

BURTON SALMON COMMUNITY PRIMARY SCHOOL



We aim to provide a rich, stimulating and enjoyable curriculum where children are encouraged to work both independently and together in a happy, secure and caring environment. We respect and value each other, show responsibility and celebrate our achievements

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Dear Parents and Carers,

The summer term is here! Although the hailstone showers may make you think otherwise!

A great start to the term, everyone has returned to school looking particularly well rested and ready to tackle the weeks ahead. Our first swimming lesson of the year was a real success and the new facilities at Selby Leisure Centre certainly seemed to impress the pupils!

We must also say a big 'well done' to the Year 3 and 4 pupils that represented us at the Quick Stick Hockey competition this week!

Class 1 News

A lovely start to the term. Class 1 are starting to learn about plants and have shared what they already know. Year 1 and 2 children have made pea plant mazes using the shoe boxes you all kindly sent in. Reception children have made plastic bag greenhouses. We are hoping to watch our 'magic' beans grow.

In literacy we shall be learning about traditional stories with a focus on Jack and the Beanstalk. Thank you to the Year 6 children for helping paint our fantastic beanstalk!

Numeracy this week has been about addition. Year 1 children have been adding 3, 4, 5 to a 2-digit number and Year 2 children have been working on different methods of adding two 2-digit numbers. Next week we move on to subtraction.

We will be learning about the history of Burton Salmon village this term. If anyone has any information to share or perhaps knows someone who came to Burton Salmon School in the past we would love to hear from them.

Have a good bank holiday!

Class 2 News

Class 2 have had a good start to the Summer Term. We have been using atlases to find Burton Salmon on maps and to locate England within a map of the world, Europe and the UK.

Year 5 have worked on using protractors to accurately measure angles, and have homework to practise this tricky skill! Year 6 have come back with a great attitude to revision sessions and have worked hard across the SAT curriculum.

Years 3 and 4 have focused on reading comprehension skills in literacy. In maths we have been learning how to read scales and about units of measurement to help us measure the distance, weight and capacity of various objects around the school. We have begun to compare units of measurement, for example, 2cm = 20mm.

Have a good weekend!



Golden Book

Daisy Brown for working on her maths until steam came out of her ears! GO DAISY!

Everyone in Reception for such a fantastic first swimming lesson!

Sienna Holliday, Summer Collins, Isla Webster, Archie Hodgson, Sophie Shearsmith, Brandon Newton and Reuben Holden-Clough for representing the school and having good team spirit in the Quicksticks tournament!

Housekeeping

Overcrowding in the cloakroom continues to be an unavoidable issue. Please help us deal with this by only coming into school on a morning if you need to see a member of staff. All pupils are capable and happy to bring in their own bags/coats etc. and this independence should be encouraged.

Updates to the school diary for the coming terms can now be found on the website.

Please sign on to ParentPay to give consent and make payment for our upcoming Countryside Live visit as soon as possible.

Please ensure that kit bags for swimming include only the essential items – not drinks bottles or snacks! Coaches have also asked that simple swimming trunks / costumes be used – not wetsuits, t-shirts or other more elaborate outfits!

Swimming lessons will run as follows;

Rec to Y5 Swimming Lessons 2 of 6 - Thu 4 May

Rec to Y5 Swimming Lessons 3 of 6 - Thu 11 May

Whole School Swimming Lessons 4 of 6 Thu 25 May

Whole School Swimming Lessons 5 of 6 - Thu 8 Jun

Whole School Swimming Lessons 6 of 6 - Thu 15 Jun

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