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Expect, Believe, Persevere, Succeed.

Friday 3rd November 2017

EBPS Bartonian Awards

Each term every class has a focus for which there is a Bartonian Award. This term's Bartonian Awards were a great success with both parents and children alike! Congratulations to all of our Bartonian Award winners!



Key Stage 1 awards for

Self-belief in Violet Class Ollie

Kindness in Crocus Class Megan

Respect in Bluebell Class Daisy

Confidence in Primrose Class Leo

Perseverance in Snowdrop Class Liam

Key Stage 2 awards for

Confidence in Tulip Class Joseph

Respect in Sunflower Class Millie

Kindness in Daffodil Class Mason

Perseverance in Thistle Class Ammelia

Self Belief in Poppy Class Emmy

Perseverance in Holly Class Rio

Determination in Pine Class Harry

Patience in Laurel Class Max

Self Belief in Sycamore Class Chester

Kindness in Oak Class Lilly

The Barton Bond

I will be kind, honest and respectful. I will be friendly and helpful towards everyone in our school. I will expect my learning to be challenging and I have belief in myself knowing that with perseverance I can succeed.





Children in Need

We will be supporting Children in Need on **Friday 17th November** this year with a spotty themed mufti day and a spotty themed cake sale. We will also be asking you to donate any old pound coins.

Hot School Meals

Please find attached a menu for Kingswood this term, detailing how and when to order meals. We understand there was a glitch on their website, during the half term holiday, which has been resolved.

Collecting children at the end of the school day

If you know your child is being collected by a different adult after school, please write a note in your child's Home-School book and tell your child. If your child is regularly collected by someone other than a parent, please let your child's class teacher know. In the case of an emergency, or unforeseen circumstances, the school office are happy to let your child and their teacher know that a different adult will be collecting them.

Poppy Appeal

Poppies will be available, from next week, for children to buy. In KS1 they will be in the lobby and a school adult will take children to buy one. In KS2 they will be on sale in the Cool Kids Area at break times.



Curriculum in Action: Anti Bullying

Parents are invited to join their children in class on **Tuesday 14th November from 14.00 to 15.15** for a Curriculum in Action session on Anti-bullying. Children will bring home an invitation nearer the time.



Disabled Parking

A reminder to parents that the disabled parking spaces outside the library are for blue badge holders only. Please also refrain from blocking in users of these spaces. Thank you

This week's KS1 attendance winners for the second week are Violet class with an unbeatable 100%. In second place are Daisy class with 97% attendance and in third are Crocus class with 96.9%.

KS2 Attendance winners this week are Pine class with an unbeatable 100%. Laurel class came second with 99.6%, closely followed by Oak with 99.1%.

Well Done Everyone!

School Vacancies: There is a vacancy for a Lunchtime Supervisor in KS1 and a cleaner in KS2. Please see the website for details and an application pack.

Important dates coming up

Friday 10th Nov;	Sycamore class assembly at 14.45
Tuesday 14th Nov;	Curriculum in Action for parents 14:00– 15:15
Thursday 16th Nov;	School tours for 2018 intake 9:15 and 13:45 (please contact the school office to book a place)
Friday 17th Nov;	Children in Need Primrose class assembly at 15.00
Friday 24th Nov;	Poppy class assembly at 14.45
Wednesday 13th Dec;	Kingswood Christmas Dinner
Thursday 14th Dec;	Whole school pantomime trip to Snow White

Term Dates

Term 3:

Thursday 4th Jan—Friday 9th Feb

Term 4:

Monday 9th Feb—Thursday 29th Mar

Term 5:

Tuesday 17th Apr—Friday 25th May

Term 6:

Monday 4th Jun—Friday 20th Jul

PTA News

Sponsored Bounce and Zumbathon

On Friday 20th October, the children in KS1 took part in a sponsored bounce. All the children thoroughly enjoyed their bouncing and encouraging their classmates. Well done to everyone for a fantastic effort, especially Nancy in Primrose class, who managed the most bounces in a minute, with 97 bounces!

On the same day KS2 children took part in a sponsored Zumbathon, with years 3 & 4 dancing energetically for 45 minutes and years 5 & 6 managing an hour. It was very noisy and enjoyed by all.

A big thank you to all those who have brought their sponsorship money into school. Please could you bring any outstanding money in by the 24th of November .



In other news....Last weeks lottery winner was Ruth Shellard again!!

If you would like to contact the PTA their email address is; earlsbartonps.pta@outlook.com

Nativity Productions

This year, only Reception and Year 5 will be putting on Christmas productions. Details of how to attend these festive events will go out nearer the time, and the dates are below, so you can keep them free.;

Reception: Tuesday 12th December 9.30 to 10.30am, Wednesday 13th December 2.00 to 3.00pm

Year 5: Monday 11th December 6.00 to 7.30pm, Tuesday 12th December 1.45 to 3.15pm and 6.00 to 7.30pm

Anxiety Workshop for parents

Caroline Prout has been booked to deliver a two hour anxiety workshop for parents/ carers on 7th December at 7pm.

The workshop will cover the following:-

What is anxiety?

Why does it happen?

What is normal anxiety and when should I worry?

How can I support my child?

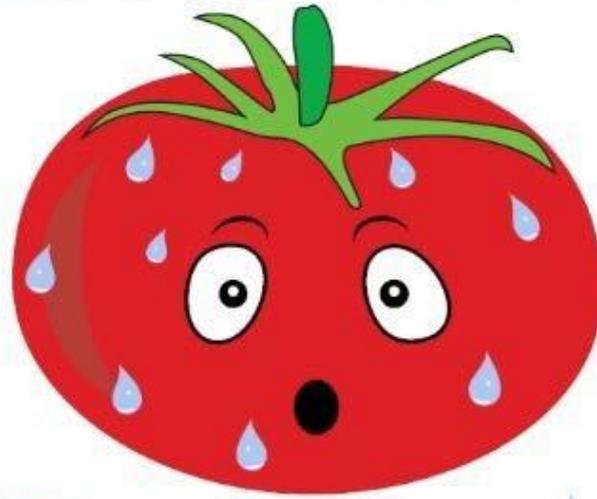
Cost will be £9 per person to attend, a minimum of 15 people are required for the session to go ahead.

More details of how to secure your space are in the flyer sent with this newsletter.

Please visit our website:- www.earlsbartonprimary.org.uk

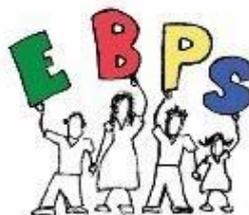
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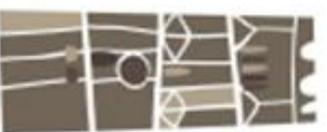
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Doors open 8pm

Entry £3

Earls Barton Working Mens Club

Queen Street NN6 0LN



Calling all young artists



COMPETITION

We invite you to design the next front cover of The Tower!

The winning design will be on the front cover of the December issue of **The Tower** for all the village to see! The winner will also receive a framed copy of the final front cover to keep... and show off!

Runners up will have their designs appear inside the magazine.

The competition is open to **anyone aged 11 or under**. The theme is simply '**December**' so let your imagination run wild! Any questions just email us: TowerMag@hotmail.co.uk.

Please submit your design on A4 portrait paper in an envelope to keep it clean, clearly labelled The Tower Competition, don't forget to add your name, age, and a contact number on the back of your work.

Entries to be dropped off at 36 The Square, or E. Lee & Sons Butchers.

Deadline for entries is 15 November 2017.

