



Dear Parents and Carers,

Hello again everyone.

Everyone here is ready for the half term break. Year 6 and Year 2 have had their assessments, although Year 6 are still going with their writing – we are expecting the moderator after half term!

The swimming pool will be used by the children after half term and they are all looking forward to that. Staff are busy planning our whole school trip to Felixstowe – fingers crossed for sunny weather (although I personally find the coast a magical place in driving rain and strong winds!). Remember everyone – there is no bad weather, just bad clothing choices.

### **Swimming**

Hopefully, you have all received a letter regarding swimming and the days your child will be using the pool. Here, again, is the script from the letter:

*We will commence swimming lessons on Monday 3rd June.*

*Children are to come to school dressed in their PE kit on their swimming day. This is in case we cannot swim for any reason.*

**Monday: Malala (EYFS/Year 1) and Teresa (Years 4/5)**

**Wednesday Einstein (Years 2/3 – class will be split) and Malala (EYFS/Year 1)**

**Friday: Obama - BOTTISHAM**

*The second PE lesson for EINSTEIN, TERESA and OBAMA will be taught by Prestige Sports on Thursday as it is now. The provision Jack provides is exemplary.*

*Please ensure that your child has a clean and dry named swimming kit containing: towel, costume and flip-flops/sliders (goggles and swimming hat are optional) in school on the days that they are due to swim.*

*Year 6 will be travelling to Bottisham College on Friday afternoons to undergo deep water swimming with a fully qualified swimming instructor. This will give them the opportunity to achieve all the 'deep water' certificates they cannot do in our pool.*

*A separate letter/email for the Year 6 will follow.*

*The pool will be available some days through our wrap-around club, Owls. Swimming days will be Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday. Please book a place onto Owls using the usual links.*

I hope the above is clear – please call the office for clarification if you are at all confused.

Year 6 are going to Bottisham to swim so they can complete distance and water safety certificates. These cannot be done in our pool as it is only a metre deep! I am sure we can find a session or two for Obama to use the school pool next term – parents will, of course, be given notice.

### Larks and Owls

Lisa and Hattie continue to do amazing job with our wrap-around provision and they have an exciting program for next term

Monday – Cooking/Food

DATE	DAY	TASK	ACTIVITY INCLUDES
03.06.2024	Monday	Cutting skills and fine motor skills	Using knives and learning cutting skills to make a sandwich. Mainly cutting vegetables and fruit
10.06.2024	Monday	Cupcakes	Weighing ingredients and baking.
17.06.2024	Monday	Cutting skills and fine motor skills (+ art)	Using knives to cut potatoes into different shapes (e.g. chips, rounds wedges) Using these shapes to make some print art.
24.06.2024	Monday	Butter Making	Making our own butter and using it to butter our toast.
01.07.2024	Monday	Cracking eggs, making omelette	Cracking and whisking eggs, also using different vegetables.
08.07.2024	Monday	Preparation	There will be a selection of fruits and vegetables both in tins and fresh. Washing and cutting fruit. Shown how to open a tin safely.
15.07.2024	Monday	Pancakes	Learning what ingredients and measurements are needed to make a basic pancake.

Tuesday – Swimming

Wednesday – Swimming

Thursday – Sports with Jack – see below

DATE	DAY	ACTIVITY
06.06.24	Thursday	Scooters
13.06.24	Thursday	Dodgeball
20.06.24	Thursday	Ball Games
27.06.24	Thursday	Football
04.07.24	Thursday	Rounders
11.04.24	Thursday	Scooters/Archery
18.04.24	Thursday	NO ACTIVITY

Friday – swimming

Our wrap-around service represents an excellent opportunity for our children to relax and unwind after a days' work. Please sign up your child to these sessions using the usual links below.

### Uniform

We would like to remind parents of our uniform expectations, especially the following:

*On PE days, children should wear black shorts, leggings or jogging bottoms with their team's PE t-shirt. Skirts, trousers, shorts etc. should be black or grey.*

*Polo shirts can be white or jade green. For the summer, we suggest black or grey shorts with a white or jade polo shirt or a green and white patterned/checked dress.*

**Please make sure that all uniform items (including swimming items) and all other clothes are clearly labelled with the child's name.**

**Children should not wear jewellery to school. If your child has pierced ears, then studs are permitted, but must be removed by the child for PE and swimming. Long hair must be tied back in all PE and swimming sessions.**

### Gallery on the Website

Alison has added all the albums, to date, of activities this academic year at Burrough Green. Please have a look – this week Einstein said goodbye to the chicks.

### Speaking and Listening

Here are 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.

- 1) On the back of the book I am currently reading to Year 6 it says – ‘If it is a choice between being right and being kind, choose kind’. What do you think this means?
- 2) If you were born on an aeroplane in German airspace – are you German?
- 3) Is it possible to learn too much?

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!

Take care everyone and have a wonderful and safe half-term break.

David Sandford

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

Click [here](#) to access the booking form for larks and Owls Wrap-Around Care for Summer 2.

### **The menu for the week we return – wc 3<sup>rd</sup> June**

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Main Meal	Hot dogs made with premium sausages in a hot dog roll (G)(SD)	Sweet and Sour Chicken with Rice (G)(SO)	Ham and cheese Omelette (MK)(E)	Crispy Chicken Thigh (MK)(G)	Fish finger (G)(F)
Meat Free	Plant based sausage Hot Dog (G)(SO)(SD)	Vegetable Stir Fry with Egg Noodles (SO)(E)	Pizza – Margarita (G)(MK)	Gnocchi with Pomodoro Sauce (G)	Pasta in a Tomato Sauce (G)
Side dish	Homemade Potato Wedges, Beans, Peas	Carrots, Broccoli	Beans, Peas	Homemade Potato Wedges, Broccoli, Sweetcorn	Chips (G), Peas, Sweetcorn
Jacket Potato	Jacket Potato with Choice of toppings, tuna mayo (F)(E), beans	Jacket Potato with Choice of toppings, tuna mayo (F)(E), beans	Jacket Potato with Choice of toppings, beans, beans & cheese (MK), cheese (MK)	Jacket Potato with Choice of toppings, tuna mayo (F)(E), beans	Jacket Potato with Choice of toppings, beans, beans & cheese (MK), cheese (MK)
Cold Option	Coronation Chicken Bread Roll (G)(E)	Ham Salad Bread Roll (G)	Egg Mayo and Cress Bread Roll (G)(E)	BLT Bread Roll (G)	Tuna Mayo and Salad Baguette (G)(F)(E)
Dessert	Muffin (G)(E), Fruit or Yogurt (M)	Flapjack (G), Fruit or Yogurt (MK)	Rice Krispie Cakes (SO)(MK), Fruit or Yogurt (MK)	Lemon drizzle cake (MK)(G)(E), Fruit or Yogurt (MK)	Chocolate chip cookies (G)(SO)(E), Fruit or Yogurt (MK)
A selection of fresh salad and a slice of baguette is available to accompany the meal					

Allergen Key: Dairy (D), Cereals (G), Crustaceans (CR), Egg (E), Fish (F), Lupin (L), Milk (MK), Molluscs (MS), Mustard (MU), Nuts (N), Peanuts (P), Sesame Seeds (SE), Soya (SO), Sulphur Dioxide/Triphosphates (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.

This week's ARK children are:

Malala Class	Oliver – Eva - Zander
Einstein Class	Connie – Jacob - Leo
Teresa Class	Bodhi – Finlay - Lunaire
Obama Class	JP – Sienna – Mia-Grace



**Deadline for ordering new school uniform for September is June 15<sup>th</sup> for free delivery to school July 15<sup>TH</sup> to your home (includes postage)**

#### 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.

**SCHOOL UNIFORM ONLINE ORDERING**

Our School uniform is available to purchase online direct from our suppliers at <https://gooddies.co.uk>

**Order Deadline Dates**

The deadline date for delivery to school before the summer break is the **15th of June**

The deadline date for delivery to your chosen address before the end of August is the **15th of July**

**PLEASE NOTE – HOME DELIVERY IS NOT AN EXPRESS OPTION. ANY ORDERS THAT ARE DUE FOR DELIVERY INTO SCHOOL WHILE THE SCHOOLS ARE CLOSED WILL BE HELD IN OUR WAREHOUSE UNTIL THE SCHOOL RE-OPENS.**

**YOU CAN STILL PLACE ORDERS AFTER THESE DATES AND WE WILL ENDEAVOUR TO DELIVER AS SOON AS POSSIBLE. BUT TO AVOID MISSING OUT PLEASE ORDER EARLY.**

**BOTTISHAM  
FOOTBALL CLUB  
UNDER 12 GIRLS TEAM  
24-25 SEASON  
CURRENT SCHOOL  
YEAR 5 AND 6**

**WE ARE LOOKING FOR  
NEW PLAYERS  
TO JOIN OUR TEAM**

**FOR MORE DETAILS CONTACT  
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**Alan Boswell Group  
Cambridgeshire Girls  
and Women's Football  
League**

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

**Working Together to Discover and Learn  
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