

UNDERHILL SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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Lunch Menu: Week 2

Children's Centre Timetable: <http://www.underhillschool.org/about-our-children-s-centre>



RACE FOR LIFE



On Monday 5th June 2017 we are holding our own Race for Life Event for Cancer Research UK. A letter is coming home shortly with further information, including how to sponsor and donate.

TOPIC PLANS & HOMEWORK

Please can we encourage all parents to look on the website (see above) to view the half termly topic maps and homework schedules. If you are able to support their learning at home it would be incredibly beneficial to your child(ren). To view, please click on curriculum on our home page and then your child's year.



LOST PROPERTY



Please, please can we request that you put your child's name in all their school clothing. For example we have over 600 brown jumpers in this school and re-uniting lost, unnamed jumpers, as you can imagine is very tricky! Please help us, to help you.

RECEPTION & NURSERY

This week in Reception we have had the arrival of chicken eggs and caterpillars! We are learning all about life cycles and how to care for animals. We are going to watch the chicks hatch and the caterpillars grow into beautiful butterflies.



In Nursery we are exploring the lifecycle of a butterfly. We are reading "The Very Hungry Caterpillar" and "The Crunching Munching Caterpillar", and watching videos on the lifecycle to learn all about it! The letter sound of the week is "u". Please practice this sound at home, "up up umbrella!"

ALDENHAM SCHOOL OPEN DAY

There is an Open Day on Saturday 17th June if you are considering this fee-paying school.

SWIMMING HATS

Please can we remind parents and carers that swimming hats are compulsory for all children during swimming at school. This is to maintain hygiene standards.



★ STAR OF THE WEEK (week of 24/04/17)

Star of the Week for years 1-6 will return next week.

Beech Luke

Maple Paris

Juniper Imran

SMASHfestUK

Come along to this mini-festival for the whole family. There are arts, crafts, science, engineering, games, activities and experiments! It takes place at Old Orion School, Lanacre Ave, Colindale, NW9 5FS and is on Saturday 13th May, 11am-4pm. Entry and car parking is free. For more information please look at smashfestuk.com



1st BARNET SCOUTS



From dominoes to football matches and swimming galas to fun weekends away, scouts offers something for everyone! Beavers is for boys and girls aged 6-8 and takes place on Tuesdays 6-7pm. Cubs is for boys and girls aged 8-11 and is on Wednesdays 6.30-8pm. It is held at The Grove, nr Westcombe Drive (next door to the old site of Barnet Football Club). For more information please call Christine on 0208 440 9349 or 07932 562 383.

STREET CHAMPION APPEAL

Barnet Seniors Assembly Insider needs help in delivering their bi-monthly FREE newsletter - can you help?

It provides a wealth of useful information to older people within the London Borough of Barnet and we would love your help in spreading the word!

If you can deliver from 20 to 200 (or more!) newsletters to your neighbours, local clubs or any



venue that would benefit from our newsletter then we would love to hear from you.

We can arrange for you to pick up your copies at a venue convenient to you, such as your local library or community space. If you can help deliver a few newsletters every two months, please contact Neill at distribution@barnetseniors.org.uk and let him know that you saw this appeal via the Underhill School newsletter.

Further information can be found at <http://www.baseas.org.uk/bsa/>

SCHOOL DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

April 28 th	5 Sycamore class assembly, big hall 9.05am
May 8 th -12 th	Year 6 SATs week
May 12 th	1 Willow class assembly, big hall 9.05am
May 13 th	Family Photo Day
May 19 th	5 Laurel class assembly, big hall 9.05am
May 26 th	5 Holly class assembly, big hall 9.05am
May 26 th	Half Term! School finishes at the normal time
June 5 th	Term starts again
June 5 th	Race For Life
June 9 th	3 Yew class assembly, big hall 9.05am
June 13 th	Secondary Transfer Evening, 7-8pm
June 16 th	4 Cherry class assembly, big hall 9.05am
June 13 th	New Nursery Parent's Evening, 7-8pm
June 20 th	New Reception Parent's Evening