



Barnburgh Primary School

Newsletter

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I would like to dedicate this week's newsletter to thanking you all for attending our sport events this week. I was so impressed with the organisation of Sports Day on Thursday and our Mini Sport Event on Friday. It was lovely to see the children (and staff) enjoying themselves and we were so lucky with the weather! All our children participated and, consequently, contributed to the overall scores. A huge thank you to Mrs Kay and Mr Goddard for organising both events. I am delighted to announce that the Sports Day winners were Teresa House. We will be announcing the winning team for the Mini Sport Event on Friday at the Early Years launch. We have combined the Sports Day scores to our House scores from the year and I can now announce that this year's House winners are Teresa!

Thank you to our PTA who gave up their time to sell light refreshments and run a raffle on Thursday. They raised just under £500.

You may have noticed that there is a lot of work taking place outside our Early Years unit. This is the final stage of our school improvement work. The builders are creating a new outdoor learning environment that will provide more enriched learning opportunities. We are keeping our fingers crossed that the work is completed this week so we can officially open the unit with the children on Friday.

Mrs J Potts.



SWIMMING GALA RESULTS

On Wednesday 12th July 15 children from Year 5 went to Dearne Valley Leisure to represent the school in the Year 5/6 Doncaster Swimming Gala finals. There were 10 teams from across Doncaster competing. The races and placing were as follows:

Boys Front Crawl: Flyn

3rd place

Girls Front Crawl: Libby

4th place

Boys Breast Stroke: Nathaniel

4th place

Girls Breast Stroke: Rosie

4th place

Boys Back Stroke: Alex M

4th place

Girls Back Stroke: Grace

4th place

Boys 4x1 Relay: Blake, Alex B, Jack, Harry.

2nd place

Girls 4x1 Relay: Eleanor, Imogen, Ella S, Robyn.

5th place

Faye also came to support us as she was selected for the team but unfortunately suffered an injury meaning she could not swim on the day. Thank you for her support!

All the children who placed first, second or third in their races received a medal. Congratulation to Flyn, Blake, Alex B, Jack and Harry for receiving this award. The placings above meant the children had no idea where we were placed in the overall rankings. Place after place was called with the children expecting them to be next. Overall, with a total of 57 points, we finished 2nd in Doncaster! All the children received a medal for this achievement. I was absolutely blown away by the talent but most importantly the sportsmanship and team spirit of the Year 5 team selected. They should be very proud as were Mrs Dawson and I. Well done!!

Mrs Kay