



Burrsville Infants - Newsletter

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September 8th 2017

Clubs to follow

Holiday dates 2017/18

Non pupil day 4 Sep 17
Children back 5 Sep
New intake start
Monday 11 Sept 10.00am

Oct Half-term

23 – 27 Oct
Non pupil day 20 Oct 17
Break up for Christmas
20 Dec 17

Christmas break

21 Dec 17 – 1 Jan 18
Non pupil days
2 & 3 Jan
Children back 4 Jan 18

Feb Half term

12 Feb – 16 Feb

Easter break

Non pupil day 29 Mar
30 Mar – 13 Apr
Children back 16 Apr

Summer Half Term

28 May – 1 Jun
Non pupil day 4 Jun
Children back 5 Jun

Last day of school year

20 July 2018

Dinner Menu

Week beginning
11 Sep
summer menu
Week 2



Dear parents/carers,

Welcome back! It has been lovely to see you all this week. I have really enjoyed catching up with you and hearing about your holidays. The children have been very keen to show me their new shoes and school uniforms! I have been so impressed and proud of the way our year 1 and 2 children have settled straight back into their learning and the positive attitudes they have been displaying. Well done, everyone!

As I mentioned in July, a few new faces have joined our team and I would like to take this opportunity to officially welcome them to our school family. This year we have been joined by Mr Wainford, our new assistant head and Willow class teacher; Miss Goncalves who is Rowan class teacher; Miss Croucher who is Cedar class teacher and Miss Kent, Elder class teacher. We also have one goodbye – I would like to thank Mrs Wilkinson for her contribution to school life and wish her all the very best for the future.

I look forward to seeing parents of children in years 1 and 2 over the coming weeks as you are invited to attend our 'Meet the Teacher' events - year 2 on Friday 15th and year 1 on Tuesday 19th September. Both meetings will start at 3pm and will be held in your child's new classroom. I highly recommend you attend the meeting if you possibly can as they will provide you with all the information you need to know for the year ahead. It will also provide you with the opportunity to say hello to your child's new class teacher and ask them any questions you may have.

As part of our safeguarding training this week, I have shared with staff our new e-safety and social media policy. The policy sets out the Reach2 criteria for staff using social media, and states that school staff must not accept any future friend requests from parents. If you have any school concerns or worries which you would like to discuss with your child's class teacher, please either pop into school or phone the office to make an appointment. Every Tuesday after school we have an 'open house' session where you are welcome to chat to your child's class teacher or look at their workbooks. Thank you for your understanding and support with this matter.

Next week we will be welcoming our EYFS children into school to start their Burrsville journey with us.

Wishing you all a lovely weekend, see you next week.

Miss Siggery

Burrsville Coffee Mornings
are held every Friday morning
9-10am



Please join me, Maria Wright
and other parents for a cuppa,
biscuit and a chat. Everyone is
welcome!



Dates for your diary

Friday 15 Sep – Year 2 meet the teacher,
3.00pm.

Tuesday 19 Sep – Year 1 meet the
teacher, 3.00pm.

Friday 22 Sept – Jeans for Genes – School
jumpers and shoes must be worn.

Friday 29 Sept – Macmillan coffee
morning.

Thursday 9th Nov – Flu immunisation day.

This week's Attendance

Rowan	-
Maple	-
Cedar	99.11%
Oak	96.88%
Cherry	100%
Sycamore	96.55%
Elder	96.55%
Willow	99.16%

Well done Cherry class.

Reminders

- school coats should be plain navy or black.
- shoes should be black with covered toes – no trainers, crocks, flip flops, open-toe sandals or boots.
- Any hair longer than shoulder length should be tied back.
- All hair accessories should be blue or white.
- Children are not allowed to wear jewellery to school.



Coffee Morning

Please join us for our yearly Macmillan Coffee morning to raise money for this very worthy cause. It will be held in Burrsville School hall from 9.30am-11am on Friday 29th September. Please feel free to attend from 9am and we will go through into the hall once the Golden assembly has finished. If I could please ask for any donations of cakes on the day, they would be gratefully received.

I will also be holding my weekly Coffee Mornings from 9-10am every Friday morning as usual. All welcome. Best wishes Maria Wright

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Midday Assistant X 2

7.5 hours per week 43.1 Weeks per year

Band 2 Point 13

Start date: ASAP

Do you have an hour and a half to spare in your day? Do you work well as a team and want to make a difference?

Are you enthusiastic, energetic, committed and caring, with lots of common sense and a good sense of humour?

We are looking to appoint 2 Midday Assistants, with the above qualities, to join our team as soon as possible.

Please ring Catherine Milnes on 01255 425106, for more details or for an application pack.

Burrsville Infant Academy is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of our children and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. Applications will be subject to a DBS check, satisfactory references and medical checks.

Closing date: 20th September 2017

Interview date: 26th September 2017

Open Mornings – Wednesday, 9.00am

Autumn 1st half-term

Sycamore – 20th September

Willow- 27th September

Elder – 4th October

Cherry & Cedar – 11th October

Oak – 18th October

2nd half-term

Sycamore– 8th November

Elder – 15th November

Willow – 22nd November

Oak - 29th November

Cherry & Cedar – 6th December

Writer's Corner

This year our whole school focus is on writing. To ensure we keep this focus high profile, each week we will share a special piece of written work. This week the special work is from: Amelia Hawkins in Sycamore class

In the holidays I went to Norfolk for a holiday. We went with Mummy, Daddy and baby Lucas. We stayed in a holiday house in Brundall. I lots of fun because I went to some lovely places. I went to fair haven and I found every thing on my scaringer hunt. I had to find something. a bug, a dried leaf and a butterfly. The next day I went to Petris and I fed the animals. The goats were very cheeky when we fed them because they tried to eat mine and Daddy's cloths. /