

## BAYNARDS PRIMARY SCHOOL

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This week's Gold Book entries were: Willow George, Amelia Casey, Jimmy Gourley, Arnold Snowden, George Curtis, Joshua Abrams, James

Jackson, Demi O'Dell-Johnston, Khaleb Saied, Lewis Savage, Grace Constable, Felix Goddard, Ophelia Douglas, Gracie-May Watts & Lily Cartledge - well done!!



Attendance
Well done Year 1 on being
the highest class achieving
99% Attendance (week
beginning 5<sup>th</sup> February
2024)!



Well done to Jacob Tomlin who was presented with the Kindness Cup for always being kind to others.



We made it to the end of half term! This has certainly been a half term full of coughs, colds and Message from the Headteacher

other bugs and I am sure everyone is ready for a weeks break! It was lovely to see so many parents come along to the open classroom this week to have a look at the work their children have been doing in class. The open classrooms will be a regular feature, taking place on the last Thursday of every half term where possible.

I would like to say a huge **thanks** to the amazing PTA members who organised and ran the school discos yesterday. The children had a fantastic time and should have been exhausted when they left! I hope you all have a great week off and look forward to seeing you all back on **TUESDAY 27**<sup>th</sup> February.

Judith Dale 🥯

The PTA are holding a Mother's Day Stall on Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> March.
There will be a choice of gifts at a cost of £3.50.



To pre-order a gift for your child to purchase, please order at the school office by <u>Friday 1<sup>st</sup> March</u> Thank you.



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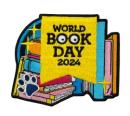


"KidAround" February Issue is here and full of things to do with the kids this half-term:

- What's on guide
- Print and colour Mother's Day card
- Low cost outings
- Holiday camps and days out
- Kids eat free locations

Click the link below to read:

https://anyflip.com/btwy.j/ws.jo/



World Book Day continues to encourage children and young people to read for pleasure through its work with authors, illustrators,

publishers, bookshops and libraries.

Spending just 10 minutes a day reading and sharing stories with children can make a crucial difference to their future success and it's fun for all involved

We have a variety of activities involved in school on Thursday 7<sup>th</sup>

March and invite children to dress up as their favourite book character or alternatively wear non-uniform - all children to bring their favourite book to school please.

£1 tokens will be distributed to all the children so they can experience choosing a book for FREE from booksellers e.g. Asda, Tesco, Sainsburys, Waterstones & WH Smith.

Unfortunately, we have been advised by our suppliers of school uniform of price increases.



These increases will take effect after half term. An order form is attached to the newsletter and up to date prices can be found on our website. Uniform is sold at cost price with no profit being taken by the school.



Parents can now view teacher's available timeslots through your SCOPAY account and book a suitable time to see their child's teacher.

Parents with multiple children can book all the appointments at the same time, making the evening a lot more time efficient.

Parents can set up alerts, either in-app or via email to remind them of their upcoming appointment, or notify them when a new event is published.

Log in to your SCOPay app to make your appointment or alternatively, speak to a member of the office staff for them to make the appointment for you or help you register for SCOPay.



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We return on Week 2 of the school lunch menu after half term.



Term dates for the 2024-2025 academic year are attached to this newsletter and can also be found on the school website.



We finish for half term today. We hope everyone has an enjoyable holiday and look forward to seeing the children when they return on Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> February.



19.02.24 Half Term

**26.02.24** Non-Pupil Day

28.02.24 Parent Evening

06.03.24 Parent One Plan Meetings (SEND)

06.03.24 Class 2 Assembly 9am

07.03.24 World Book Day

**20.03.24** Class 1 Assembly 9am

25.03.24 Class 4 Bikeability (2 days)

**28.03.24 Open Classroom 3.15pm** 

28.03.24 Finish for Easter Holiday

15.04.24 Non-Pupil Day

16.04.24 Children return to school

**24.04.24** Class **3** Assembly **9**am

24.04.24 Finish for Half Term

13.05.24 Year 6 SATs Week

23.05.24 **Open Classroom 3.15pm** 

12.06.24 Class 2 Assembly 9am

18.06.24 Open Classroom 3.15pm

19.06.24 Class 4 Assembly 9am

27.06.24 Year 6 Induction, Thurstable

03.07.24 Class 1 Assembly 9am