



Red Barn News – Spring Term 2017

BOOK FAIR

The Book Fair will be arriving in school on **Thursday 9th March**. Children will have the opportunity to look around the fair during school time and there will also be opportunities for parents to visit after school on **Friday 10th March** and **Monday 13th March**.

WORLD BOOK DAY

Thursday 2nd March is World Book Day and to celebrate there will be a non- school uniform day. You have the opportunity to dress up as a book character for the day. The children will all receive a £1 book token to spend on their chosen books. There will be book prizes.

SCHOOL DINNERS

A small increase in the price of a school meal has been agreed by Hampshire County Council to come into effect on **1 April 2017** to meet the rising costs of providing school meals. The **5p** increase takes the cost per meal to **£2.15**.

Please can you ensure all dinners are now paid for at the beginning of each week or on the day one is taken. If a meal is not taken the payment will roll over until a meal is taken.
Many thanks.

FRUIT KEBAB SALE

Well done to year 2 for making some wonderful fruit kebabs for the rest of the school to purchase.
Thank you all for supporting this and raising £87.25 for the charity **SHELTER**.



Can you help us find our homes?



JRSO

A big thank you to our JRSO team, Emilia, Charley, Elita, William, Katie, Emma and Millie who organised the JRSO day in raising funds for the charity 'Brake'
We thank you all for supporting this event.

FORB FUN NIGHTS

Thank you to all the children who supported FORB in the Fun Nights. We hope you all had a great time.

SPORTING EVENTS

This half term saw some of our Year 3 and 4 children take part in a Benchball Festival held at Fareham College. They all had a fantastic time.
Eight of our Year 4 children also attended a Gymnastic Festival where we came an outstanding 1st!
Well done to Benjamin, Jack J, Sean, Rhiannon, Mae, Lailah, Keira and Lenny.
The whole school also took part in a New Age Kurling tournament held here at Red Barn Primary School! They all showed the learning values: 'team work' and 'creativity'. All the children had a great time and it gave them all an opportunity to advance their PE skills. The scores were extremely close - 250 and 300. Well done Red Barn!

Red Barn has a School Governor Vacancy. If you are interested in being A Governor at our school, then don't hesitate to ask for the appropriate application forms from the school office.
Closing date is 27 February 2017 at 4pm.

GENTLE REMINDERS

- Please can you make sure all school uniform, coats and PE kits are named.
- Your child's full PE kit must be in school at the beginning of every term in readiness for their lessons.
- Our staff are on playground duty before school from **8.40am** for your child's safety, **so please ensure that they arrive onto the playground from this time only.**

TRIPS

- We have already had a few trips out this half term.
- Year 4 went to Winchester Cathedral followed by the Kings Theatre.
 - Year 2 visited Pizza Express and made their own pizzas.
 - Year 1 classes visited Tesco and had a 'Farm to Fork' workshop.
 - Year 5 visited the D-Day Museum in Southsea as part of their topic on 'War'.

WELCOME ON BOARD THE RED BARN BUS

to our new LSAs Mrs K Riddell and Mrs S Cloherty.



Wishing you all a lovely half term holiday!

