

# Team Bartons



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This week, we saw Ash and Chestnut class present their class assemblies. Ash class shared their amazing facts about Henry the Eighth and their drama pieces from Shakespeare. The children had real confidence and clearly have enjoyed their learning this term. Today, Chestnut class showed us how confident they are and shared their learning about The Fire of London and the Titanic. Again, some children read aloud their diary entries so well and I was really pleased to hear such good quality writing. Well done all of you. It is always lovely to see just how well you are doing.

## Year 2 Trip to the Titanic Museum

On Wednesday, Chestnut Class visited the Titanic Museum in Southampton. They were really excited having been learning about the story as part of their topic this term. The children were extremely well behaved and interested and Mrs Stone was delighted with their response to the day. Well done children; I'm so glad that you enjoyed your day.

## Year 1 Trip to Amberley Museum

On Thursday, Beech class visited Amberley outdoor Museum. They spent the day exploring the different areas and really enjoyed the trip. Yet again, the reports from Mrs Morris and the other adult helpers was that the children had shown exemplary behaviour throughout the day and had absorbed every bit of learning on the day first hand. Well done Beech class; it is great to hear that you enjoyed the day so much.

## KS2 Summer Production

I am sorry to have to let you know that we are going to have to change one of the evening performance dates. It has come to light that one of the secondary schools are holding a transition day for prospective pupils on the same evening. We were not informed of this date and so have no choice but to change our date. The performances will now be **Tuesday 2nd July at 2pm and 6pm**, followed by **Thursday 4th July at 6pm**. We are sorry if this has caused any inconvenience; it was out of our control.

## FAB Netball and Football Tournament

Two weeks ago the netball and football teams took part in the annual FAB (Felpham and Bognor) netball and football tournaments. The teams were raring to go and played a series of games in two groups. Our teams were made up of Year 5 and 6 children but were ably supported by some talented younger children too - Well done Ollie, Hugo and Alice! During the games Mr Starr and Miss Chandler were really impressed how the children behaved and sensibly organised themselves when required. Miss Chandler was particularly impressed with the B team for netball who had a lot of very new players and who really went for it and never gave up. This was reflected in final placings where they finished in 2nd place. The other teams finished mid table and we were all really proud of them. Well done everyone: Go Team Bartons!

## Comic Relief - Red Nose Day

Thank you to everyone who supported Red Nose day last week. We had great fun on the day and our final total of donations was £223.59. Thank you as ever for supporting this great cause.

## The Big Sing

Well done to Year 3 who took part in The Big Sing last week at The Regis. This is a singing festival and all of the locality schools take part. Thank you to Mrs Lewis who went with the children that day whilst Miss Cook was unable to. She reported that the children sang their hearts out and really enjoyed being with the other children.

## Uniform

Please can I remind all parents that children must wear the correct uniform to school. I have noticed recently that many children are wearing trainers. Trainers are not allowed and so please ensure that your child is wearing sensible and suitable footwear. I must also remind parents that long hair must be tied up and must not be worn loose to school. As well as looking smart and tidy, this allows the children to work properly without hair being in the way as a distraction. It is also very necessary for safety in P.E and ensures that head lice isn't spread. Thank you for your support on this matter.

## Diary Date Reminders...

**MARCH** 20th - 25th: Book fair in school.

**APRIL** 4th: Easter Egg Hunt

5th: Easter Egg Raffle draw and End of Term  
23rd: Back to School

**MAY:** 9th Class Photograph Day

*Have a great weekend! Have fun. Kate Powell*