

INSET DAYS

Mon 10th July
(Confirmed)

Summer Term

Half Term:

29th May -2nd June

End of Term

25th July

Summer Fair 16th June

Summer Concert

3rd & 4th July

Sports Day

KS1 12th July

KS2 13th July



Congratulations!

We would like to offer our heartfelt congratulations to Mrs Powell who has been successfully appointed as Deputy Head at Bartons Primary School in Bognor. She will take up her new position in September.

We are pleased to inform you that Mrs Geary will become our new SENCO from the beginning of the autumn term. In the meantime, she will work closely with Mrs Powell to ensure a smooth transition.

On behalf of all the staff, children and governors I would like to thank Mrs Powell for her most valuable service to our school, both as a teacher and as our SENCO.

Whilst we will miss Mrs Powell, I know you will join me in wishing her the very best for this new and exciting promotion. Good luck Mrs Powell!

Sports Competition

On Wednesday and Thursday, all the children took part in an exciting intra- sports challenge. The events were organised by Mrs Carter and Sean O'Connor, our School Sports Partner , following consultation with our Sports Captains; Head Boy and Head Girl; Deputy Head Boy and Girl.

The children all had a great time as you can see from the article written by our Year 6 reporters, Grace Relf and Peter Blanks.



Make £10 Grow

Miss Lewis's and Miss Goldsmith's classes raised £66.12 and £72.63 through their amazing cake sales.

Miss Cooke's class raised £66.71 by selling ice-creams.

Well done everyone!

Arts Week

We are looking forward to our Arts Week after half-term.

We are very excited to be welcoming an Artist in Residence who will be helping children to create a mural for the school.

Teachers and LSAs are offering an amazing array of work-shops which I am sure the children will find very enjoyable.



Some of the activities may prove to be a little

messy so we would ask all the children to bring in an over-sized T-shirt or shirt which they can wear over their uniform during these sessions.

We would also be grateful for old newspapers, boxes and clean, empty food/drink cans (please—no sharp edges) that we could use for junk-modelling.

Thank you!

Swimming

Swimming begins the week beginning 5th June. Please ensure your child has appropriate swim wear, towel and a swim hat.



Boys: Swim shorts (not too long or baggy)

Girls: a one piece suit (no bikinis or tankinis).

Hats are available from the school office (£1.50).

Donations / help

With our Summer Concert in the early stages of production we would like to put out a request for any **spare material** of the following colours:

green, brown, faux fur and blue metallic fabric of any size shape or shade would be **most** welcome. Thank you!

Gardening

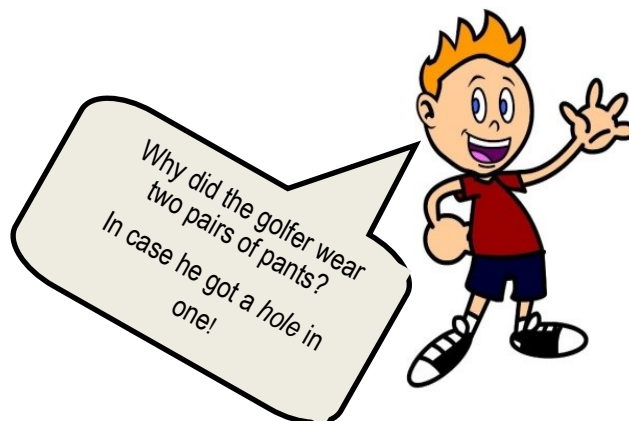
Calling all green-fingered parents! Mrs Head would like to request help with her Veggie patch for the School gardening club. The winter has impacted the ground and we would really appreciate adult green-fingered helpers to assist with digging over the veggie patch any lunchtime after half-term

This will enable the children to plant the summer vegetables.

Please contact the school office if you can help.

SPORTS COMPETITION 2017

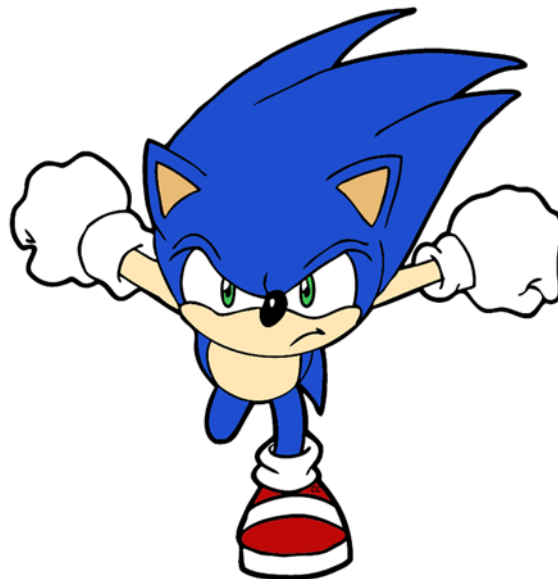
On the 24th & 25th of May 2017, a group of P.E specialists joined us in 2 mornings of fun and exhausting sporting activities. Wednesday the 24th was ks1's turn to compete in the **Olympics** (oh alright, *P.E Session*).



THEN IT WAS KS2'S TURN...

Ks2 walked out onto the field, sorted into 10 teams that were named after countries. The countries were: Guatemala, Malaysia, Brazil, Cameroon, Congo, Indonesia, Honduras, Madagascar, Australia and Bolivia. Excited to find out what they were doing, they sorted themselves into their teams and started on their first station. There was a great variety of activities;

- Football (dribbling)** 
- Hockey (dribbling)** 
- Javelin** 
- Shot-put** 
- Tennis** 
- Basketball** 
- Volleyball** 
- Sprinting/Relay/Hurdles** 
- Long-jump** 



We all loved our sports comp – our favourites were football, sprinting, long-jump and hockey. What were yours?