



BARNARD GROVE PRIMARY SCHOOL

Headteacher: **Mr. L. Walker** | Deputy Headteacher: **Miss J. Thompson**

Friday 24th February 2017

Re: After-school Wraparound Care

Dear Parents/Carers,

In January 2017, the Governing Body agreed to our school introducing an after-school wraparound care/club (Barney's). Over the first half-term, Barney's has proven to be very popular with the children who attend and the feedback from parents/carers has been extremely positive.

As it's our first time at doing something like this at Barnard Grove, the plan is to have set costings over the Spring term, to see how things work out, before looking to see whether the club continues after the Easter break. In order to continue after this time, Barney's **must** be financially viable.

Two members of school staff, Mrs. Howard and Mrs. Archibald, run Barney's, from the end of the school day until 6:00pm each night. They ensure children attending receive a small snack and are engaged in activities before their collection time.

Barney's takes place in one of the Key Stage 1 classrooms (on the ground floor facing the playground). When children are collected, parents/carers make their way around the back of school (through the gate next to the kitchen) directly to one of the classrooms mentioned above.

With advice from the Local Authority, our governors agreed a 'three-band' pricing plan in the first instance (to be reviewed at the end of the Spring term), which is detailed as follows:

- Band A – for children who are collected up to 4:00pm £4.00
- Band B – for children who are collected after 4:00pm, up to 5:00pm £5.00
- Band C – for children who are collected after 5:00pm, up to 6:00pm £6.00

Your child's fee needs to be paid at least a week in advance, in an envelope which is provided from either the School Office or Mrs. Howard/Mrs. Archibald. However, where possible, we'd be grateful if you could indicate the evenings your child(ren) requires for two weeks at a time.

All contracts, booking forms and payment envelopes can be obtained from the School Office or by speaking to Mrs. Howard/Mrs. Archibald.

Should you have any questions about this letter, please don't hesitate to contact myself, the School Office, Mrs. Howard or Mrs. Archibald.

Yours sincerely,

Mr. L. Walker
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