



Burford Primary School

Respect, Achieve, Aspire

Friday 14th July 2023 Newsletter 12

So with just one week to go until the end of the academic year, it is a pleasure to be celebrating the children's achievements through their end of year report. We hope you enjoy learning more about the milestones your child has made.

Upper School are very excited about their forthcoming production "The Minotaur". I have certainly enjoyed hearing their enthusiastic singing as it travels down the hall towards my room. The children will be rehearsing at Burford Secondary School on Monday morning (we will be travelling by coach) and then returning in time for lunch and a more restful afternoon. Please can the children arrive at Burford Secondary School at 5.15pm in preparation for the performance. Parents will be welcomed into the hall to find a seat at 5.50pm. There are plenty of available seats for parents and family members, so please do come along and enjoy what promises to be a highlight of our year. (No tickets needed).

Later next week, we are looking forward to the Year 6's leavers assembly in the school hall on Thursday at 9am. The children will bring home three tickets per family for this event today.

Weather permitting, the Year 6's and their families are invited to a social on the paddock at 6pm later the same day. Food will be provided for our leavers.

Our children in Warwick Class have been making invitations for their parents to attend a celebration of their recent learning next Tuesday at 2.30pm. Do join us if you are able to.

This week, we were treated to a performance from our guitarists (please see the photos in this newsletter). Next week, our pianists will be playing for us and Upper School will be performing their favourite songs from the Production to the rest of the school.

Finally, our Year 2's were treated to a fantastic cricket event with Burford Partnership. (You can see photos of this event also in this week's newsletter).

Hoping for some more summer-like weather next week, to get us in the mood for the forthcoming holidays.

Elizabeth Mason



Attendance



Our whole school attendance Week beg 10.07.23	Our school target
93.5%	97%

You are warmly invited to attend **Meet the Teacher** Events and find out more about life and expectations in each class.

Windrush	Tues 12 th Sept 3.30pm
Tolsey	Tues 12 th Sept 3.30pm
Wysdom	Thurs 14 th Sept 3.30pm
Priory	Thurs 14 th Sept 3.30pm

A Powerpoint presentation of information shared at these will be available on the school website following these dates.

Safeguarding Children – what to do if you think a child is at risk of abuse or neglect:

Immediate danger – if you think a child is in immediate danger, call the police on 999

Immediate concern – if you have a concern about a child, please call MASH on 0345 050 7666

A special helpline is available if you are concerned that a child you know is being **sexually exploited**, contact the Kingfisher Team on 01865 309196

[Concerned about a child / OSCB](#)

End of year school reports will be sent home with the children today. These will include Statutory Assessment and National Test results and end of year assessment judgements as appropriate.



PTA Icecream & Pre-loved uniform today at 3.15pm

(please see today's parentmail for more details).

Year 2 Cricket Event





Guitar Performance





Dates for your diary

Monday 17th July 6.00pm	Upper School Production 6pm in the hall at Burford Secondary School -Parents and carers are all very welcome to come and watch the performance, (no tickets needed) Please see parent mail 10.07.23.
Tuesday 18th July 2.30pm	Warwick Class parents are invited to celebrate their children's learning.
Thursday 20th July 6.00-8.00pm	Year 6 Leavers Assembly at school 9am (see parent mail 07.07.23) 3 tickets per family were sent home with the children today. Please bring your tickets with you to this event to help us meet fire regulations.
	Year 6 Leavers Social event 6 – 8pm on the paddock for children and their families - food provided for Year 6 children and parents are welcome to bring their own nut-free refreshments. (see parentmail 07.07.23)
Friday 21st July	3.15pm Finish for the summer holidays there will be no after school club on this day
Monday 4th September	Back to school Gates open at 8.30am for an 8.45am prompt start to learning

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Ages
8-12



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No Experience Necessary

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Sat 22nd July
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Alvescot Rd, OX18 3JL



Save the Children



Summer Reading Challenge 2023



Ready, Set, Read!



Get active this summer with a
FREE children's reading challenge at
your local Oxfordshire library!

8 July to 9 September 2023

Read library books and meet the
Ready, Set, Read! friends, who are working together
and using their skills to complete an obstacle course.

Finish the challenge and get your
own medal and certificate!

Look out for fantastic new
books and activities at your
library!

www.oxfordshire.gov.uk/libraries
www.summerreadingchallenge.org.uk



SUMMER
READING
CHALLENGE



We would love lots of our children to join the **Summer Reading Challenge**. It's a great way to enjoy a fantastic variety of books for free. You can use any local library to where you live.

Children will be encouraged to read at least six library books of their choice over the summer holidays. As they read, they collect stickers (some smelly) and rewards. If they complete the Challenge, they will be rewarded with a Ready, Set, Read! medal and certificate. It's fun! It's free! It's local!

[The Summer Reading Challenge](http://www.summerreadingchallenge.org.uk) website has ideas of books to read, games to play, competitions to enter and more....



INFLATABLE FOOTBALL FUN

SUMMER HOLIDAY

PROGRAMME! AGES 4-12

**Ducklington Sports Club, Aston Road,
Ducklington, OX29 7US**

Dates: Tues 25th - Thurs 27th July 2023
Tues 8th - Thurs 10th August 2023
Tues 22nd - Thurs 24th August 2023

**Gateway Primary School, Netheravon Close,
Carterton OX18 3SF**

Dates: Tues 1st - Thurs 3rd August 2023
Tues 15th - Thurs 17th August 2023
Tues 29th - Thurs 31st August 2023

Time: 9.30am to 2.30pm
(drop off as early as 9am, pick up to 3pm)

Cost: £15/day

To register your child, please go to
www.enrolmy.com/footy-kids

All of our programmes are based around having lots of fun. No lines, drills or running around cones, instead games where all kids have a ball and are learning basic skills of football whilst having big smiles on their faces.

Mini tournaments everyday. Coaches are qualified and DBS checked and are big kids at heart!

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT US AT

 www.footykids.org  tomspeers@footykids.org  Footykids

 or call and speak to Tom on 07940 070 082

Summer Term 2 House Point Winners

Green House (Fulbrook) are the winners of this term's house point tokens.

Congratulations to everyone in Green.

You are invited to celebrate your success by wearing your own clothes to school on Friday 21st July.



BURFORD TOWN COUNCIL

July 2023

Dear Residents and Friends,

Town Council Playground Project

Thank you for all for your continued support with our playground project. The Crowdfunder page has now closed and, together with monies donated directly to the Town Council, we have raised over £25,000. This is an incredible amount, and we are hugely grateful to everyone who has contributed.

The Town Council met at the start of July to assess the plans and details provided by two playground companies. Both of the designs were based on the information provided by respondents to the online consultation and at the Eco Day in March. After much discussion and deliberation, the Council have chosen to work with a playground specialist company called Proludic. The picture below gives a better idea of what we hope to achieve. There is also a QR code which will take you on a virtual tour of the design. A paper copy is available to view at the council office and we have also posted it on our Facebook page. Please take a look; we really hope you like the plan but do let us know if you have any concerns.



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Now that we have chosen our supplier, we can apply for a National Lottery grant, and this is being done at the moment. We are not sure yet when construction will start, but we hope the playground will be finished by next spring. Fundraising will continue throughout the summer. We are also planning to organise a Race Night at the Bowls Club on October 7th. It promises to be a fabulous evening so please put it in your diary and come and support us. We will let you know the details at the start of September.

You can follow us on FaceBook for regular updates about the Project. If you can help in any way or would like to know further details, please get in touch.

With thanks again for your continued support

Clr Jo Rushton and the Playground Committee