



# NEWS FROM The Park

Week 35 29/6/2023

## **Message from Miss Wheeler**

Time is whizzing by and we are all making the most of the final few weeks of the summer term. Year 3 had a very exciting time this afternoon hosting the Farmers Market. Over the past few weeks, they have been busy gardening, cooking and learning all about farm to fork. Next week, they have their final cooking session, resulting in a special feast!

Nursery had an amazing afternoon when the bug man came to visit. He brought different types of minibeasts with him. We were all so proud of our children who were outstanding and shared so much knowledge.

A big thank you to the PTA for funding this amazing experience.

Have a wonderful weekend!

## **Government Proposed Free School Meals**

Further to last week's newsletter please take a few minutes to complete the survey by clicking the link below.

<https://forms.gle/hKbhWP4hboB3UKC1A>

The deadline for completing the survey is Friday 30th June (tomorrow).

## **Fun Run**

On Friday 9th July, our Brunswick Park students took on the Fun Run course. In hot sunny conditions, the students showed physical and mental strength to take on the course and complete the challenge. Whether they were pushing themselves to achieve a personal goal, taking in the surroundings and experience or supporting their friends through the route, every single child completed their race and crossed the finish line beaming with pride.

As part of this challenge we also offered the opportunity to fundraise with 75% of money going to Noah's Ark Children's Hospice and 25% back into school sport. The generosity and efforts of our children have astounded us all raising an amazing **£960**. We want to share a thanks to everyone for your contributions and playing your part in a memorable event for the children.

## **Ready, Set, Read! Summer Reading Challenge 2023**

### **The Summer Reading Challenge is back!**

The Reading Agency and Barnet Libraries, in collaboration with the Youth Sport Trust, are excited to introduce Ready, Set, Read!

This year, the reading challenge is celebrating sport, play, and physical activity through reading.

Ready, Set, Read! encourages children to discover the world of sports and play all around them.

Join the superstar team and discover the excitement of reading.

Children aged 4 to 12 can sign up at any Barnet library from **Saturday 8 July** and throughout the summer holidays.

Children will need to borrow and read 6 books from the library to participate in the challenge. Every book they read will take them to the next level on their way to becoming a reading champion! 7

Reading eBooks via the [Libby appExternal link](#) or listening to eAudiobooks on the [BorrowBoxExternal link](#) app also counts towards the challenge.

During summer break, children will be able to collect stickers and rewards whilst on their reading journey at any Barnet Library.

When they reach the finish line, they will receive a special certificate and a winner's medal.

We would also love to celebrate everyone's success here at Brunswick Park so please bring in your certificates and medals to share with us.

More details can be found at your local Barnet Library or at the Official Summer Reading Challenge website - <https://summerreadingchallenge.org.uk/>

Happy Reading!

### **Brunswick's Extreme Reading Challenge**

We would also like to introduce our own reading challenge for the summer – Brunswick's Extreme Reading.

Reading books does not need electricity! We can read them anywhere and everywhere!

We are inviting you all – pupils, parents and staff – to take part in the Extreme Read.

Think about all the different, exciting, fun and SAFE places you can enjoy a book.

Take a picture, print it, place your name and class on the back and hand it in to your class teacher in September.

All entries will be displayed in the library or in your classroom and one lucky pupil from each class will win a prize.

The closing date is Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> September.

Many thanks for your continued support.

Have Fun Extreme Reading!

### **School Uniform**

Please be reminded that children should wear correct uniform at all times. Hair should be tied back. No sandals. No jewellery apart from a watch (no smart watches) and stud earrings only. This is to keep children safe from injury and we thank you for your understanding.

### **After School Club**

If your child is in After School Club and you need to contact them, the telephone number is: **07880 197314.**

### **Dates for the Diary**

Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> July – PTA Coffee Morning in the Parent Hub 9-10am

Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> July - KS1 Sports Day - am

Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> June – Year 5 Greek Day

Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> June- Year 3 Fruit and Veg Sale

Friday 30<sup>th</sup> June - Inset Day- School Closed

Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> July- Year 6 Show 1.30pm

Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> July – Industrial Action- School closed

Friday 7<sup>th</sup> July – Industrial Action- School closed

Monday 10<sup>th</sup> July - Y5H Trip to the British Museum

Monday 10<sup>th</sup> July – Year 1 to RAF Museum

Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> July – Year 4 Music Concert 9.15am

Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> July – 5C to British Museum

Friday 14<sup>th</sup> July - KS2 Sport Day - am

Monday 17<sup>th</sup> July – Year 6 to Southend

Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> July – Year 6 Graduation Evening 5.30pm

Friday 21<sup>st</sup> July – Leavers Assembly - 6K- 9.15am. 6H -10.30am

### **Attendance and Punctuality**

Congratulations to 2F who won the best attendance award (98.66%) in the last week. The best punctuality goes RS. No one was late for school in RS this week. Well done.