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Head writes

As we enter the final month of the year we are not slowing down. Thank you to all that came to our KS2 Sports' Day and supported so loudly. Next year will be even bigger and better and we hope to squeeze even more events in; you have 12 months to train for the Parent's Race! A huge range of sporting, musical and drama based activities have been occurring as well as a myriad of trips and visitors from drumming to the Science Dome to Bristol Flyers and much more. I for one cannot wait for the Year 5/6 Lion King performances. Thank you for your continued support and always find us if you need to share a problem. Mr. Laken

Lunchtime Leader Vacancy



**SCHOOL MEALS SUPERVISORY ASSISTANT (SMSA)
REQUIRED AT
BANNERMAN ROAD COMMUNITY ACADEMY
£9.50 per hour**

Monday to Friday from 11.45am to 1.15 pm term time only

PLEASE ENQUIRE AT THE RECEPTION AT BANNERMAN ROAD COMMUNITY SCHOOL FOR FURTHER DETAILS AND TO OBTAIN AN APPLICATION FORM IN ORDER TO APPLY FOR THE VACANCY

We particularly welcome applications from under represented groups including ethnicity, gender, transgender, age, disability, sexual orientation or religion.

Bannerman Road Community Academy is part of Venturers Trust and is committed to equality, safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. An enhanced DBS check is required for all staff.

Diary Dates



30th June -Own clothes day

11th July— 1:30PM Lion King performance

12th July—9:15AM Lion King performance

12th July—Transition PM to new classes!

14th July/1:15PM KS1/EYFS Sports' Day

20th July—1:30PM Yr 6 Leavers' Assembly and BBQ

21st July—SCHOOL CLOSED INSET

OPAL Equipment

If you have any old bikes, skateboards, scooters, dressing up clothes, small world play, pots, pans or anything else you can think of, please donate to the office. No broken or dirty items please!



Parent Pay

From January, we will not be accepting any cash in school. Please make sure you have the Parent Pay app up and running - more info to follow!



Own Clothes Friday 30th June

All children are welcome to wear their own clothes this Friday, in exchange for a chocolate bar to be used as a Summer Fayre prize.

NO NUTS PLEASE!



School Attendance

Last week our overall school attendance was **92%**. If your child is unwell, you **must** call the school office on 0117 377 2080, **every day** by 9am, to let us know, leaving your child's name and class.

Polite reminder: All parents and carers have a responsibility to get their children into school on time, by 8:45, each day. If your child arrives late, this will be marked on the register. Arrival after 9:10am will be considered an unauthorised absence and may be subject to a Penalty Notice. Penalty notices are a fine of £60 per child, per adult.

Unfortunately we are unable to authorise holidays during term time. If you take your child away during term time, they will be marked as unauthorized, and you may face a Penalty Notice. **If you are planning on going away, you must complete a holiday request form. If your child doesn't attend school and we have not been given a reason, the school are obliged to contact Education Welfare, who will investigate your child's absence.**

Lion King Performance

Year 6 would like your old, sheer tights for Lion King costumes please! Lion brown & and hyena grey/black would be fab, but other colours and patterns could also come in handy - a few holes won't matter. Also shaggy fake fur items that can be cut up.....Please give to Y6 staff or Candy.



Hot Weather

Please make sure children are provided with a drink and or hat during this hot weather. Please note we are unable to apply sun cream at school, so this should be applied before coming to school. Coats are unnecessary!



SEND Benefits

[Bristol Children's Disability Register](#)

If your child has special education needs, you can register for a pink card which will give you discounts to a range of activities throughout Bristol. Click on the link to take you to the web page to register.

Do you often feel like you miss out on accessing support for your family?

Sign up to our newsletter today to find out about free local support and information from across Bristol

www.bristolparentcarers.org.uk/join-us/



If you are worried about a child or young person who could be in danger, please contact:

First Response on 0117 903 6444

or the NSPCC on 0808 800500

or contact the police directly by dialing 101.



In an emergency always contact the police by dialing 999.

Family Support

If your child and/or family needs support, please don't hesitate to call us on 01173 772 080 and ask to speak to;

Anna Hicks - Family Support Worker (for housing, immigration queries, benefits, access to foodbanks etc.)

anna.hicks@bannermanroadbristol.org

Sian Lennox-Gordon - Pastoral Lead (for support with mental health, behaviour or attendance)

sian.lennox-gordon@bannermanroadbristol.org

If you have a concern or would like to arrange a meeting to discuss any of these issues, including bullying or safeguarding please contact us via phone or email.

