

JB's and Earlybirds

for the children of Baines Endowed School, Thornton

June (a lot late, sorry)

Hello Everyone,

I hope you are all well. Apologies for the lateness of this newsletter.

The weather has been lovely and recently we have been sharing our outdoor space in the KS2 area, carefully all together. The children have been loving being together and the team have too. Unfortunately, last week quite a few of the schools around us have had to close some of their bubbles. We have made the sad decision to "Go back to basics" and strictly adhere to our bubble situation. That means Reception, Y1 and Y2 will be in the school hall and outdoors in the KS1 playground, separated as much as we can and KS2 in the dining hall, in Year group bubbles, likewise when they are outside. Please be assured we are doing our very best to keep everyone safe.



Good News

We are pleased to share with you that our friend and team member Becky/Miss Thornton is having a baby. We are so happy for her.

Equipment

I know we are asking for things Reception have asked for, but to help to save money before we purchase anything, does anyone have:

- Old spoons
- Old pans
- Old cake tins
- Or anything else we could use in the mud kitchen
- Sheets and duvet covers, for dens
- Scooters
- Bikes suitable for children under 7 years of age
- Board games
- Dolls and dolls clothes or 1st size baby clothes
- Barbie clothes
- Tarpaulin, for dens and stuff!
- Drain pipes (new), for water play

In fact, anything, let your imagination run wild and email us, we will let you know if we can use what you have.

Reminders

As part of our terms and conditions, signed by all, you agreed to pay fees on time and the correct amount invoiced at the beginning of the month.

Some people are not keeping to this agreement.

It has been brought to our attention that some of our Earlybirds parents are not adhering to the Highway code, which states you are not allowed to park on double yellow lines. We are very lucky that the Bay Horse allow us to use their car park. It is only a few steps extra, so please take advantage of their kind offer.

Food

As parents are still not allowed in the club to see what we get up to, here is one of our recent snacks at JB's. Plain and garlic pitta, rice cakes, peppers, cucumber, sliced oranges and out of the picture the fruit bowl. Water or milk to drink. This went down very well.



Another day we had a taster snack to introduce new foods. Various cheeses, tomato and mozzarella with basil and olive oil drizzle and french bread. Not so good except for the french bread!! One person in Year 5 enjoyed it and came back for seconds and thirds. The most popular foods, as always, are: bagels, toast, crumpets, muffins and tiger bread.

And finally

If you think of anything that needs more clarification, have any queries or can think of ways we can improve, please email. I will get back to you within the day.

With Kindest Regards,
Linda and The Team.