

# **Barnes Farm Junior School**







# NEWSLETTE

Current Attendance: 97.5%

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No 21 February 9th 2017



Star of the Week Hall of Fame

Friday 3rd February 2017



6C William Wilson

Callum Roche 65 Sana Sooknah 5M

Ella Hale 5V

Lauren Illinesi 5C

4P Jayden Reed

45 Alex Wallington

4CK Charlie Chandler

Grace Mckenna 3S 3HM Hannah Sims

3B Ryan Reed

Mid-day Evie Roast

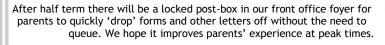
#### Headteacher's Holiday Homework

Please see the accompanying email for details of how to take part in this regular half termly challenge.

## Tree Planting Day- At least 12 Volunteers needed

We have been successful in receiving 420 young trees from the Woodland Trust to plant along part of our perimeter fencing on the school site on Monday 13th March. Can you help us to dig them in? We will provide some expertise and tea—can you bring along enthusiasm and a spade (if possible)? Please sign up at the office to take part.

#### **Quick Drop Post-Box**



#### **Dangerous Driving**

There have been two worrying incidents this week of cars mounting the kerb in order to park very close to where children are walking. Please arrive in good time to park safely so that our children remain unharmed in and around MIGGINA school. No more 'near misses' please.

# **Key Dates**

Fri 10th Feb Non-Pupil day 4

Tues 21st + Thurs 23rd Feb Parent Consultations + No Clubs all week

Wed 22nd Feb Parent Voice 9am in the Barn

Thurs 23rd Feb 5C Class Assembly—9:10am

Friday 24th Feb Home Learning Open Afternoon 3pm in rooms

Thurs 2nd Mar World Book Day—Heroes + Villains theme

Fri 3rd Mar Bag2School collection in aid of Friends of Barnes Farm Schools PTA fundraising (bags will be issued after half term)

Thurs 9th Mar 4S Class Assembly—9:10am

Fri 10th Mar Farleigh Hospice Virtual Balloon race begins 10:30am

Mon 13th Mar Tree Planting day—volunteers needed!

Thurs 16th Mar 3B Class Assembly—9:10am

Fri 31st Mar End of Spring Term

3rd/4th/5th April Y6 Easter Booster School

Non-Pupil Dates for 2017-2018

Monday 4th September 2017 Monday 30th October 2017

Tuesday 2nd January 2018 Monday 19th February 2018

Friday 25th May 2018

## World Book Day 2017

This year's World Book Day is on Thursday 2nd March and we will be observing it in the usual way by inviting pupils and staff to dress up as a favourite book character. Our school theme for costumes this

year will be 'Heroes and Villains' and we hope this gives you plenty of scope for making an appropriate and feasible choice of character from a book.



#### **School Uniform Expectations**

Our pupils are proud to be identified with Barnes Farm Junior School and our uniform is an important way of showing we belong to the school. It also helps foster a sense of community, enables everyone to be visibly seen as equal and has a part to play in instilling a work-ready attitude and behaviour. We would like to take this



opportunity to remind parents and pupils of our expectations regarding

uniform so that everyone is ready to return after the halfterm break equipped with the correct items of clothing. We also want to signal that all staff will be checking that our high standards are being met and reminding parents and pupils if necessary. Please ensure you refer to the uniform expectations as laid out in the guidelines emailed out today, which can also be found on our website.



# farleigh hospice A reminder that the Virtual Balloon

### Virtual Balloon Race

race, a fundraising initiative in support of this wonderful Charity, is

starting on Friday 10th March and sign-up is already open. Details have been emailed and are on the school website in 'News'.



