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Pre-entrant Programme

Thank you to those who came along to our uniform shop and blazer fittings on Thursday 2nd May. Thanks to the input from our Uniform Committee who work tirelessly to help ensure the highest standards for our pupils here at Bearsden Primary School. Preentrant pupils will spend the afternoon on Thursday 6th June from 1.30pm—2.30pm with their classmates and meet our current P1 teachers. There will be a uniform shop during this session. They will have another visit on Thursday 14th June from 11am till 12 noon where they will have a visit to the canteen. Gilmours the uniform supplier will be in on 13th June from 11am—12.30pm for anyone who missed the opportunity of purchasing a blazer last time. The cost of the blazers are £74.95.

Our Fundraising Group will also be providing a 'Tea and Tissues' service on the P1's first day in our gym hall and we look forward to welcoming all of our new pupils and their parents on Thursday 15th August @ 9.30am.

Pupil Reports

Pupil Summative Reports will be sent home to parents on **Friday 7th June**. Included in the report envelope will be a feedback form. This form will be for you to provide feedback specific to your child's learning and will include a section for the pupil to comment on their own progress this session. Please take this opportunity to discuss your child's report with them.



End of Term Arrangements

Please remember that school closes for the summer holidays on **Thursday 27th June at 1pm**. The canteen has advised us that there will only be cheese toasties and chicken burgers available for anyone who requires a school lunch on the last day of term. A letter will be sent home shortly for you to complete and return if you wish your child to have school lunch that day.

School will return on *Thursday 15th August* at 9am for P2-7 and 9.30am for P1 on the first day.

Primary Secondary Liaison

P7 pupils who are transferring to Bearsden Academy will be attending the Academy on 13th & 14th June. Pupils are to make their own way to and from the Academy on these days. Numerous other events and opportunities have been organised by Bearsden Academy for pupils and parents, to ensure the smoothest possible transition for all pupils.

End of Term Service

Our summer service will take place in Bearsden Cross Church on Wednesday 26th June at 9.30am. All friends and relatives are welcome to attend. Our charitable collection will be for Down's Syndrome Scotland.

Musical Concert

We will be celebrating the musical talents of our pupils in a concert on Tuesday 25th June at 1.30pm. This is for parents and friends of children receiving musical tuition in school and also pupils who receive private tuition.



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Fundraising Group News

Remember our Summer Fair is on Friday 7th June from 6.30pm-9pm.We are having a non uniform day on Tuesday 4th June 2019 for donations for the fair. Please send in donations of unwanted, unused gifts, bottles of wine, spirits, toys, toiletry sets, boxes of chocolates etc. These donations will then be used for gift sets and prizes. Please note should you choose to donate alcohol we would be very grateful if you could hand it into the office.

We very much appreciate the efforts of the Fundraising Group and the support of each and every parent is paramount to their success. This provides our pupils with an enhanced experience at school that would otherwise not be possible.

Contact details: The Fundraising Group: via the school office.

Uniform Committee: Uniformbps@gmail.com



To: Jess ,P6 who has won a prize in the Scottish Engineering Leaders Awards. She will attend a prize giving ceremony with her family on 6th June at the University of Strathclyde. And to everyone who took part in the Scottish Maths Challenge this year and to Ismaeel, Niamh, Elena, Maya, Alannah and Felix who all achieved Silver and will attend an awards ceremony along with Ms Thomson on 7th June at 11am at the University of Strathclyde.

Bookfair

Thank you very much to everyone who supported the Scholastic Book Fair and a special thank you to the parents who helped at the fair. The sale of books raised £400 for Bearsden Primary School and we look forward to purchasing new resources with this money.

Thank you for your continued support.



Staff News

Next year's classification and staffing is still to be finalised. Information will go home to pupils and parents as soon as it has been confirmed but this looks likely to be later in June.





Sports news

Congratulations to our football team who recently took part in the Jamie Oakes Cup on Monday 20th May at Garscube. Thank you to Miss Jaycock for taking the team.

Cross Country results – A separate newsletter is attached.

School stops @ 1pm

Health Week

27/6/19

A huge 'thank you' to all who supported our Health Week. All our parent helpers who accompanied us to the garden, Bearsden Baptist Church for allowing us continued use of their beautiful grounds, Core Fitness Gym who ran fitness sessions for the children and Rock Choir for coming in to perform. Thank you all!





Lost Property

There are several items of lost property in school at the moment. If these items are not claimed by **Friday 21st June** they will be recycled.

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5/6/19	Open Afternoon, 2.15pm—3pm
7/6/19	P7 Careers Fair 9.15am in hall
7/6/19	Summer Fair 6.30pm-9pm
11/6/19	P6 & parents to Spanish Movie Night at Bearsden Academy 6.30pm
6/6/19	P1 Induction day 1.30pm-2.30pm
13/6/19	P1 Induction Day 11am—12noon
13/6/19	Bearsden Academy Induction day
14/6/19	Bearsden Academy Induction day
19/6/19	P3 to Calderglen Park
20/6/19	P7 Leavers Show 6.30pm
26/6/19	Church Summer Service 9.30am

