



Dear Parents and Carers

Larks and Owls

I will publish the wrap-around activity list again this week

DATE	DAY	TASK	ACTIVITY INCLUDES
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 fresh and in tins. 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
13.06.24	Thursday	Dodgeball
20.06.24	Thursday	Ball Games
27.06.24	Thursday	Football
04.07.24	Thursday	Rounder's
11.04.24	Thursday	Scooters/Archery
18.04.24	Thursday	NO ACTIVITY

Friday	Swimming
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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 booking form:

<https://forms.gle/9SRGtFWKNMBbabJB9>

On Tuesday 18th June, Larks and Owls will be holding a cake sale (**donations would be greatly appreciated**) at the end of the school day. Funds will be going towards a 'Larks and Owls Leaving Party' for our year 6 children towards the end of term. Of course the party will be open to all students as usual and will give all of the children an opportunity to say goodbye to the Year 6 children in a 'party' setting. Our Christmas Party was a massive success – over 30 attendees!

Swimming

It was lovely to see the classes use the pool this week. The wrap-around sessions were well attended. Please can I remind all parents to make sure clothing is labelled – it saves us so much time if this has been done. Thank you.

Felixstowe Trip.

On Wednesday 12th, we are all going to Felixstowe to study Geography. Teachers have amazing activities lined up for the children and I'm sure the outing will go well.

We will be leaving at 9.15 sharp – so the children do not need to get into school any earlier than usual. Return is anticipated at 4.30pm – but we all know the A14 has its own set of rule and regulations – and you will be updated if we are going to be more than 30 minutes late.

Please look at the weather beforehand and dress your children appropriately and make sure they all have disposable packed lunches so they do not have to carry anything other than their water bottles (and clipboards!)

QuadKids – Athletics event

I had the pleasure of taking 10 students to Cambridge University Sports Ground on Thursday. They had the experience of running on a real running track. All children had to compete in 4 events – 75m, 600m (a horrible distance – no one was sure whether to sprint or pace themselves), standing long jump and turbo howler. 4 of our Year 6 girls (Lottie, Sienna, Emily and Minny) won their 75m races.

Some of the times some of the Year 6 boys from other schools were recording for the 600m were of a very high standard – I heard at least 2 posting times well below 1minute 50 seconds. Amazing standard of athletics all round!

Overall Burrough Green came 12th out of 20 schools – a remarkable achievement considering our numbers. Mrs Harrison and I were really proud of them all.

Speaking and Listening

Here are two 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) **If someone is begging for money to eat, and I don't give them any and so, to prevent themselves from starving they get a job and in a few years they were rich – have I been nicer to them than the person who gave them £5?**
- 2) **We are having a General Election next month. Who would you like to lead the country and why? (It could be absolutely anyone!)**

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!

That's all from me this week. Have a great weekend.

Take care

David Sandford
Headteacher

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

Next Week's Menu – booking link - <https://forms.gle/RmMLhrZR6xXvjCuZA>

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Main Meal	Carbonara (G)(E)(MK)	Mild Chicken Curry with Rice (G)		Beef burger in a bun (G)(E)	Homemade Chicken Nuggets (G)(MK)(E)
Meat Free	Mozzarella Couscous Salad (MK)	Baked Tomato Risotto (G)		Spanish Omelette - made with egg, potato and onion (E)(MK)	Quorn Nuggets (G)
Side dish	Carrots, Peas	Broccoli, Sweetcorn		Beans, Sweetcorn, Homemade Potato Wedges	Chips (G), Beans, Peas
Jacket Potato	Jacket Potato with Choice of toppings, tuna mayo (f)(E), cheese (MK)	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)
Cold Option	Tuna and Sweetcorn Wholemeal Roll (f)(G)(E).	BLT Bread Roll (G)		Cheese Bread Roll (G)(MK)	Fish Finger Baguette (G)(F)
Dessert	Churros with Cinnamon Sugar (G) Fruit, yogurt (MK)	Fruit Sponge (E)(G)(MK) Fruit, yogurt (MK)		Chocolate chip cookies (G)(SO)(E), Fruit, yogurt (MK)	Fruit Muffin (G)(E), Fruit, yogurt (MK)
A selection of fresh salad and a slice of baguette is available to accompany the meal					



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 – Hamish - Ellen
Einstein Class	Poppy – George - Aoife
Teresa Class	Ben – Lucy 600m run - Amy





Deadline for ordering new school uniform for September is June 15th for free delivery to school July 15TH 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.

PTA News

Don't forget to use the "Easy Fundraising", "My School Fund" or "Amazon Smile" 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/#/>

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/13U005HZ9BPYF?ref=wl_share