

# **Barnham Primary School**

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Successful Learners



Confident Individuals



Responsible Citizens

### **Barnham Pupils Shine**

Here we are in the second half of the summer term and before we know it, the summer holidays will be upon us. It's a busy few weeks ahead of the school and we're looking forward to seeing what the children achieve as they move towards the end of the year. I've been so pleased with the school this year. The children and staff team have been excellent and worked so hard, and the support of you, our families has been so supportive and so together we have been able to ensure another successful year. We'll continue to keep you updated as events near, but as always please do see any of the team if you have any questions.





**Our Mission:** For all our children to be the best that they can be.

# **Successful Learners**

Thanks for all of you who attended the Open House we held yesterday. It was great to be able to celebrate with you the work that the children have produced. I know that it's not always simple to be able to attend events like this during a working day, and so we appreciate how you adapt your routines to be able to attend.

As we look towards transition for next year there will be a whole school transition day on Wednesday 3rd July. This day is a chance for the children to experience time and activity in their class for 2024-2025. On the day, we'll also send emails out explaining who the class teacher and support staff will be leading each class.

#### **Confident Individuals**

**Sports Day** - Friday 7th June. Classes of Mr Parkin, Mrs Stanway, Mrs Mitchell and Mrs Butters/ Mrs Osbourne will be from 9.10 to 10.20; classes of Mrs Brigden, Mrs Jaggar and Miss Stewart will be from 10.45 to 11.55; and classes of Mrs Clark, Mr Collins and Mrs McAuley will be from 1.10 to 2.50. Please see the email sent out at the beginning of the week which contains more information.

#### **Responsible Citizens**

On the afternoon of the 22nd May we held our second Big Help Out afternoon. All children took part in a variety of different activities that contributed to the school community, ranging from creating on-line safety posters, to weeding the school site, to reorganising resource cupboards. It was a great experience and the children enjoyed taking some time to support their school community.

We also held that week our Summer Fair and we just wanted to say thank you for making it such a fantastic event. It was so much fun and your generosity was overwhelming. We have managed to raise £2655, which is a extraordinary amount and we are so grateful. News about we will be using the funds will follow soon.

## Travelling to and from school

Can I remind you that Elm Grove and Oriel Close are private roads and shouldn't be used for parking. Can I also ask that we continue to have positive relationships with our neighbours as we park and drive around the local area. It really does make a difference.

#### <u>Safeguarding</u>

We just wanted to remind you of the Designated Safeguarding Leads here at BPS in case you ever needed to raise any worries or concerns you may have. The DSLs are Mr Draper, Mrs Scott, Mrs Schofield and myself. You can reach out by seeing us face to face, emailing the office, emailing me at head@barnhamprimaryschool.co.uk or using the contact page on our website. Our Trustee Safeguarding lead is Martin Emmett and he can be reached using the following email address trusteesclerk@barnhamprimaryschool.co.uk

#### **Staffing Update**

I just wanted to update you that just before the half term break, we said a sad farewell to Mrs Huin-Wah, who has moved into a different career pathway which has begun this week. We wish Claire all the very best for the future and wanted to thank her for all her hard work and support over the past years.