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Dear Parents,

I hope that everybody enjoyed a long weekend and made the most of the beautiful weather. It was so lovely to see so many parents and children from our year 5 and 6 for the meeting about our forthcoming trip to France. A very exciting adventure with lots of opportunities to try out their language skills and see some amazing sights. Can I please put out a personal appeal for more adults for our upcoming cricket match. At the moment we are short of players for our annual cricket 'derby' against All Saints'. If you are able to play please sign up asap and get your cricket whites on!

We are now beginning end of Key Stage 1 assessments in Year 2 and these will continue throughout May. It is really helpful if the children's attendance is very good and that their arrival at school is prompt as this allows the children time to settle into a comfortable routine.

Next week is SATS week. Well done to all of our Year 6 children who have worked hard throughout the year. We have a fantastic year 6 class and this is an exciting opportunity to show everything that you have learnt in Burton Green School/Academy.

Top tips for next week are:

go to bed early and have a good breakfast!

Class Highlights of the Week:

Maple Class:

We have read the Tale of Two Bad Mice and discussed the naughty things they did in the doll's house. We have been looking after our Sunflower seeds by watering them and planting cabbages.

Cedar Class:

We have enjoyed working on our oceans and seas topic and have produced some lovely seascapes in art and descriptive writing.

Damson Class:

We have been studying the Hobbit & looking at descriptive writing techniques in literacy.

Oak Class: We have been revising and preparing for our SAT tests next week, and we have decided that our Summer class Leavers show is Mid Summer Nights Dream by William Shakespeare.

Escape Room - Friday 11th May, 5:45 - 8pm

Do you have what it takes to solve the clues and escape from the school hall?

In teams, of up to 6 players, search scenes and crack the codes to exit the school.

PLEASE NOTE: If you require reading glasses, you will need to bring them on the night.

Please return booking forms as soon as possible as we need to know numbers for catering.

This Weeks Awards

Celebration Assembly
9.05 Thursday 9th May.

Truly Brilliant

Maple: Madison

Cedar: Bella

Damson: Ewan

Oak: Tia-Mae

Bronze: Simran

Super Cool: Ewan

Mathlete of the Week:

Foundation: Findley B

Key Stage 1: Eddie B

Key Stage 2: Simran

Megatastic Multiple Challenge: Maggie, Ellie B, Skye, Matilde, Simran

Family Cricket Festival - We need YOU

Tuesday 22nd May, 22nd May, 5pm

Leek Wootton Sports and Social Club.

Year 4, 5 and 6 match is at 5pm, Adults match at 6pm with bar and BBQ.

Cricket team volunteers - We need YOU

We are still low on numbers to make up the adult cricket team so if anyone is willing to be part of the team please let the office know by Friday 11 May.

BBQ volunteers - We need YOU

We also need volunteers to staff the bbq taking orders and handing out food between 6 & 8pm.

Again any volunteers please contact the office.

Raffle Prizes wanted please!

There will be a raffle at the Cricket match, so we are looking for donations please for raffle prizes. If you can help then please drop any prizes off at the School Office. Many thanks

New School meal Lunch Menus

The school lunch menus will change next week, please look out for leaflets in book bags detailing the new lunch choices.

A Book Fair thank you

Many thanks for you generous support at the Book Fair, we were able to raise a total of £338.39, which has raised £95.36 for the school to spend on books!

Bags2Schools Friday 18th May

Please save all your unwanted clothes, shoes, belts for our next Bags2Schools collection. Bags will be sent home in school bags soon, but please start collecting items for donations.

Drop off Thursday after school or before 9am on Friday. Encourage neighbours and friends to contribute too.

Absence from School

As you may be aware, the school is required to ensure that we have absence letters for any days that your child has been absent from school.

We appreciate that Parents are required to inform the school by leaving an answerphone message on the day that your child is absent, but we also need a written record too please.

You can either drop a letter into the school office, or we are happy to receive the details of any absence via email admin3143@welearn365.com . Many thanks for your cooperation.

48 hour sickness rule

To ensure that we keep our children healthy and prevent the spread of bugs in school, we ask that any child who has had a vomiting bug does not return to school until 48 hours after the last time they were sick. Thank you for your cooperation.

Easy payment & consent for School Trips

Just to remind parents that you can ***both consent and pay online via School Money*** for any trips. There is no need to bring in paper consent forms if you have paid and consented online, and it saves you having to find cash to bring in!

Fruit at Break times

Fruit is available to all children in Reception, Year 1 and 2. Any children in the other years that wish to have a snack will need to bring one from home.

Newsletter Delivery

The newsletter goes out every Wednesday. We try to publish before lunch so that you are aware if your child has any awards and you wish to attend 'Achievement Assembly' at 9.05 on Thursday. This is sent out by email. Please ensure we have your current email address. If you would like a paper copy instead please let us know.

Burton Green Bonus

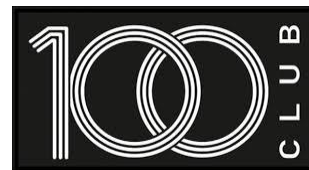
Mrs Thompson is available by either:

Email: thompson.c2@welearn365.com

School tel: 024 7646 4130

Via Text: 07580 253402 (7am - 7pm daily)

Update on Child care vouchers - Child care voucher information is being updated currently and please look out for texts informing you when they can be used again. Many thanks for your patience with this matter.



Friends of Burton Green School 100 club membership

April's draw was held at the Celebration Assembly on Thursday 26th April and the 3 lucky winners are:-

- 1st prize - £30 - Sumiya Mehta
- 2nd prize - £20 - June Austin
- 3rd prize - £10 - Keith Austin

May's draw will take place at the Celebration Assembly on Thursday 17th May. If you want to be in with a chance of winning - email burtongreen100club@gmail.com and request a form or speak to Lucy Hatton.

Friends of Burton Green Making a difference!

The next meeting of the Friends of Burton Green School is **Wednesday 6th June at 5:30pm** at Burton Green Academy.

All welcome to come along and input fundraising ideas!

Mum's Night out - Thursday 17th May, 8pm
Come and join us at the next Mums Night Out, on Thursday 17th May at Hickory's in Burton Green, from 8pm. All welcome!

Would you like to raise money for Burton Green Academy when you shop?



Easyfundraising works with over [2000 retailers](#) who have all agreed to pass a donation to Burton Green Academy when you shop with them. The donation is usually a percentage of how much you spend with them but it can also be a set amount, such as £30 for a new car insurance policy from [Aviva](#).

Retailers include [Amazon](#), [M&S](#), [Boden](#), [John Lewis](#), [Argos](#) and 2000 other well known names. All you have to do is register at easyfundraising and tell them you want to support Burton Green Academy. Every month Easyfundraising will bundle up the donations and send the money through to the school.

Burton Green Mother and Toddler Group

On Thursdays term time only from 10am - 12pm but come and go when you like. Friendly group, £2.50 per family (no additional child charge), refreshments available.

Just turn up at Burton Green Village Hall, Hodgetts Lane, Off Cromwell Lane, Burton Green CV8 1PL or call Steve on 02476 468 211 or 07906 829428 or email burton.green.toddlers@gmail.com

Have you any spare wellies to donate?

A local mum in Balsall Common is trying to collect 30 pairs of wellingtons that would fit children age 3-5 years old. A local project is looking for donations of wellies, their aim is to get inner city children to access the outdoors.

If you have any wellies that your little ones have outgrown, then please bring them to the School Office and we can pass them on. Many thanks

PARTY IN THE PARK 2018 - 14th July 2018

Baginton Party in the Park takes place on Saturday 14th July 2018.

Attached is a flyer detailing the event and what is happening on the day. In addition to this there is also a Children's Entertainer and Face Painter..



Please join us

7.30 pm Friday 18th May

to celebrate our

5th Birthday

Joined by our young guests in

A String Quartet

**Music Director
Seb Farrall**

At Burton Green Village Hall, CV8 1PH

Enjoy a medley of songs,
homemade puddings and desserts
&
a complimentary glass of [Pimms](#)
during the interval

BYO Drink and glasses
£10. Student £5 & small ones free

**Dates for your Diary..... happenings in the Village
this summertime**

see also Instagram #burtongreenvillagehall

**Made in Burton Green part of Warwickshire
Open Studios 2018**

8 - 15 June

Dressing the National Grid Wood Theme is 'Mischief
in the Woods' this will include BG schools creations
created before Easter.

Some residents are dressing their hedges too, but
please make sure all items are secure.

15 June Friday 3.30-7pm

Registration of Scarecrows at the Village Hall to be
positioned then down the Greenway from Cromwell
Lane Bridge to National Grid Wood (towards
Berkswell).

N. B. Outdoor show runs from 16 June to 8 July
dusk. (please note we are closing a week later than
WOS). The areas we are using we will lose due to
HS2 so please help us to put on a good show.

Other Village Hall dates

18 May Fri. 7.30pm

Burton Green Village Choir Birthday Summer
Concert. Guests "A String Quartet "

23 June Saturday 12-5pm

Cafe & Art Show

24 June Sunday

10-5pm Cafe & Art Show

3.30 pm Burton Green Village Choir

4.30 pm Scarecrow peoples favourite results

1 July Sun. 3-5 pm

Street Party with entertainer & afternoon tea.

If wet in the Village Hall BG RA

21 July Sat. 7.30pm

Family Barbecue with Disco Music

2 September

Sunday Village Produce Show

School dates for your diary... (new dates *)

May	
11 th	5:45 - 8pm Escape Room
14 - 18 th	SATS Week (Year 6)
18 th	(AM) Bags 2 schools collection
22 nd	5pm - Family Cricket Festival, Year 4, 5 and 6 match is at 5pm, Adults match at 6pm, bar and BBQ available
23 rd	Break up for half term 6:30pm - Reception 2018 Parents Welcome Evening *
<i>Half Term</i>	
June	
4 th	Children return to School
5 th	Cedar Class - "Ice Cream and Away Days" visit to St. Johns Museum, Warwick (<i>packed lunch required</i>) Oak Class - Jaguar Land Rover Partnership Centre, Gaydon visit (<i>packed lunch required</i>) *
7 th	9:15 - 12:30 Reception 2018 Induction visit (<i>packed lunch required</i>) *
12 th	9/9:15 - 3pm Year 5 & 6 Team Building and Challenge Day at All Saints' Academy (<i>packed lunch required</i>) * KDPSA Field Athletic events, Kenilworth School
13 th	2-6pm: KDPSA Athletics, Edmonscote
14 th	9:15 - 12:30 Reception 2018 Induction visit (<i>packed lunch required</i>) * Reception Visit to the Gurdwara Sahib (<i>packed lunch required</i>) * 2:30pm Cedar Class Assembly
18 th	School Photos (Full uniform please), (8:40am with younger Siblings)
20 th	11am - 12noon: Reception 2019 Open Day
21 st	9:15 - 12:30 Reception 2018 Induction visit (<i>packed lunch required</i>) * 2pm - 3pm: Reception 2019 Open Day
28 th	1:15 - 3pm Reception 2018 Induction (Parents are welcome from 2:15 for coffee) Move up Afternoon in School (<i>children spend the afternoon in the Class they will move to in September</i>)
29 th	Summer Fayre
July	
2 nd	Damson Class Cricket Festival 10-2pm (<i>packed lunch required</i>) Reports Home today
3 rd	4pm Cedar Class - Country Dancing at Kenilworth Castle
5 th	2pm Year 6 Garden Party
8 th - 12 th	France Trip, Year 5 & 6
16 th	5 - 7pm Open Evening
18 th	Teddy Bear picnic for Reception 2018 1:30pm Sports Day
19 th	5pm Year 6 Leavers Bowling
20 th	9am Year 6 Leavers Assembly Break up for Summer
<i>Summer Holiday</i>	
September	
4 th	Children return to School