



# Friday Bulletin

7<sup>th</sup> June  
2024

## School Attendance by Class

**Flamingos 87.6% Kingfishers 97.5% Jackdaws 92.8% Hummingbirds 87.8%**

Whole School Attendance this week is 91.4%

Each week the class with the highest attendance will win a £10 voucher, this can be saved and spent on whatever they would like for their class.

This weeks £10 voucher goes to Kingfishers

**School Disco** The school disco will take place on Friday 21<sup>st</sup> June 2024.

KS1/Reception disco 3.15-4.15 followed by snacks, drinks and film club until 5.15

KS2 Yrs 3-6 Snacks, drinks and film club after school, followed by disco 4.15-5.15

£4 per child, payable via Parentmail

If your child does not wish to attend, please let the Office know so we can remove from ParentMail. Also, if you are able to help out, could you let a member of The Friends know or the school office. Thank you.

**Norfolk Show 26<sup>th</sup> June** Please note that Hummingbirds and Jackdaws will be attending the show. We will be returning to school before the end of the school day. Please note that the children will need to bring their lunch in a back pack - 2 straps on their back eg not a plastic bag. If your child is having a school packed lunch, please provide the back pack. Water bottles - They need to be a reusable bottle so they can be refilled, eg not a carton. School uniform needs to be worn and sunhat/sunscreen to be taken. Don't forget to complete the consent form and lunch order form on ParentMail.

**Goodbye** We are sad to be saying goodbye to Miss Betts at the end of half term. She has been an asset to the school and will be greatly missed.

**Bag2Schools** Please look out for the plastic bag and leaflet in your child's bag. The Friends are excited to announce that The Bawburgh School is participating in a Bags2School clothing collection to help raise funds for our school outside pond area. This is a fantastic opportunity to have a summer clear out and support our pupils at the same time!

Bags2School will be collecting the following items:

Clothes, Paired shoes, Handbags, Hats, Bags and ties, Scarves and jewellery, Bras, Socks and belts, Soft toys, Curtains, Towels and Bedding

Please ensure all items are clean and in good condition. Your donations will make a significant difference, and every contribution helps not only the school but less fortunate people. The items are exported to various countries worldwide, where thrift markets flourish, providing affordable clothing to disadvantaged individuals.

The Collection Date is Tuesday 25th June, please bring all items bagged into the school on either Monday 24th June or Tuesday 25th June.

We appreciate your support and look forward to a raising some money!

**Tea Towel/Bags School Year Memento: Tea towels and Bags** The Friends are producing a fun, personalised tea towel and tote bag as a keepsake and to raise funds for the school. All the children (and staff!) will be drawing self-portraits which will then be collated and turned into a whole school tea towel and bag. Tea towels will be white bleached cotton with red print, and the tote bags will be long-handled unbleached cotton with red print. Tea towels will be £5.50 each and tote bags will be £6.50 each.

These will be great for you to keep, or as gifts for friends or family!

Please be aware that we have to pay for these in advance and have to have a minimum total order of 50 of each item. Please also note that you will not be able to see a mock-up of the product in advance of ordering and paying.

If you would like to order any items, these will be available to purchase on Parentmail. Orders and payments need to be made in the next two weeks, **by the end of Sunday 9th of June** - we will be unable to take any orders after this date. Delivery should be during the first week of July.

**Change of Date Sports Day and picnic** Sports Day will now be on Monday 24<sup>th</sup> June and not 5<sup>th</sup> July 2024. Apologies for any inconvenience caused. Parents/Carers are invited to attend from 12.00 noon.

**Birds of Dereham (uniform)** Dates for orders and deliveries:

- Friday 5 July - this is the last date for school / parents to place orders for Free to School delivery before the end of term
- Monday 15 July - last date for deliveries to school before the end of term
- Free to school option will be made available again from Monday 9 September, for deliveries to school w/c 16 September

**Year 6** Can we politely ask that payments are kept up to date on ParentMail. With the end of school year approaching, if bills are outstanding, we will not be able to remove you from ParentMail.

**Afterschool Club 4<sup>th</sup> September** There will be no After School Club on Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> September as there is whole school staff training. After School Club will start on Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> September.

**KS2 Performance 16<sup>th</sup> July 2024** Bawburgh presents: Matilda. Tickets are available to purchase on ParentMail now. You can purchase 2 tickets in total. Either one for the afternoon and one for the evening, or 2 evening and 2 afternoon. Performances at 2pm and 5pm.

**Year 6 Leavers Lunch** We will be serving afternoon tea and drinks on Monday 15<sup>th</sup> July at 1 pm for the Year 6 leavers and parents/carers. This will be followed by a school celebration assembly at 2 pm for Year 6 children and invited parents throughout the school. Year 6 parents, please complete the form on ParentMail for your lunch order. The cost is £5.00 per adult and £2.40 per child.

**Universal Free School Meals** Pupils moving into Year 3 in September will no longer be eligible for the Universal School Meal Programme (UFSM). Under the current government scheme, these are only available to Reception and Years 1 and 2.

If you are a parent of a Year 3, 4, 5 or 6 child and are on a low income, you may be entitled to Free School Meals (FSM). I would like to reassure parents that any information regarding FSM is confidential. Please check the attached sheet to see if you are eligible.

For those not eligible for UFSM or FSM, School lunches are available and drinks can be purchased by the children at mealtimes.

Ayesha is passionate about providing every child with a healthy and nutritious diet and goes to inordinate lengths to ensure this is the case. Please make contact if your child has any special dietary needs. She will always adapt hot lunches/school packed lunches to cater for these, so you can be assured your child's needs are met.

## Diary Dates

Bawburgh Youth Club 28.06.24  
Bawburgh Duck Race 13.07.24  
Barford Summer Fete 22.06.24