



## *Balfour Junior Academy*

*A part of the Fort Pitt Thomas  
Aveling Academy Trust*



**Thursday, 18<sup>th</sup> May 2017**

Dear Parents and Friends



Mr Gary Wood, who coaches the Balfour Academy football squads, would like to thank all the Parents for their amazing support throughout the season. A special thank you goes to Mr Bob Colyer for refereeing most of our matches this year. Our team have achieved many successes with Mr Wood's skilful guidance and are now successfully through to the district final at Greenacre next week.

We would also like to thank Mr Wood for all his continued hard work and for giving up his own time so readily to work with the children after school.

Please don't forget our 'Bags to School' collection at school next Tuesday, 23<sup>rd</sup> May 2017 at 9.00, helping us to raise much needed funds for resources for the children. We are sorry but no bags can be accepted before Tuesday morning drop off.

On Friday, 26<sup>th</sup> the prize for the house who have collected the most house points will be an hours outdoor activity on the field. Winners will be announced in assembly that morning.

### **Year 6 Leavers Hoodies and T-Shirts**

Just a reminder, if year 6 children would like to purchase a leavers hoodie or T-shirt. Orders need to be placed by **Friday 26<sup>th</sup> May**, along with full payment.

Thank you.



**Dates**

Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> May 2017	CPD day for staff training and the school is closed to children
Tuesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> May 2017	Bags for school day
Monday 29 <sup>th</sup> May to Friday 2 <sup>nd</sup> June 2017	Half term break
Thursday 8 <sup>th</sup> June 2017	School closed for polling
Wednesday 7 <sup>th</sup> June and Friday 9 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 3 production
Friday 23 <sup>rd</sup> June	Year 6 French trip leaves
Thursday 29 <sup>th</sup> June	New Parents meeting
Thursday 6 <sup>th</sup> July 2017	Transition day when children meet their new teachers
Friday 7 <sup>th</sup> July 2017	School Fair
Tuesday 11 <sup>th</sup> July 2017	Year 5 production
Monday 17 <sup>th</sup> July 2017	Sports day
Wednesday 19 <sup>th</sup> July 2017	School discos
Friday 21 <sup>st</sup> July 2017	End of term and a tag day

*With very best wishes*

*Kim Parnell*

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