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New on the website

Lots to look out for on the website. Recent additions include:

- ★ Extreme Weather Updates
- ★ BIG Read & Art Weeks

Forthcoming Events

March

9th Dance Festival at ArtsDepot
12th British Science week & the 'Mad Science Company'
12th Y3 Egg Project
12th to 16th Spring Book Fair
13th Cross Country Competition
13th Phonics Workshop for EYFS
13th Y4 & Y1 Animal Workshop
14th Y3 Class Assembly
14th The Big Wheel Theatre 'Pollution Solution' with Y5
15th Strings Concert to parents
16th Y4 Classical Spectacular @ Royal Albert Hall

Twitter

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PSHE Theme

In school we are thinking about

... Trying our best

Woodcroft now uses ..



All payments can now be made online our office does not accept cash!

Big Read



The BIG Read and Art Week

From the **26th February to 2nd March** we held our annual **BIG Read!** Lots of fun and exciting activities to promote the enjoyment of reading took place across the school. This year we also combined it with our termly **Art Day!**

We had theatre group performances, mystery book deliveries, extreme reading, competitions, pyjama days, book blogs, art projects and loads more. Take a look at the website for all the photos and reports from across the week

<http://www.woodcroft.barnet.sch.uk/the-big-read-and-art-week-2018/>



Spring Book Fair: 12th - 16th March



Our Spring Book Fair will run from Monday 12th to Friday 16th March at 3.15pm each day in the large hall. There will be a wide range of books to choose from, covering all ages from 3 to young teenage. The World Book Day vouchers can be used, entitling the buyer to £1 off a book; these are also valid at all bookshops. Please come along and support us: at Christmas we had our best ever book fair, selling more than £1,000 worth of books and claiming £600 worth of free books for the school!

Public Space Protection Order (PSPO) for Alcohol Related Nuisance and Anti-Social Behaviour Consultation

Barnet are considering introducing a Public Space Protection Order (PSPO) to help deal with alcohol related nuisance and anti-social behaviour (ASB) in the Burnt Oak, Childs Hill and Edgware Town centre areas, due to continued reports in these areas. The order will improve enjoyment of the borough for the local community. Visit..

<https://engage.barnet.gov.uk/pspo-alcohol-related> And provide your views by completing the [online questionnaire](#). For further information email: BarnetCST@Barnet.gov.uk or telephone **020 8359 2875**.

Science Week



On the 12th March, Woodcroft will be celebrating **Science Week!** The **Mad Science Company** will be kicking the week off with a fun, interactive assembly and each year group will be involved in their own Science experiment or workshop throughout the week! Along with that, there will be a new 'prize' **Science Challenge** so get ready to practise your experimenting skills at home! Check out the Treehouse page **#Scienceweek** for more updates.

Lots of Hair to Share - Mrs Patel's Charity Fundraising Event!



Mrs Patel, our Reception Classteacher, is planning an unusual fundraising event. She is holding a sponsored haircut and then donating it to the Little Princess Trust! Little Princess Trust is a charity (Registration No. 1113172) that provides wigs to children with cancer to help them cope when they lose their hair. Hair loss can be very distressing, especially for children, and it has a devastating effect on their emotional well-being. If you would like to donate to this life-changing cause please visit Mrs Patel's JustGiving page ...

JustGiving <https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/a-patel18>

Barnet Mencap training for parents of children with additional needs

Please see the table below about upcoming groups for parents of children with additional needs. If you would like to book a place for any of these sessions, please contact projectsupport@barnetmencap.org.uk or call Barnet Mencap on 020 8349 3842, stating which workshop(s) you'd like to attend. See the flyer in the 'News' section of the website!

Date	Time	Session	Venue	Workshop leader
Thursday 8 March	10am to 12pm	Time to Talk about ADHD	Barnet Mencap's office	Andrea Bilbow OBE ADDISS
Friday 16 March	10am to 12pm	SEN Support and when to request an EHC Plan	Barnet Mencap's office	Joanna Zarkadoulos, SENDIASS
Tuesday 27 March	10am to 12pm	EHC Plans – How they work	Barnet Mencap's office	Joanna Zarkadoulos SENDIASS

REMINDER: Reception and Nursery Parents can come along to our workshops

Tuesday 6th March 9.00 - 10.00, Reception Classes, 'Observing Learning Stay & Play'

Tuesday 13th March 9.00 - 10.00, Oak Suite & Tardis, 'Phonics'

Tuesday 20th March 9.00 - 10.00, Reception Classes, 'Phonics Stay and Play'

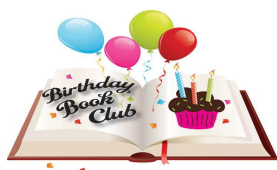


School Money - Online Payment System



Woodcroft now uses School Money for all payments. Parents and carers have been sent their passwords via text. We cannot accept any cash in the school office. If you have any questions please speak with a member of the office staff or visit our website. **Please Note:** bookings and payments for Acorns After School Club and other clubs need to be made at least 1 day in advance. The system does not allow bookings on the day of an activity.

Birthday Book Club



The following pupils enjoyed a recent birthday and joined the **Birthday Book Club** by donating books for the Library. Thank you to ...

Sophia 1C, Rahela 1C, Jessica 1C, Maria 2W & Amira 3B

Mrs Wilkes and Mrs Williams also brought in birthday books for their classes as well.

CONGRATULATIONS and Happy Birthday to all of you!



Whole School Attendance

↑ 95.7%↑

Getting closer to our 96% target

Weekly Class Attendance Champions

Week Beginning 19th February 2018

Foundation Stage Class of the Week: RP 95.7% Keep it up

KS1 Class of the week: 2W 98.3% Well done

KS2 Class of the week: 5S 99.7% Amazing Attendance