

Fawbert & Barnard's Newsletter

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Welcome to our latest newsletter.

ACHIEVEMENTS

Attendance

Please see below our class of the week attendance awards which are celebrated each Friday during our celebration assemblies. The winners were:

Date	Class	Attendance
11 July 2024	Y2	98.33%
↓ 4 July 2024	2 & 5	99.33%

Our House token winners for the term were Gibberd. These will be celebrating with an activity afternoon session on Wednesday 17 July 2024. The children from this House will need trainers for this event and if wearing a skirt or dress to bring in shorts to wear too.

TT Rockstars & Numbots

We also celebrate achievements in TT Rockstars and Numbots. The winners were:

Date	Class TT Rockstars	Individual TT Rockstars	Class Numbots	Individual Numbots
12 July 2024	Year 4	Robyn (Y4)	Year 1	Oliver (Y2)
5 July 2024	Year 3	Conor (Y5)	Year 1	Thenaya (Y2)

Tany's Dell are now in receipt of the TMAT TT Rockstars trophy.

SCHOOL UPDATES

Circus Day

We had a fun filled day on Tuesday 9 July 2024 when we hosted a Circus Skills workshop which surprised the children. Staff came to school dressed as circus characters to start the day. Children then attended a whole school assembly to launch the event and were shown various activities. Throughout the day, the children experienced different circus skills around the school including juggling, plate spinning, balancing, hoopla hoops and many more before finishing with another whole school assembly to demonstrate what they had learnt.



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School Choir

Our choir performed at the Moot House on Saturday 6 July 2024 to take part in a festival of song alongside other singers including, Harlow U3A, Livewire, CM singers and Voices of Harlow.



They also attended the Maybury Centre to perform to their residents on Thursday $11 \, \mathrm{July} \, 2024$.

A great time was had at both events. Thank you Ms Skeaping and everyone who took part.

School Reports

We are sending home your child's school report this evening. These will also include test results if your child has completed them. We would like to congratulate all the children and staff who have been involved with these. We have received fantastic Key Stage results across the school and has proved that everyone's hard work has accomplished this. Well done everyone, we are very proud of you all, A full list of these achievements are attached for your information.

FORTHCOMING EVENTS

We are now approaching the end of term and have a number of activities taking place that can be seen in the "Dates for your Diary" section.

Friends BBQ

Following with tradition, the Friends will be hosting their end of term BBQ on Thursday 18 July 2024 to celebrate the academic years' achievements. Raffle tickets have already been circulated for this and further books are available from the school office if required. Please return these to the school as soon as possible. There will also be a selection of tombola stalls available on the evening . If anyone is able to assist with setting up, running a stall or clearing away and can spare half-an-hour, please contact a member of the Friends or speak with your class ambassador. Your help will be very much appreciated.

We will be holding a PJ day in exchange for chocolate or alcohol items for these on Wednesday 17 July 2024. Items can be sent into school on the morning and placed in the boxes in the main playgrounds for the Friends. Normal non-uniform rules apply for this day—no jewellery and sensible hair, PJs and footwear.

REMINDERS

Calendar

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Website
Our website now has a facility where if you subscribe to the calendar, all our events will automatically be recorded in your personal calendars on your phones or tablets.

Breakfast Club

Our breakfast club is growing strong and the children are enjoying their morning activities and breakfast with us. Spaces are available for all days and can be regular attendees or one-offs if needed. Please collect a registration form from the school office if needed and provide us with at least 24 hours notice of your requirements.

Smoking/Vaping

We would like to remind you that smoking or vaping is not permitted anywhere on the school premises or on the footpath whilst waiting for your children.

Car Park

Please note that our car park is for staff and school visitors only. There are public car parks around the vicinity and a disused garage area within Chippingfield that parents should use when dropping of and collecting their children at any time of the school day.

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Lost Property

Please do take a look at our overfilled basket of lost property. If items are labeled we would be able to return these the correct pupils. We will be reminding pupils in assembly to remember to pick up items that are taken off during lunch breaks. Please help yourself to anything required. Any unclaimed items will be taken to the Uniform Exchange for their pre-loved collection at the end of term.

SEPTEMBER 2024

PE Kits

We will continue to wear PE kits to school on our PE days (Mondays & Fridays). We have finished the phased-out stage of the House colour t-shirts and these will not be part of the PE kit from September. The PE Kits consists of:

- Navy shorts
- White polo shirts optional with logo
- Navy jogging bottoms and sweatshirt (no hood) or
- Navy tracksuit (no hood) with school logo optional
- Plimsolls or trainers (for outside activities)

Further information can be found on our website page.

Earrings

No jewellery is permitted during the school day. It is not necessary and is easily lost or broken, causing distress or possible injury. So please, no earrings, studs, rings, signet rings or chains. Any child entering school with jewellery of any kind will be asked to remove it. The piercing of ears should be scheduled for the beginning of the summer holidays to enable them to heal in time, so they can be removed before returning in September. Please note that nail varnish is also not permitted during the school day.

Children are permitted to wear a simple watch that only tell time and do not distract the child/other children from their learning during the day, but this needs to be removed for PE lessons and is the child's responsibility to store it safely in their bag.

Summer Uniform reminder

A reminder that school shorts should be grey or navy blue. Below are other summer uniform items that are permitted:

Light blue school dress, checked or stripped

Jumpsuits in light blue can be worn, but pupils must be able to remove them, unaided Grey or Navy school shorts

During the hot weather we may reduce the time outside at lunch. Please ensure you provide your child with their water bottle which can be refilled during the day, along with a hat. Suncream can be applied in the morning before coming to school and could be topped up by the child if necessary before lunch.

Classteacher Meetings

Please see the "dates for your diary" section for details of September 2024 classteacher meets. This will be an opportunity to come and meet the classteacher and hear the class expectations along with learning and activities taking place throughout the new academic year. The Year 6 meeting will also discuss their forthcoming residential final preparations.

COMMUNITY EVENTS

There are lots of activities taking place in and around Harlow along with adult training events through ACL. Take a look at our website <u>community</u> page for things to do over the summer break. Other events include the Reading Challenge through Essex County Libraries along with information from our Children & Young Persons Officer. This page is constantly being updated as we are notified of events taking place.

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DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Date	Event
15 July 2024	Rocksteady Performance (9:15): for parents whose children attend
16 July 2024	Y6 Performance (18:00) - Y6 parents only (No children under 11) - F&B pupils will see a dress rehearsal
17 July 2024	Non-uniform PJ day in exchange for chocolate or alcohol items for the BBQ event—sensible hair, PJs, footwear and no jewellery apply
18 July 2024	Friends end of term BBQ in the meadow (17:30)
19 July 2024	Class Parties picnic on field (13:30) - Parents invited to join from 14:30
23 July 2024	Year 6 Leavers' assembly (9:00) Y6 parents invited (maximum 2 per family) School finishes at 13:30
24 July—30 August 2024	Summer Holidays
SEPTEMBER 2024	
2 & 3 September 2024	INSET Days—School closed to pupils'
4 September 2024	Pupils' return to school
6 September 2024	Year 6 Classteacher meeting & PGL residential information (9:00)
9 September 2024	Year 5 Classteacher meeting (9:00) Year 4 Classteacher meeting (14:45)
10 September 2024	Year 3 Classteacher meeting (14:45)
11 September 2024	Year 2 Classteacher meeting (9:00) Year 1 Classteacher meeting (14:45)
25 September 2024	EYFS Classteacher meeting (9:00)



Whole school	21/22	22/23	23/24	
Attendance	94.4%	96.3%	96.1% 94.3%	
FFT National	NA	93.8%		
PA	11.67%	3.3%	5.1%	
National	24.9%	22.3%	20.1%	

EYFS	21/22	22/23	23/24
EYFS GLD	65.5%	70%	73%
National	65%	67%	

KS1	21/22	22/23	23/24	
Phonics Year 1	45%	90%	83%	
Phonics Year 2	89%	93%	93%	
National	75%	79%		

Year 4	21/22	22/23	23/24
MTC 25/25	55%	73%	63%
MTC 20/25+	81%	85%	93%
National 25/25	27%	29%	

Year 6	21/22	22/23	National	23/24	National
Reading	63%	86%	73%	87%	74%
Reading GDS	13%	34%	29%	21%	
Writing	53%	83%	71%	80%	73%
Writing GDS	3%	17%	13%	27%	
Maths	53%	83%	73%	87%	72%
Maths GDS	10%	38%	24%	10%	
Combined	37%	66%	59%	77%	61%
Combined GDS	3%	14%	8%	3%	
GPS		86%	72%	83%	72%
GPS GDS		31%	30%	23%	