



St Bartholomew's CE Primary School

7th July 2015

News in School

Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcoming New Members of Staff

I am delighted to welcome Mrs Rachel Cross to the school. She is our new Finance Manager and she will be working with Mrs Waine in the main office to ensure that things run smoothly. She will be working with us on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday and I'm sure you will all get to know her very quickly.

I hope to be able to finalise the appointment of Mrs Carne's replacement in the very near future and expect that they will be joining us at next week's change over day, to meet their new class.

A Massive Thank You

Please accept my sincerest thanks to everyone who supported this year's summer fair. Once again it was a fabulous afternoon and the weather was just perfect for everyone to enjoy the fun. A range of stalls provided refreshments and games, so lots of fun for all the family. Your generosity toward PTFA fundraising events is always very high, so it is no surprise that the amount raised has already exceeded £1000, with some monies still outstanding. This is brilliant news and I will be working closely with the PTFA and the school council to investigate investment of the funds into additional outdoor equipment.

Sports Day

Another remarkable event and closely fought by the teams. Thank you to everyone who attended on the day and especially those adults who took part. The cream teas provided by the PTFA were a very welcome treat after what was a very 'hot and tiring' event. Thank you to everyone who supported the PTFA, the event raised £45 with used uniform raising a further £9.

End of Year Reports

End of year reports will be issued on Friday. Please ensure that you check your child's book bag on Friday. The introduction of the New National Curriculum has necessitated a number of changes to the reports. I have enclosed an explanation of the changes but please do not hesitate to contact your child's class teacher if you have any further questions about the changes.

Home Reading Books and Library Books

Home reading books will start to be collected in next week, WC 13th July. We would be very grateful if you could review your book shelves and cupboards for any school books your child might have brought home over the year, including home readers and school library books. It is essential that all books are returned to school ahead of the school holidays so that we can audit our reading resources. We do rely on these resources being returned, in order to prevent unnecessary replacement costs being incurred so your assistance with this matter would be very much appreciated.

As always please do not hesitate to contact us if you need any further information about the content of this letter or any other matters relating to the schools operations.

Yours sincerely,

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