To sign up or to find out more information, visit our website, wearegrow.org



GROW Farm at The Totteridge Academy,
Barnet Lane, N20 8AZ.

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