



Burrsville Infants - Newsletter

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June 15th 2018

Clubs

Monday

Forest Rangers - 1 & 2

Tuesday

Gardening – 1 & 2

Dance – 1 & 2

Wednesday

Headers & Volleys-1 & 2

Reading club-by invitation only

Fun Phonics – by invitation only

Thursday

Headers & Volleys- EYFS

Writing boosters – by invitation only

Holiday dates 2017/18

Last day of school year

20 July 2018

We finish at 1.30pm

2018/19

Years 1 & 2 back 6th Sep

New intake back

Tue 11th Sept, 10.00am.

Half term

22 Oct -26 Oct

Christmas holiday

21 Dec- 4 Jan 19

Dinner Menu

Week beginning

18 June

summer menu

Week 2



FIFA WORLD CUP
RUSSIA 2018

Dear Parents/Carers,

Our year 1 children have worked incredibly hard this week with Miss Poole, who has been carrying out the annual phonics screening check. I sat in on a few sessions and I was so impressed with the confidence and phonic knowledge our children displayed. Using Read, Write Inc. phonics this year has really had a positive effect on the children's ability to blend the sounds in words. Thank you to all of our wonderful staff who have been teaching phonics so well to our children and also to Miss Poole, who has tirelessly worked her way through screening all 90 year 1 children. Class teachers will share results during parents evening consultations, and you will also receive a copy when the pupil progress reports are sent out at the end of the year.

Well done to Elder class for sharing your learning with us during your class assembly on Wednesday. I am always very impressed with your song choices – Mrs Darcey always manages to find fun songs linked to every topic! I am finding myself saying this more and more at the moment, but I can't believe it was your last class assembly at Burrsville! Next week it is the turn of Oak class.

Year 2 spent their first afternoon at the juniors this week. I know some children had butterflies in their tummies as we walked towards the gate, but when we went to collect them after, there were a lot more smiles! We will keep visiting each week in the lead up to changeover morning on July 3rd.

Just a reminder that next week is 'Healthy Minds and Healthy Bodies' week. As Miss Poole said in her letter, children will receive stamps every time they walk to school, or park further away and walk further each day. Mrs Darcey has organised for the children to take part in the 'Race for Life' on Thursday and we have an Olympic Judo star visiting on Tuesday and leading circuit style activities for the children to take part in. You should have received two sponsor forms this week – one for Race for Life and one for the visiting athlete. We really do not expect you to sponsor the children, however, if you would like to sponsor them for something, please choose one event. There is no expectation to sponsor the children for anything. Race for Life money will be donated to Cancer Research UK and the money raised for Tuesday's event will be given to Sports for Champions. Many thanks in advance.

I was chatting to a parent this week who shared with me that during August, children can watch a West End show for free at selected performances and shows. If you fancy a trip to London to watch a performance, Google 'Kids Week London' for more details. Sounds exciting!

I am pleased to report that Blossom and Holly are settling in well and growing up fast. They had a fun weekend at Miss Chapman's house and this week will be visiting Mrs Green for a mini break!

Have a lovely weekend.

Miss Siggery

Father's Day lunches

Monday 18th June - Cedar

Tuesday 19th June - Cherry

Wednesday 20th June - Oak

Open Mornings/ Assemblies, Wednesday, 9.00am.

2nd Half-Term

20th June – Oak class

27th June – Rowan class

4th July – Cedar class

Dates for your diary

Monday 18th June – year 2 coffee morning, 9.00am - 10.00am.

Wednesday 27th June – Parents' Evening, 3 – 5.30pm. (Willow, Oak & Cedar 4.30-6.00pm) **no clubs.**

Thursday 28th June – Parents' Evening, 4.00 – 7.00pm. **No clubs.**

Friday 29th June – Non uniform day for fete.

Wednesday 4th July – EYFS Fun Time, 1.50pm – 2.50pm.

Thursday 5th July – Sports Day and Family Picnic, 9.30am start.

Saturday 7th July – school fete.

Wednesday 18th July – Year 2 Leavers' Assembly, 1.30pm, followed by Prom.

Friday 20th July – Last day of term – we finish at 1.30pm.

This week's Attendance

Rowan	96.55%
Maple	96.13%
Cedar	93.79%
Oak	96.38%
Cherry	97.33%
Sycamore	96.00%
Elder	96.00%
Willow	99.33%

Well done Willow class.

Last week's Reading Race

Maple	19
Rowan	17
Cedar	14
Oak	15
Cherry	20
Sycamore	13
Elder	13
Willow	22

Well done Willow class.

Clubs

Please note all clubs, except Tea Time Club, will be cancelled on Wednesday 27th and Thursday 28th June due to parents' evening.

The Golden Book

Well done to the following children who were in the Golden Book last week:

Rowan

Oliver Cole for being a motivated learner.
Emily Revell for a fantastic effort at school and home in maths.

Maple

Nancy Johnson for super concentration and perseverance when reading.
Roman Lilley for being a kind friend and sharing without being asked.

Cedar

Anayah Fennessy for always aiming higher and challenging herself.
Oliver Booth for showing a superstar attitude towards both learning and behaviour.

Oak

Connor Evans for working hard to upskill his writing.
Emily White for being a great role model in Oak class.

Cherry

Millie-Rose North for working hard in maths.
Jake Parsons for working hard in phonics (sounding and blending).

Elder

Louise Kyle for being able to accurately tell the time o'clock and half past.
Jayden Wolstencroft for being able to tell the time to o'clock.

Willow

Jasmine Myers for super work on time.
Albey Shirley for super concentration on his 'time' work.

Sycamore

Amelia Hawkins for being amazing and applying everything she has learnt.
Levi O'Brien for trying to stay positive and keep focussed and busy.



Special Table

Well done to the following children who have been selected this week, by the Mid-Day Assistants, for their exemplary behaviour at lunchtime:

Rowan - Frankie Bleach for being an all-round super star.

Maple - Ruby Haslett for being smiley and happy.

Cedar - Amira Jesson for always being kind and helpful.

Cherry - Rhys Howe for lining up nicely.

Oak - Jack Newby-Fortune for always being polite.

Elder - Brandon Day-Gliddon for being kind and polite.

Willow - Layla Mallett for having lovely manners.

Sycamore - Daisy Ollivant for playing nicely with friends.

Year 2 Coffee Morning

All year 2 parents are invited to a coffee morning on Monday 18th June from 9.00am – 10.00am. Anna Davidson from Great Clacton junior school will be joining Maria Wright to try and answer any concerns you might have regarding your child's transition to the junior school.



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:

Lexi-Rae Panrucker in Willow class.

The tiny sea snail was in under the
burning hot, bright sun. The sea snail
was wet, slimy and hard. He's shell was
very hard and the sea snail was very gold.

The whale is as dark as black.
The whale is as long as a giraffe.
The whale is very kind and friendly.
He is also very respectful.
The whale is like giant.
The whale is sometimes mad and angry.
He is as black as a jacket and
a black pen.

The whale is as smooth as a
tishoe. He is blue and big.