



# BEARWOOD Primary and Nursery School

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## **Bearwood Bulletin** **Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> April 2024**



**Welcome back!** It has been so lovely to see the sun (a little bit!) these last few days and with the lighter evenings it is starting to feel like Summer is on its way! The children have all come back into school ready to learn and are excited for where this term is going to take them.

### **Roadworks – Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> April – IMPORTANT NOTICE**

As some of you may have seen on posters located around the area, there are due to be Highway Maintenance Work completed on the roads near school (including Barons Road) next week. **The works on Barons Road have been scheduled for Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> April.**

We have been informed that vehicle access to our school will be temporarily unavailable on this day from 8am. **On street parking will be suspended with enforcement in operation. To allow the work to be carried out without delay please do not park your car on the carriage way. Any vehicles left obstructing the works risks receiving a Penalty Charge Notice and being removed from site.**

Why not take this opportunity to park away from school and make use of our 5 minute walking map attached in this week's communication.

Thank you in advance for your support.

### **Curriculum newsletters**

Attached in this week's communication are each class's Curriculum Newsletter for this half term. Please take a look at what your child will be learning and ask them about it as you go through the term!

### **Children's Reading Groups @ Kinson Library**

Attached in this week's communication are some invitations to a Reading Rabbit (6 – 8 years old) or a Book Agents (8 – 12 years old) Reading group which takes place at Kinson library once a month. If your child loves books and reading then do have a look at this fantastic opportunity!

### **Years 5 & 6 Bikeability Course**

Children in Maple 1 & 2 will have the opportunity to take part in Bikeability training provided by BCP Council next month. Bikeability is the government's national cycle training programme based on the National Standard for Cycle Training. Cycling is a life skill with many benefits: it encourages independent mobility, is great for the environment, and improves physical and mental health. Evidence shows Bikeability helps more people cycle, more safely, more often. Bikeability is funded by the Department for Transport and is delivered by fully qualified, professional and DBS-checked Bikeability instructors. Consent forms will be sent by email but paper copies can also be collected from the school office.



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## **Musical Opportunities**

### **NEW Mini Maestros (Bournemouth) Orchestra**

A wonderful NEW opportunity for your orchestral instrumental learners aged 6+, in partnership with PYSM and the Bourne Academy.

Our partners Poole Society for Young Musicians (PSYM) are piloting a new starter orchestra, based at Bourne Academy, supported by SoundStorm and in partnership with Bourne Academy, starting 13 May 2024 (complementing an existing programme of extracurricular music activities run on Monday and Tuesday evenings at Parkstone Grammar School). The intention is that the new orchestra will run in the summer term, on Mondays (starting 4.45pm) and then continue next year, depending on demand. The new orchestra in Bournemouth is priced deliberately low, to make it as affordable as possible. It does state Grade 1+, however if you are in doubt, or your child is working towards Grade 1, please do get in touch with Ali Kaye and ask her a question by emailing [poolesym@gmail.com](mailto:poolesym@gmail.com) as she will be thrilled to hear your interest.

Advance booking is essential. More details on the PSYM website, and via flyer below and

attached: <https://broadstonemusicseries.info/new-bournemouth-mini-maestros-junior-orchestra/>

## **Safeguarding Team**

At Bearwood Primary & Nursery School we are committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people. We are fully committed to ensuring that consistent effective safeguarding procedures are in place to support families, children and staff in the school community.

If you are worried about a child or need to contact a member of the Safeguarding Team then please call the school office on 01202 590703 or email: [school@bearwood.poole.sch.uk](mailto:school@bearwood.poole.sch.uk)

### **Our Safeguarding Team**

Mrs Smith - Headteacher / Designated Safeguarding Lead

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