

BHJS MAY FAIR – FESTIVAL THEME 18th MAY 2024 12pm – 4pm

We're very excited about this year's Festival themed May Fair taking place on Saturday 18th May. Thank you to all the parents who have supported – we couldn't do it without you!

With just 2 weeks to go, we wanted to share a summary of details for the day and leading up to it:

TIMINGS

• Fair opens at midday until 4pm

ENTRY

- All welcome so please invite friends and family
- Entry suggested donation of 50p/child, £1/adult and £2 per family

WHAT'S ON

- Licensed Bar 5S & 6W
 - Includes Beer, Prosecco, Pimm's, Soft drinks and crisps
- Hot Food 4R & 4H
 - Sausages, Burgers, (vegetarian options available), Chips, Strawberries & Cream
- Kids Snack Bar 6M
 - Candy Floss and snacks
- Inflatables 4B (supported by APEX)
 - 3-part Obstacle Course, Football Shootout, Battlezone and Bouncy castle
- Mystery Bags & Game 3D
- Festival Glam/Tattoos 5L
 - Nails, Glitter, Tattoos & Hair Extensions
- Tombola & Ring Toss 6N
 - Throw and win
- Festival Merchandise: 5HB
 - Bubble Wands, Wrist Bands, Ribbon Wands & Lucky Dip Game
- Hook A Duck 3T
 - Win a Cuddly Toy
- Games Zone 3K
 - Wooden Games, Giant Jenga, Giant Kerplunk
- Ice Cream Van from 3pm to 4pm

RAFFLE

To see details of all the great prizes on offer visit the schools website: https://www.bernardsheathjnr.herts.sch.uk/page/?title=BH+Junior+School+PTA&pid=52

Raffle tickets have been sent home with children and available to purchase for £1 each.

Additional raffle tickets are available at the school office. Please return all tickets, monies, and unused raffle tickets to the school office by **FRIDAY 17**th **MAY**.

ENTERTAINMENT

- Live music from **Ben Jovi & DJs** from **De/Tention**
- BHJ School Choir Performance @ 12pm on Playground
- Head Teacher Mr. Armoogum @ 1:45pm
- Raffle Prize Draw @ 3pm
- Acro/Street Dance @ 12:30pm on Basketball Court

WAYS TO PAY – TOKENS NEW THIS YEAR

The majority of stalls will only be accepting **TOKENS**. This is new for 2024. Each token will be worth £1, and stalls will be priced accordingly. Tokens can be bought in advance on the school playground after school on **THURSDAY MAY 16**th AND **FRIDAY MAY 17**th as well as on the day of the fair. They will be available in packs of £5 or £10 and can be bought with either card or cash.

*Please note there are no refunds for tokens purchased

On the day Cash/Card will only be accepted at the following stalls:

- Bar
- Food
- Snack Stall
- Festival Merchandise
- Tokens
- Raffle Tickets
- Entrance

THINGS & DATES TO KNOW

May 3rd Friday – 2 x Mystery bags coming home with children to decorate and fill. See separate letter for details.

May 7th, Tuesday – Soft Toy Donation Day. Bring unwanted soft toys (clean and new/great condition) into school at drop off (AM). See separate letter for more details.

May 16th Thursday & 17th Friday – Purchase tokens in playground after school.

May 17th **Friday** – Tombola Non-Uniform day. Bring in a donation for the Tombola. See separate letter with details, especially for Year 6.

May 17th Friday – Raffle Tickets deadline – school office

On the Day Donations - FOOD

We'd be grateful for the following food donations brought to school from 10am morning of the fair:

- Strawberries
- Cakes (Preferably in separate portions)
- Crisps
- Chocolate Bars

To help give us an idea of what to expect, please complete the following form to indicate which items you are able to donate:

https://forms.gle/ZgFhcPQ7E8g8EUFv7

NOTE: Please ensure all food donations DO NOT CONTAIN NUTS

SIGN UP, SIGN UP

We need YOUR help to make the Fair a fabulous fun day for all families! Please, if you can, donate an hour or two of your time to help. Sign up below! It really does make all the difference.

https://volunteersignup.org/WTCWY

UNABLE TO ATTEND BUT WOULD STILL LIKE TO CONTRIBUE

If you're unable to make it to the May Fair but would still like to support the event and would like to make a donation you can now do this via School Gateway. An optional payment has been set up.

POLITE REMINDERS

Parking

Parking on the day of the fair is only for individuals bringing big/heavy items for the fair or those that need a car for mobility.

Toilets

There will be 4 portaloos available; there will be no access to toilets inside the school.

School Access

The only access into school will be into the dining hall and assembly hall. The rest of the school will be closed off during the fair.

Water Bottles

Please do bring refillable water bottles as cups will only be available for drinks purchased at the bar.

Playground equipment

The school playground equipment must not be used by any child during the Fair. The Fair is a PTA-led event, therefore a parent initiative and not a school day.