



1st July 2026

End of Summer Term

Dear Parents and carers,

A note of thanks

As we reach the end of a very busy and successful year at Barnhill, it is a pleasure to reflect on all that has been achieved. It has been wonderful to see our students flourish in their learning and respond so positively to the challenges of modern school life. Alongside the hard work taking place every day in lessons, students have also enjoyed a wide range of curriculum enrichment opportunities and reward trips as the summer term draws to a close.

Please accept my thanks on behalf of the school for the support that all parents, carers and families give to the school each year. Barnhill is only here to serve our local community and we take great pride in our work.

Events leading up to the end of term

This Friday 3rd July – C6 Cricket Fundraiser for the Cricketers’ Trust and sport at Barnhill.

This was postponed last Friday due to the heat. Students who have purchased tickets are looking forward to taking their seats and cheering on our Barnhill Gladiators as they face visiting team, ‘Sam’s Sixers’. Special thanks to our visiting guests of honour including TV’s the Analyst, Simon Hughes; the co-founder of C6, Raj Chitaly; famous businessman Raj Bencil; and national cricket coach Tanvir Ahmed.

Thursday 9th July Summer Concert 7-8pm

Music students and those with just a passion for performing are busy rehearsing as they prepare to take to the stage. As always, Mrs Arnold and Miss Dunn will be alongside and behind them all to ensure they perform at their best. Do join us for another wonderful evening, doors open at **6:50pm**.

Friday 10th July Sports Day

Mr Chavda and Mr Clyne will write soon regarding arrangements as we are running separate events for each key stage. It promises to be an exciting day of sport as Houses compete to become champions.

Thursday 16th July Cultural Dress Day

This non-uniform event is to celebrate the diverse nature of our community as well as raising funds for local charities. For a nominal fee payable on ParentPay, students can be creative with their outfits including national football and cricket tops or attaching flags to their clothes. However, jeans, tracksuit bottoms and hoodies are not permitted and those who prefer not to take part can wear normal uniform.

Deep Learning Days:

Year groups will be out on different days to celebrate the end of term at a theme park:

Wednesday 8 th July	Year 12	Thorpe Park
Thursday 9 th July	Year 7	Chessington World of Adventures
Monday 13 th July	Year 8	Chessington World of Adventures
Tuesday 14 th July	Year 9	Thorpe Park
Wednesday 15 th July	Year 10	Thorpe Park

Last Day of Term & Leaving Assemblies – Friday 17th July

The last day of term will be a half day with end of year assemblies for year groups 7, 8, 9 and 10 taking place during the morning. These are great occasions when students receive awards for their hard work this year.

Dismissal Arrangements

Year Group	Time
Year 7 dismissal	11.40am
Year 8 dismissal	11.50am
Year 9 dismissal	12.15pm
Year 10 dismissal	12.00pm

A level & GCSE Results days

Year 13 results day is on **Thursday the 13th August**.

School will be open for students to collect their results between 9.00am-12.00noon.

Year 11 results day is on **Thursday 20th August**.

We have 'staggered' the arrival times for collecting results according to tutor groups as follows:

Tutor Groups A, B, C and D – 9.00am

Tutor Groups E, F, G, H, I – 10:00am

The new school year arrangements

Tuesday 1st September	Staff training	School closed for students
Wednesday 2nd September	Staff Training	School closed for students
Thursday 3rd September		
Year 12	Arrive at 08:20	Finish at 15:00 (no period 6)
Year 7	Arrive at 09:15	Finish at 14:20
Friday 4th September		
Year 13	Arrive at 08:20	Finish at 15:00
Year 7	Arrive at 08:20	Finish at 14:50
Year 8	Arrive at 09:30	Finish at 15:00
Year 9	Arrive at 09:00	Finish at 15:00
Year 10	Arrive at 10:00	Finish at 15:00
Year 11	Arrive at 08:30	Finish at 15:00
Year 12	Arrive at 08:30	Finish at 15:00

From **Monday 7th September**, normal timings will apply and all students should be in school for **8.20am**.

*A photographer has been booked for Y7, Y9 and Y12 students on **Wednesday 9th September**. Please ensure your child arrives in the appropriate attire.*

Open Day – Thursday 10th September

This is the day we welcome Y6 pupils into school with their families as they consider options for secondary school. **School will close early** on this day to prepare for the evening and open slightly later, on Friday 11th September. Further details will follow at the start of next term.

I wish you all the very best for a restful and enjoyable summer spent with family and friends.



Mr J Jones
Headteacher