

# Baydon St Nicholas Governors Newsletter

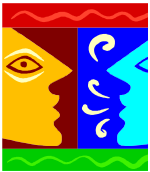


Welcome to the Governors newsletter giving you a flavour of some of the work we are doing on behalf of our school

## OUR BUILDING FOR THE FUTURE EDITION!

We are very pleased to be able to inform you about the new building in this edition of the newsletter! We thank all staff for their continuing hard work, community members who have helped move and store furniture and Allison Dobson who brings her expertise as an Associate Governor during the building process. We particularly want you to pass our thanks onto your children who are engaging with interest and whose good behaviour remains exemplary. We are all very positive, as we hope you are, about the new venture which is going to significantly improve the school experience for the children with the minimum of disruption and with school up and running 'business as usual'!

## Keeping in touch



The usual methods of communication are in place; your child's class teacher is as always the first port of call. You can see those Governors with children around the school; remember Dan and Harriet are your Parent Governors with specific responsibility for representing your views to the Governing Board and also that Denise, our Chair can be contacted via the school office. Our main mode of communication about the build will be through Parentmail so do keep an eye out for your regular parentmail updates on the Build's progress!

## Fundraising Timetable (dates tbc)

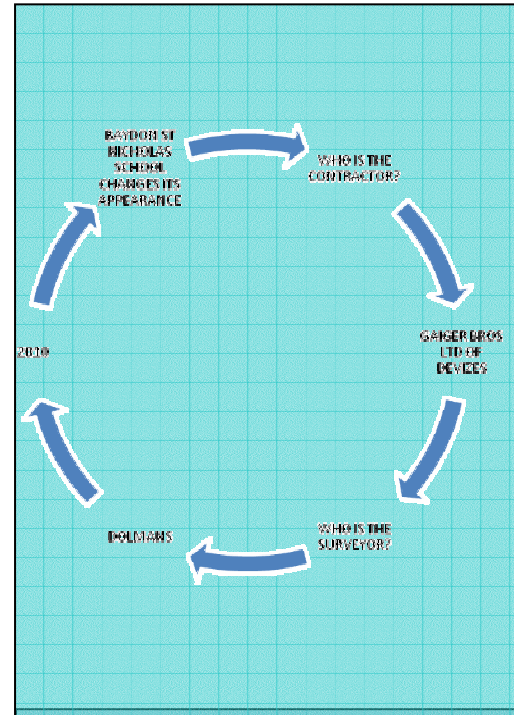
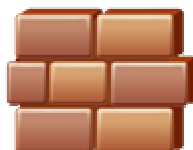
Race Night 26<sup>th</sup> Feb

Eggstravaganza

Car wash

Summer Fete

BUY A BRICK CAMPAIGN



'Bob The Builder' Darren from Dolmans meets the children at school on February 9<sup>th</sup> talk about the new build!



## PROPOSED TIMEABLE FOR THE DREAM SCHOOL PROJECT BECOMING BAYDON ST NICHOLAS SCHOOL FOR THE 21<sup>ST</sup> CENTURY

- **SATURDAY 13 February 2010 – THE CONTRACTORS SET UP THEIR SITE**
- **MONDAY 15 FEBRUARY 2010 – THE PROJECT BEGINS**
- **15 JULY 2010 – PHASE ONE COMPLETED**
- **27 AUGUST 2010 – PHASE TWO COMPLETED**

**WARNING: THESE ARE PROVISIONAL COMPLETION DATES – THEY ARE NOT SET IN STONE!**

THE HEALTH AND SAFETY EXECUTIVE HAVE BEEN INFORMED OF THE COMMENCEMENT OF OUR SCHOOL IMPROVEMENTS. GAIGER BROS LTD AND OUR SCHOOL WILL ENSURE ALL NECESSARY MEASURES ARE TAKEN TO ENSURE THE SAFETY AND WELLBEING OF OUR CHILDREN DURING THIS DEVELOPMENT.

## Hellos and Goodbyes

Since our last Newsletter we have welcomed two new Governors Wendy Appello and Dan Crawley who bring plenty of knowledge and expertise to the Governing Body. Hello also to Clare Herring our new Clerk.

Dan is our new parent governor so do feel free to approach him with any ideas or questions you may have.

We also say Goodbye and thank you to Gordon Lundie and Coralie Warner.

## Vacancies

MDSA's (lunchtime duty)

Come and talk to us if you are interested.

## Building For The Future: Our Dream is becoming a reality!

Since our last newsletter our exciting new building project is becoming a reality! Our Fundraising total is now an **amazing £20,000!** Many fundraising events have taken place, with more planned. We are keen for everyone to be involved so if you have any ideas or would like to organize an event please contact our Fundraising Committee who will be happy to help you maximize your takings via gift aid. Keep an eye on the School window of the shop where you will see a calendar of events so you know when to organize yours.