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"Barnabas, the Encourager"

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After School Clubs – Important Information New Booking System

Dear Parents / Carers

We have introduced an online system for booking after school clubs. This system will also be used for booking appointment times for Parents' Evenings and other events that do not require payment. We hope that this will avoid paper club letters and reply slips being lost / left in book bags and help you to know quickly which clubs your child has a place at.

How to book

The system should hopefully be easy and quick for you to use. In order to book the clubs that your child would like to attend, Please visit <https://stbarnabasyork.parentseveningsystem.co.uk/v2/> and log in with your child's name and date of birth.

Following this, please choose 'Events' and you will be able to see the different after school clubs on offer. All clubs will begin on week beginning 25th September and run for the whole term except for Y3/4 Tag Rugby which will run only after the half term break. Clubs are detailed at the end of this letter. We do not generally run clubs for children in Reception until the summer term.

If you do not have access to the internet or you have any problems booking places, please contact the school office who will be happy to add appointments on your behalf.

To allow as many children as possible to be able to attend a club of their choice, you will only be able to book a maximum of 2 clubs for your child. If all the places have been taken at your club of choice, you can add your child to a waiting list. We will then notify you if a place becomes available.

If you have booked a place online, your child will have a place at this club. You should hopefully receive an email detailing your booking.

You will be able to add a note with your booking. Please use this facility to let us know if your child is allowed to walk home alone after the club or any other information that the club leader may need to know.

Bookings will open on Sunday 17th September at 10am and will close on Friday 22nd September at 3pm.

Other important information about clubs

In the past we have had children who have booked a place at a club and not attended this club on a regular basis. This takes up a place that another child could have taken. If your child has attended school but cannot attend the after school club on that day, parents/carers need to notify the school office. We cannot accept this information from children. If your child has not attended a club on more than one occasion without the office being notified we reserve the right to allocate the place to someone on the waiting list.

We expect excellent behaviour at our after school clubs and that our school rules are followed. Children who do not behave well will lose their place at the club.

If you have any questions about clubs or the new system, please get in touch with the office.

Yours sincerely



Miss K Boardman
Headteacher

Autumn Term Clubs

Name of club	Who can attend?	Day/ Time	Start date	End date	Club Leader
Multisports	Y1 & Y2	Mondays 3-4pm	25.9.17	4.12.17	Mr Laverack (External Sports Coach)
Tag Rugby	Y5 & Y6	Fridays 3-4pm	29.9.17	8.12.17	Mr Tansey (External Sports Coach)
Tag Rugby	Y3 & Y4	Thursdays 3-4pm	9.11.17	7.12.17	Mr Herschell-Smith (External Sports Coach)
Choir	Y2 – Y6	Thursdays 3-4pm	28.9.17	7.12.17	Miss Connolly/ Mr Hazeldine
Homework Club*	Y2-6	Mondays 3-4pm	25.9.17	4.12.17	Miss Boardman/ Mr Cummming

Notes about clubs

Choir: We will be taking part in the Young Voices Concert at Sheffield Arena in January, an event where several thousand children come together to sing. This is a brilliant event and we have taken part several times. Children who would like to take part in this concert will need to attend choir as they will be preparing for this. Although Year 2 children can attend choir, they will not be able to attend the Young Voices Concert as it is a long day usually a late return back to school (approx. 10:30pm).

Homework Club: This is an opportunity for children to have a quiet space to do any homework they have been set including practicing their basic skills such as reading, spelling and maths. They will have some access to computers to help them with this. There will be no homework club on Mondays 13th and 27th November due to staff training.