



**Learning,  
Enjoying &  
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Together**

#### Upcoming Dates

##### October

**Thurs 16<sup>th</sup>:** Parent Evening

**Fri 17<sup>th</sup> –** Wear Red Day

**Fri 24<sup>th</sup>:** Flu immunisations / **Last day of half term**

##### November

**Mon 3<sup>rd</sup> –** INSET Day

**Tues 4<sup>th</sup> –** AUT 2

**Wed 5<sup>th</sup> –** Maple 1 Trip

**Fri 7<sup>th</sup>:** School Photograph day

**W/B 10<sup>th</sup>:** SEND IEP & BRP meetings

**W/B 10<sup>th</sup> –** Anti-Bullying wk

**Friday 14<sup>th</sup>:** Children in Need (Non-School Uniform)

##### December

**2<sup>nd</sup> – 9<sup>th</sup>:** Book Fair

**16<sup>th</sup> – 17<sup>th</sup> :** Holly Base Xmas performances

#### Safeguarding Matters

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, please call the school office on 01202 590703 or email: [school@bearwood.poole.sc.h.uk](mailto:school@bearwood.poole.sc.h.uk)

#### Thank you – Harvest donations!

A huge thank you to all those who donated food to the harvest festival last week. We were able to provide 'Hope for Food' with a large donation which they were very grateful for. Thank you also to the parents who helped walk the children to the church!

#### Uniform reminder

Now that the colder weather is upon us, please make sure you are wearing winter uniform and only wearing your PE kit on PE days. A reminder about our uniform expectations is here - [Uniform - Bearwood School](#)

#### My child has a yellow band on – what does this mean?

You may have noticed your child coming home with a yellow band on their wrist. This is to notify you that your child has had a head bump that day and has been seen by a first aider. Dependent on the severity of the head bump, you may also receive a phone call or message home to keep you informed.

#### Can you help? Ipad / Tablet plea

Our school is looking to update the technology available for pupils to enhance learning opportunities. If any local businesses or individuals have Android tablets or iPads that are no longer in use but still in working condition, we would be very grateful for your donation. Your contributions will help ensure our students have access to the best possible educational tools. If you are able to help, please contact the school office. Thank you for your support!

#### Ordering Lunches – Chartwells

The deadline for ordering hot lunches for the w/c 3<sup>rd</sup> November after half is 9am on Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> please. Our usual cut off for meals remains two weeks in advance.

#### Be Bright, Be Seen Poster Competition

Please take part in our poster competition to see if you can win a scooter! Lots of other prizes up for grabs as well! Deadline – Friday 7<sup>th</sup> November.

#### Coming up...

##### Wear something red – Friday 17<sup>th</sup> October

In recognition of our learning around Black History Month, children are invited to wear something red with their school uniform to "Show racism the red card".

##### Pupil Run Stalls – Friday 24<sup>th</sup> October

Some pupils in Year 4 and in Year 6 have made items – bookmarks, bracelets etc. and are running a stall next Friday after school to sell these items to help raise money for the school. Please come and buy their products! Thank you!

##### Flu Immunisations – Friday 24<sup>th</sup> October

Have you signed your child up yet? Please see the letter attached and sign up online here (deadline 21<sup>st</sup> Oct) -

<https://www.schoolimmunisation.dhc.nhs.uk/Forms/Flu>