

Term 6
12th June
2026



School News

Attendance 1st – 12th June 95%

To report an absence, please use **Arbor**
Email the office at **office@barming.kent.sch.uk**
Call **01622 726472**

Welcome to Term 6!

The children have settled beautifully into Term 6. We are incredibly proud of Year 1 for completing their phonics screening, and Year 4 for their multiplication checks!

It has already been a busy week, with Year 3 starting their swimming lessons and Year 1 enjoying a fantastic African Workshop. Meanwhile, YR delighted us all in their assembly by singing beautifully in both English and French.

Keep an eye out for the upcoming events!

Important Dates this Term

- **Tuesday 23rd & 25th June:** Parent Consultations
- **Thursday 25th June:** 9am Year 1 Year Group Assembly- 2 adults per child only please
- **Friday 26th June:** PTA Colour Run
- **Thursday 2nd July:** Transition Day
- **Friday 3rd July:** Own clothes day – supporting Slide Away
- **Friday 10th July: Sports Day:** Morning (10.30am to 12pm) YR, Y1, Y2
Afternoon Sports Day (1.30pm to 3pm) Y3, Y4, Y5 & Y6.
- **(Reserve Sports Day will be Tuesday 14th July.)**
- **Monday 13th July to Wednesday 15th July:** Year 6 Bikability Level 2
- **Monday 13th July:** Sports Day: Pre-School Only (9.30am to 10.30am)
- **Tuesday 14th July:** Year 6 Give back to the school day! (Old clothes needed)
- **Thursday 16th July:** Year 6 Parent Picnic with Parents/Carers 1.30pm to 2pm followed by Year 6 Class Leavers Service/Production 2pm
- **Friday 17th July:** Last day of term (normal finish time)
- **INSET Four: Monday 20th July 2026**
- **INSET Five: Tuesday 21st July 2026**

Class Photos

Don't forget to order your class photos!

Children went home with their photo proofs this week. You have until the **24th June 2026** to order, thank you!



Introducing 'LEGO Build & Talk': Digital Safety Through Play!

Looking for a fun, screen-free way to talk to your child about online safety? Grab some bricks and try the free LEGO Build & Talk challenges this weekend to turn big digital topics into a casual family playtime!

The topics covered include: "Screen Time", "Balance", "Cyberbullying", "Privacy & Sharing", "Online Strangers"

You don't need to buy anything new to take part. You can download the free, easy-to-follow activity packs directly from the official website: lego.com/aboutus/digital-child-safety.

Packed Lunches

If your child is booked for a packed lunch, please remember to send them to school with it. Last week we had a number of children who didn't have their lunch with them. Thankyou!

Sunny, but don't forget a coat!

Weather can be unpredictable, and the children often need a coat for outdoor play times even if it looks bright in the morning. Please ensure they bring one along every day!

Nurture Term 6: The Importance of Transition Into Children's Lives – We All Have Changes In Our Lives, Nurture Helps Us Cope

There is a lot of change coming up for the children. We hold transition days in Term 6 for children to get comfortable in their new classrooms & with their new teachers & TA's. During this day the children will have a whole school assembly, complete a transition booklet & take part in some activities. Our Year 6's have transition lessons in which they too complete a transition booklet, to help them prepare for secondary school. We also have Secondary PCSOs in to discuss transition to secondary school to help keep them safe.

This terms nurture competition for the children is to write or draw me a story, telling me about a big change you have had in your life.

The deadline for this competition is **10th July**. Please make sure your name and class are on your entry and give it to your class teacher, the office or Mrs Selfe. Prizes will be given to the winners.

Great work!



Golden Duster Award

5th June: Hippopotamus

Punctuality Pup



5th June: Husky

Attendance Ted



5th June: Flamingo

Key Stage 2
TT Rockstars Champions of the Week

5th June:
Husky: Freya S
Wolf: Libby P
Jaguar: Lily-May D
Cheetah: Joseph M
Panda: Ben M
Hippopotamus: Khalid J
Giraffe: Maxwell W
Elephant: Thomas J

Active Award: Elephant



Key Stage 1 Numbots
Champions of the Week

5th June:
Hedgehog: Cooper N
Squirrel: Noah W
Penguin: George R
Flamingo: Ralphie J
Active Award: Squirrel

Out of School Achievements

Well done to **Erin S, Bobby C, Thomas C, and Freddie S** who won their Football Tournament recently!

It was during the hot weather and they faced some difficult teams. Their team won the final on penalties, well done!

Pupils of the Week
5th June

Dragonfly: Sapphire B
Ladybird: Ronnie S
Hedgehog: Evie G
Squirrel: Wyatt A
Penguin: Blu G
Flamingo: Patrick R
Husky: Scarlett S
Wolf: Ella-Rose L
Jaguar: Lily-May D
Cheetah: Arthur L
Panda: Isaac J
Hippopotamus: Amelia F
Giraffe: Benjamin N
Elephant: Zeeva U

COLOUR RUN

All children from Year R-6 are invited to take part in the Colour Run. Parents & Carers are invited to join us to watch the event at staggered start times on the school field.

Please complete the **PERMISSION FORM** on the ARBOR App by **19th June** to take part. Have you started collecting Sponsorship using the form that came home last week?

All profits raised go towards our annual fundraising target for the school.

Have you purchased your Colour Run Merchandise ahead of the event?

Please head to the PTA website to purchase TShirts, Safety Goggles, wristbands, additional colour powder and hotdogs in advance. **Sales CLOSE this Monday 15th June.**

Event Link to order:

<https://www.pta-events.co.uk/barmingpta/index.cfm?event=event&eventId=116577>

The PTA will require Volunteers to help set up the event, tracks, marquees, during the races etc... so there are several timeslots available. Please give whatever time you can to ensure this event runs as smoothly as possible - many hands make light work!

Sign up to volunteer via the PTA Website

PTA Information

Fathers Day

Celebrate your special Father figure this year with a Father's Day Gift Bag created by the PTA. Online sales CLOSE TONIGHT 12th June at 10pm. Link to purchase Gift Bags:

<https://www.ptaevents.co.uk/barmingpta/index.cfm?event=event&eventId=116574>

We will also be holding a 'Pop Up' stall on Friday 19th June where there will be a FREE photo opportunity and chance to create a FREE thumbprint card, along with balloons & refreshments.



PTA EVENTS: Term 5 & 6

12th June - Uniform Sale

19th June - Father's Day Stall

26th June - Colour run

3rd July - Ice Cream Sales 1

17th July - Ice Cream Sales 2

PTA Website: <https://www.pta-events.co.uk/barmingpta/index.cfm> for more info & tickets.

Ad Hoc Volunteering Whatsapp Alerts: <https://chat.whatsapp.com/BarmingPTAVolunteers>

Online Uniform requests via email: barmingschoolpta@hotmail.co.uk

