



Dear Parents and Carers

Hello again. This will be my final newsletter of the term. Easter is fast approaching and it is a blur of learning with staff working the children hard up to the final moments to ensure the curriculums are being covered properly.

Staffing

Any change in a school can (and usually does) cause uncertainty – especially when 4 excellent practitioners leave at the same time. Please, rest-assured that the future of Burrough Green is as secure as it can be and we are all looking forwards positively. You have been amazing in your support of not only myself, but the whole school since I arrived – and I thank you for the trust you have, and continue, put in us.

As promised last issue, I have news of a new staff member...

Changes to Einstein Class

We are all delighted to welcome Miss Burton to 'Team Einstein'. She will be teaching for 3 days, while Miss Chubb (who will continue to lead the class) will teach 2 days.

Changes to Teresa Class

Miss Chubb will now teach 2 days in Teresa Class, while Mrs Harris will continue to teach for 3 days. Mr Sandford (me!) will continue to teach the Year 6 children their core subjects in the mornings.

Changes to SENCO

Mr Sandford (me again!) will be absorbing SENCO duties. I will be meeting Mrs Kelly for a day next week so she can do a thorough handover and get me up to speed. I am looking forward to the role.

Changes to French Teaching

Class teachers will now be responsible for teaching French.

I hope the above is clear and, to repeat, everyone at Burrough Green is excited about the future. The teaching team here is very strong, and the class sizes are very small. We represent, I believe, a tremendous opportunity for your children to flourish and grow.

Speaking and Listening

Here are three (yes three!) more of my 'conversation starters'. Research tells us that it is so important that we engage in meaningful conversations with our children. It helps them to grow as both speakers and listeners. Last week, I had emails from people responding to the questions! Wow!!!

I've three discussion pieces for your meal times (or whenever really!) this week:

- 1) For Easter, would you rather have a 400g Easter Egg or an ordinary 600g bar of chocolate? (did you know the egg would be almost double the price of the chocolate bar!!)**
- 2) If a deciduous tree weighs more when it is full of leaves, does the UK weigh more in the summer?**
- 3) Can you be best friends with more than one person? If so, what is the maximum number of best friends you can have?**

These are just fun ideas for a discussion to have with your family or friends. The intention is to provide an opportunity for fun discussions as a family. Hope they are useful! I know some of you used these and have had great fun with them – especially with older children!

Swimming Pool

It was good to see parents at the resuscitation training and we are looking forward to opening the pool after the May half term. They will be further communication about this nearer the time.

Parental Survey

Thank you to the 18 of you that took the time to contribute to this. The results are again positive. Your thoughts and comments really are important to me and the team at Burrough Green. The headline is that all 18 of you would recommend the school to someone else – please do!

Easter Service

All classes are working hard for the Easter Service and I have heard the songs (singing here really is beautiful!). We cannot wait to show what we are doing and look forward to welcoming as many of you as possible on the 28th at 2pm. I have communicated in the Village Voice and Bradley Bugle (I hope the issues are out in time) that the service is for the whole community. All are welcome!

I hope you all have a restful, thoughtful and fun Easter Break. We will be ready to welcome you all back on **Tuesday 16th April** (Monday – a PD Day - is our first aid training day!)

Take care everyone and have a wonderful and safe few weeks – I know I will!
David Sandford

To see what's been happening at BGPS, please visit our [website](#) and our [Twitter](#) feed.

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Next Week's Menu

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
Main Meal	Chicken Quesadilla (G)(MK)	Carbonara (MK)(EG)	Pizza - Pepperoni (G)(MK)	Crispy Chicken Thigh (MK)(G)
Meat Free	Vegetable Risotto (G)	Pasta in Tomato Sauce with Cheese Topping (MK)(G)	Pizza – Margarita (G)(MK)	Spanish Omelette - made with Egg, Potato and Onion (E)(MK)
Side dish	Rice, Sweetcorn, Peas	Broccoli, Sweetcorn	Peas, Carrots	Cous Cous, Sweetcorn, Peas
Other option	Jacket Potato with Choice of toppings, tuna mayo (F)(E), beans, beans & cheese (MK), cheese (MK)	Jacket Potato with Choice of toppings, tuna mayo (F)(E), beans, beans & cheese (MK), cheese (MK)	Jacket Potato with Choice of toppings, tuna sweetcorn and mayo (F)(E), beans, beans & cheese (MK), cheese (MK)	Jacket Potato with Choice of toppings, tuna mayo (F)(E), beans, beans & cheese (MK), cheese (MK)
	Bread roll (G) Choice of, tuna mayo (F)(E), cheese (MK) or ham	Bread roll (G) Choice of, tuna mayo (F)(E), egg mayo (E) or ham	Bread roll (G) Choice of, tuna mayo (F)(E), cheese (MK) or egg mayo (E)	Bread roll (G) Choice of, tuna mayo (F)(E), cheese (MK) or egg mayo (E)
Dessert	Flapjack (G) Fruit, yogurt (MK)	Swiss Roll (G)(E), Fruit, yogurt (MK)	Rice Krispie Cakes (SO) (MK), Fruit, yogurt (MK)	Cookies (G)(E)(MK), Fruit, yogurt (MK)

L:Allergen Key: Celery (C), Cereals (G), Crustaceans (CR), Egg (E), Fish (F), Lupin (L), Milk (MK), Molluscs (MS), Mustard (M), Nuts (N), Peanuts (P), Sesame Seeds (SE), Soya (SO), Sulphur Dioxide/Sulphites (SD)



Celebrating Achievement at Burrough Green

Every Monday, in our assembly, we recognise and celebrate children who have shown evidence of our school value Aspiration, Resilience and Kindness.

Last week's ARK children are:

Malala Class	Eva – Vinnie – Etta
Einstein Class	Bea – Jake – Jacob
Teresa Class	Finlay – Harvey – Timmy
Obama Class	Lucy – Arthur – Yasin

This week's ARK children are:

Malala Class	Dotty-Rae – Jaxon – Oliver
Einstein Class	Odette – Flora – Bea
Teresa Class	Lunaire – Amy – Sidney
Obama Class	Izzy – Mia-Grace – George



Upcoming Events

Please make sure you check our [school calendar](#) to stay up-to-date with information about future events, term dates, training days etc

Don't forget to use the "Easy Fundraising" and "My School Fund" when you are doing your shopping!



Easyfundraising.org –There are lots of retailers and service providers on the list, businesses you normally shop with anyway. Even if you log into your favourite retailer through the app half way through, it saves your basket, so you don't have to do anything different. Try it, it really does make a difference <https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk>



My School Fund

In association with Argos and Sainsbury's, we have a new way to fundraise for the school when you are shopping. Every time you make a purchase, both you and BG benefit with cashback. A flyer is

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attached to this email. Click on the link to register as an individual and link your account to the school. <https://www.myschoolfund.org/#/>

Amazon Wish Lists

A big thank you to parents who have brought items from the wish lists, it is very much appreciated that you are supporting the school. You can find our wish lists here:

Class 1: https://www.amazon.co.uk/hz/wishlist/ls/3NPNW0VXC5B5L/ref=cm_go_nav_hz

Class 2: https://www.amazon.co.uk/hz/wishlist/ls/1G7U68RHVFQ87?ref=wl_share

Class 3: https://www.amazon.co.uk/hz/wishlist/ls/DT99H5C97OM9?ref=wl_share

Class 4: https://www.amazon.co.uk/hz/wishlist/ls/IR87MQS5XAYJ?ref=wl_share

SEND: https://www.amazon.co.uk/hz/wishlist/ls/13UO05HZ9BPYF?ref=wl_share