



Friends of  
Barningham School  
Registered Charity No. 1030812



## A message from the Friends

No.15 / June 2024

### Summer Fayre

We are now busy planning our Summer Fayre which will be here very soon **on Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> June from 1-3pm**

Some of our best fundraisers are the tombolas and raffle prizes. In order for the fayre to be a great success, we ask for your kind donations for our tombolas - we run a "teddy/toy tombola" so we would be grateful for any good quality unwanted toys. We also run a traditional tombola; if you are able to provide a donation please put it in the box which is located in the School Reception area.

We also will be putting out our class boxes later this week - theme as follows:

- Rabbits – Art & Crafts
- Squirrels - Gardening
- Badgers – Baking/Cooking
- Owls – Spa/Pamper

For those who have not experienced our class boxes before, we ask each child to donate something to their class box in that theme, examples are art & craft: pencils, beads; gardening: seeds, pots; Baking: ingredients, cake decorations; Spa: candle, soap - the possibilities are endless 😊. The result is a lovely box full of wonderful goodies that we raffle off at the school fayre.

If any small businesses are interested in having a pitch at our fayre, please get in touch.

We will be circulating a **helpers schedule** in the next few days as we will not be able to put on this fun event without lots of help so please lend your support to help us when you see it.

We thank you in advance for your generosity and thank you for supporting our school 🙏

### Ice-cream Fridays.

We are looking forward to the return of our Ice-cream Fridays from this Friday 7<sup>th</sup> June and every Friday throughout the summer term (weather permitting)

Meet us in the playground at 3.20pm where a selection of lollies/ice creams will be on sale for £1 each; we will have enough for siblings and parents/carers too. If you would like to pay up front for the 7 weeks of the summer term, please put £7 per child in a named envelope and hand into the school office, or send a bank transfer (details on p3 quoting the child(ren)'s name as the reference.

To grow in faith, grow in our learning and grow our future world



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### Fundraising last term

Thank you to everyone who came along to our Afternoon Tea that we held in April; we raised **£118**.

We were also very pleased to come second in the Tesco Groundworks Stronger Starts token scheme which awarded us **£1,000** and allowed us to complete funding for the interactive whiteboard in the Rabbit classroom. Thank you to everyone who supported the scheme.

### Tallest Sunflower Competition

We hope that those of you who had seeds from our Afternoon Tea in April have planted them and are actively measuring them as they grow. Don't forget to upload your progress pictures to our Facebook page – winner to be announced in September, so keep watering over the summer holidays.

### Bag2School

We have booked our next **Bag2School** collection for **Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> June**. If you have any items that you no longer need but are still in a good condition, please bring to school for 9am on 19<sup>th</sup> June. Unfortunately we cannot store items ahead of this time. [What We Collect | Bag2School](#)

### Pre-Loved School Uniform – Online shop

[#recycle](#) [#re-wear](#) [#savetheplanet](#) [#savemoney](#) [#pre-loved](#)

We have re-organised our stock of pre-loved uniform and created an “online shop” on our Facebook page. This is updated each time we sell items, or receive new donations. If your little one has had a growth spurt and you need uniform in a hurry, head over to the page and see if we have what you need. All our items are quality checked before posting.

Find our Pre-Loved Uniform shop here: [\(6\) WELCOME TO THE PRE... - Friends Of Barningham CEVC Primary School | Facebook](#)

### Gifts – Online Shop

We have some brand new or nearly new /good quality items that have been donated to us. Please take a look at our gift shop, lots of items at bargain prices.

[\(6\) Gift Shop Sale of... - Friends Of Barningham CEVC Primary School | Facebook](#)



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### Wellies

We have received a generous donation of lots of brand new unbranded wellies, in various colours, in child's sizes 10, 12 and 13. Perfect for your little one splashing in puddles, only £2 per pair. For details see our Facebook page:

[\(6\) WELLY SHOP We have... - Friends Of Barningham CEVC Primary School | Facebook](#)

#### To pay by bank transfer:

**The Friends of Barningham School**

**Account - 30884219**

**Sort Code - 20-85-93**



Get in touch with us via Facebook messenger:

<https://www.facebook.com/FriendsBarninghamSchool>

We regularly update our Facebook page with details of all our fundraising activities. A list of current members is shown at the bottom of this newsletter, please find us in the playground to find out more.

### Fundraising focus this year:

**Interactive whiteboard** – Rabbit class – fully funded and installed May 2024

*(Whiteboard for Owl class was funded in year ending July 2022 and whiteboards for Badger and Squirrel classes were funded in March 2023).*

**Loudspeaker** – for use at outdoor events (sports days/fayres)

### Dates for the diary:

**Ice cream Fridays** – every Friday from 7<sup>th</sup> June to 19<sup>th</sup> July (7 weeks)

**Bag2School** – Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> June, drop off at 9am at Bardwell Road entrance

**Summer Fayre** – Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> June 1 – 3pm

**Disco** – Friday 12<sup>th</sup> July – after school, timings to follow



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### Help us raise funds for free

Sign up to <https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/fobcevcps> and make Friends of Barningham School your chosen charity and they will donate a small percentage of your purchase cost to us (at no cost to you). Just use the app or website every time you shop online. Hundreds of retailers have signed up including Amazon, Argos, Next, Ebay, John Lewis, M&S, Just Eat, TUI, Trainline and many, many more..... They also give a lump sum to us if accessed to compare and change insurance or utility providers.

**Update:** May 2024 – we received **£23.48** in donations because you purchased online via [easyfundraising.com](https://www.easyfundraising.com) – **THANK YOU**

### Social Media

Support our social media presence on Instagram, Facebook and Twitter by taking pictures at our events and tag them with [#friendsofbarninghamschool](#) [#fobs](#) so we can all enjoy your photos and memories

**Facebook:** <https://www.facebook.com/FriendsBarninghamSchool/>

**Twitter:** @BarninghamPTA

**Instagram:** @friendsofbarninghamschool

We thank you for your continued support.  
The Friends of Barningham School

*Julie Surridge (parent Y4/Treasurer), Fran Kurtz (parent Y3/Secretary), Sheree Morris (parent Y4), Marie Ruck (parent Y6 & Y3), Harriet Leeks (parent Y6 & Y2), Amy Allen (parent Y3), Naomi Shotbolt (parent Y3), Lisa Shelley (parent Y5), Helen Shelley (parent Y4).  
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