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BIRKLANDS
PRIMARY SCHOOL

Happening this week

Monday 1st May
Bank Holiday

Tuesday 2nd May
Phonics Club 3-4pm
Choir Club 3-4pm
Y6 English Booster 3-4pm

Wednesday 3rd May
Lego Club – lunch time
Year 5 visit to Tesco

Thursday 4th May
Newspaper Club 3-4pm
Year 6 Maths Club 3-4pm

Friday 5th May
Year 4 to Warsop Library
Corporal Butcher after school
club 3-4pm

PE Days

Reception – Monday
Year 1 - Weds & Thurs
Year 2 – Mon & Weds
Year 3 – Thurs & Fri
Year 4 – Mon & Fri
Year 5 – Thurs & Fri
Year 6 – Weds & Fri

Year 6 Notices

As you are all aware, SATs for our Year 6 children will be taking place next week. The children and staff have all been working really hard to ensure that our Year 6s are well prepared for the week ahead. Please ensure that your children are at school on time and have had plenty of rest – no late nights please!



We will be running a special breakfast club for Year 6s who will be able to come into school from 8.30am and enjoy bacon or sausage sandwiches to set them up for the day!

PGL

If you haven't already paid for the PGL trip then this must be paid by Friday 12th May as the children will be going the following Wednesday.

Prom

Don't forget our school prom taking place on Saturday 15th July at The Oaklands Centre from 6-9pm. The cost of the prom is £5. If you still need to pay can you please bring the money into the school office as soon as possible. Thank you.



Year 5 Trip

The Topic in Year 5 for this half term is 'Where Does Our Food Come From?' In support of this they will be visiting Tesco New Ollerton on Wednesday 03/05/17, as part of their *Farm To Fork* program to find out about food sustainability.

We will leave school at 9.15am and arrive back at about 11.45am. As food tasting may form part of the activities, please could you let us know as soon as possible if your child has any food allergies?

Early Years Eligibility Checker

Is your child in our nursery? From September, you may be entitled to 30 hours free childcare. Please check our school website to find out if you qualify.

Family First Aid Course

This is being run in conjunction with West Notts College and will be taking place on the 20th & 21st June. The course will be run over two mornings and will be free of charge to all our parents and carers. More details to follow nearer the time.

More Important News



Stars of the week ending 28th April were:

Reception – Chloe Caldwell & Francis Costache
Year 1 – Kallisse Kennelly & Billie Alvey
Year 2 – Dylan Blockley & Elliemay Clarke
Year 3 – William Evans & Cameron Watson
Year 4 – Marshall Cannon & Callum Wardle
Year 5 – Kelsee Coppin & Curtis Hartley
Year 6 – Keighley Geering & Logan Rayner1

The best behaved classes last week were the Siskins in Year 4 and the Goldcrests in Year 6 – well done everyone

We would love you to...

Join us for Maths games on a Tuesday morning from 8.30am.

Reading every Thursday morning from 8.30am.

CHILDREN WILL RECEIVE A TEAM POINT EVERY TIME THEY ATTEND!!

Breakfast Club is held on a daily basis from 8.00am to 8.30am at a cost of £1.20



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Attendance

Attendance last week at 94.59% was terrible! In fact we have only had one week with poorer attendance all year. Even our class with the best attendance, the Jays in Year 1 only managed 97.93%.

As we enter this period of testing and assessment it is even more important that your child attends school regularly and on time.

Please remember that children can come to school with minor illnesses such as headaches and coughs/colds – we will look after them! If your child is going to be absent from school, please let the school office know as soon as possible and before 9am. A lot of children are coming into school late. Please remember that school starts at 8.45am.

We are currently working with Meden's Attendance Officer who will be making home visits if we do not have a valid reason for your child's absence.