

# BARKERS POINT SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER NO. 8

APRIL 2021

The sun was warm but the wind was chill.  
You know how it is with an April day.  
~Robert Frost



As March turns to April and Winter turns to Spring the students and staff of Barkers Point School are dreaming of sunny days and warmer temperatures. We look forward to playing soccer, skipping, and drawing with sidewalk chalk. All sure signs that Spring is here!

## Second Reporting Period

Report cards for students were sent home on Wednesday, March 31<sup>st</sup>. Parent Teacher Interviews are scheduled for Tuesday, April 13<sup>th</sup> from 4 pm – 7 pm and again on Wednesday, April 14<sup>th</sup> from 9 am – 12 pm. Schools are closed for students on April 14<sup>th</sup>. During the afternoon of the 14<sup>th</sup> staff will be involved in professional learning activities.



Before speaking to your child's teacher, please take some time to review their report card with them and help them in making attainable goals for the last few months of the school year. The staff is dedicated to supporting your child in fulfilling their goals!

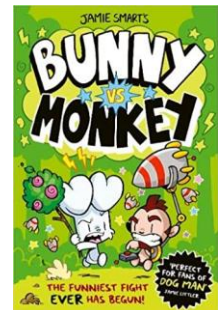
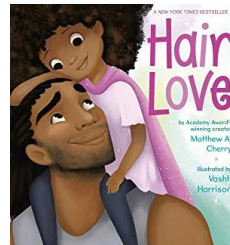
## School Closures



Schools will be closed on Friday, April 2<sup>nd</sup>, Good Friday, and again on Monday, April 5<sup>th</sup> for Easter Monday. Classes will resume on Tuesday April 6<sup>th</sup>.

## Literacy Corner

Here's what's new in the BPS library . . . why not sign one out today!



### Mathematics Corner

<b>K-1 Math Problem of the Month:</b>	<p>Draw a row of shapes in which the first shape is round and the third shape is square.</p> <p>How many shapes might there be?</p>
<b>2-3 Math Problem of the Month</b>	<p>A number is exactly 212 tens.</p> <p>What is the number?</p>
<b>4-5 Math Problem of the Month</b>	<p>Make up a word problem in which at least 3 numbers, each greater than 100, are added</p>



### Guidance Corner



The students and staff of Barkers Point School focused on KINDNESS during the month of March. A member of the Educational Support Services Team

visited your child's class for a kindness story and once again for a kindness activity. Although March was 'Kindness Month' our goal is to make kindness on-going . . something we practice every day!

#### Important Dates to Remember

**April 1<sup>st</sup>** – May Hot Lunch order forms go home today

**April 2<sup>nd</sup>** – Schools Closed for Good Friday

**April 5<sup>th</sup>** – Schools Closed for Easter Monday

**April 7<sup>th</sup>** – PSSC Meeting 6 pm (TEAMS format)

**April 7<sup>th</sup>** – Home & School Meeting 7 pm (TEAMS format)

**April 8<sup>th</sup>** – Milk order forms for May & June go home today

**April 12<sup>th</sup>** – Ramadan Begins

**April 12<sup>th</sup>** – May Hot Lunch orders are due today

**April 13<sup>th</sup>** – Parent Teacher Interviews (4 pm – 7 pm)

**April 14<sup>th</sup>** – Parent Teacher Interviews (9:00 am – 12:00 pm)

**April 14<sup>th</sup>** – No classes for students

**April 19<sup>th</sup>** – Milk Orders for May/June are due today!