

BPSS Primary Newsletter April 2023



WELCOME

We hope you had an enjoyable Easter break and are ready for the summer events we have planned.

Last term we had some amazing events. Firstly, we had two cross country meets with over 400 runners across the two days with Holly Park and Broadfields coming out as winners!

BPSS organized the Annual Dance Festival from 6th-10th March. It was a full of such amazing talent. A huge thank you to Anne Fisher and Kim Henderson for all their efforts to make such an eventful week memorable.

For the first of four football events in March, we were at The Compton Powerleague for the Year3&4 Girls Football festival. This was the first of four Football festivals delivered in partnership with Non-Stop Action. Congratulations to the winners: Brunswick Park, who qualified to represent Barnet at the School Games Finals.

On the following Monday it was the turn of KS1 to take to the pitches at Compton Powerleague for the Y1&2 Girl's football festival. Everyone played well and enjoyed the atmosphere. Thank you to The Compton for hosting.

Next, we were at The Ark Pioneer for Sitting Volleyball. Pupils got to learn some games and new skills. Schools put their new skills to the test in some exciting matches. Congratulations to our Yr3&4 winners Wessex Gardens, and we wish our Yr5&6 winners The Orion the best of luck at the School Games Finals.

The final two football events started with the Y1/2 Mixed. We ended the football with the Y3/4 Mixed event with a big congratulations to Cromer Road as winners.

Summer term event bookings are now open, please visit the BPSS website to book and to see the full list of events.

The School Games Mark Criteria can be found [HERE](#). Applications open on 3rd May, please contact your SGO for support in completing the application.

We would like to take this opportunity to thank you all for your continued support and engagement.

As always, please let us know if there is anything we can help support you with.

All the best,

The BPSS Team 😊

Up and Coming BPSS Events

April

26th Panathlon (SEND)

May

3rd Y3/4 Red Ball Tennis

11th Y3/4- Tri Golf

17th Y5/6 Mixed Cricket

17th Y5/6 Girls Cricket

19th Y5/6 Rugby League

25th SEND Barnet Bar No One Festival

****Event bookings for April-July are now open****

If you would like further information or to book events, please visit the [BPSS website](#).

Please make sure you are able to attend before booking on. If you require a log in, please contact your SGO.

BPSS Update

BPSS Virtual Skipping Challenges

The year 1 and Inclusive KS1 challenge is currently running until the 25th May.

Please enter your results onto the BPSS website [Here](#).

| Year Group: | Start Date: | End Date: |
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KS1 Games Mark

We are excited to announce the return of the BPSS KS1 Games Mark. This award recognises schools hard work to engage KS1 students in physical activity and sport. Schools will be able to apply for bronze, silver, gold and platinum levels if they meet the set criteria. If you would like to view this year's KS1 Games Mark criteria, please click [Here](#)

PE & School Sport Apprenticships

If you're interested in finding out about employing a PE and School Sport Apprentice, please see attached flyer for further details.

BPSS PARTNERS

Daily Mile

The daily mile is a free and simple children's health initiative that involves nursery and primary school children running, walking and jogging for 15 minutes every day.

Schools can sign up for free to access online resources and virtual commonwealth maps. Please click the link [HERE](#) if you would like further information or sign up.

ULEZ ZONE

Many not-for-profit organisations that operate minibuses used for community transport can register for a temporary 100% discount of the ULEZ charge until 26 October 2025.

Once you have registered your vehicle and your eligibility has been confirmed, you will not be charged the ULEZ charge until after the end date of the grace period on 26 October 2025. After this date, all minibuses will need to meet the ULEZ emissions standard or pay the daily ULEZ charge.

To apply click [HERE](#)

Barnet Nightingales – Free Girls Football Sessions

The club are providing free sessions taking place at Barnet Powerleague. Session dates and bookings can be found [HERE](#)
Please share the below flyer with your students



Saracens Inclusive Sports Club

For all young people with disabilities aged 8-13

Mondays 4:30pm-5:30pm

StoneX Stadium, Barnet

Sarries RFC - Tag Rugby

Strictly Sarries - Dance

Sarries Track Club - Athletics

Email ellawyrwas@saracens.net for more information or to register your interest now!



CPD

LTA - FREE Teacher Training

The LTA Youth Schools Programme brings together inclusive PE lesson plans, personal development

Resources, teacher training and much more. It's all been designed by teachers, for teachers, and it's all free.

Take part by clicking [HERE](#) and complete the online training to receive a £250 reward voucher for your school.

Well Schools

There is a growing community of like-minded professionals and stakeholders committed to creating the happiest and healthiest learners in the world. By joining the Well School community you will get FREE access to:



School-led practice and examples, Guidance and support from experts and leaders, Conversations with like-minded experts and practitioners, training, resources and support from partners

[Click Here](#) to join and find out further information.

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