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Dear Parents,

It has been fantastic to see our children within year 2 and year 6 working so hard this week on their SATS. They have been a real credit to the school with their fantastic attitude and determination to show what they have learnt. I would also like to take the opportunity to thank Miss Villiers and Miss James for their commitment to the children both academically and socially. Our children couldn't achieve what they do without the fantastic staff within our school.

A big thank you also needs to go to Mrs Thompson and Mrs Waite for their hard work in breakfast club producing the fantastic 'cooked breakfast'. This does make our children feel so special and certainly gives them a lift for the day (most of the staff do walk around hungry due to the lingering smells of bacon!).

Thank you to everybody who supported our 'Escape Rooms' evening. It was a very enjoyable evening with the combination of very tricky puzzles and lovely food. It was really well supported by a lot of parents and friends who really rose to the challenge! Lastly, a big thank you to Julie Austin for all of her organisation (must have taken hours!) and presentation of the event (It felt like we were on the Crystal maze!). Another thank you to the rest of our PTFA who supported with food preparation and serving, clear up and organisation behind the scenes. As a result £230 was raised and a lot of people had huge smiles and definitely a challenged brain!

I look forward to seeing you at the cricket match next Tuesday. Please note that if your child is playing at the event you will need to organise transport to Leek Wootton and supervision for your child whilst there.

There will be no Celebration Assembly this week due to SAT tests. Please join us for our next Celebration Assembly next week.

Class Highlights of the Week:

Maple Class:

We will be looking at non-fiction books in Literacy. On Wednesday, we will be taking part in lots of pre wedding activities for the upcoming Royal Wedding.

Cedar Class:

We have started learning about coasts as part of our topic work and have been busy practising our country dancing.

Damson Class:

We have been looking at Christian places of worship and thinking about what they tell us about what Christians believe about God. In Cricket, we have been learning how to bowl, field and bat.

Oak Class:

We have been busy with our SAT papers this week - I am proud of everyone. They have coped with the tests very well. We will be having a fun afternoon on Thursday to celebrate the last paper being completed.

Bags2Schools Friday 18th May

Please save all your unwanted clothes, shoes, belts for our next Bags2Schools collection. Bags have been sent home in school bags, we have spare bags if you would like some more to fill, or you can use any spare plastic bags you have at home. Bags can be brought to school for collection either after school on Thursday 17th May, or on Friday 18th May by 9:00am. Sorry, No uniforms, Duvets, Pillows or Cushions. Many thanks

Science Week

Next week we will be celebrating our science week which will involve each class taking part in a range of exciting science activities.

On Wednesday 23rd May, we would like the children to come dressed as their 'greatest scientist' and they will be taking part in a debate to argue who they think is the greatest scientist of all time.

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.

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

Cricket team volunteers - We need YOU

We are still low on numbers to make up the adult team and the child team, so if anyone is willing to be part of either team please let the office know asap.

Confirmed Adult players so far:

Ian Edington, Richard Little, Steve Webb, Paul Neve, Andy Stacey, Tim Matthews, Ryan Hancox, Raj Rajathurai, Dan Abbots, Tim Cunningham, Paul Moorcroft...

Confirmed Child players so far:

Matilde N, James L, Stephen H, Stefan B, Mackala T, Nicole W, Callum W, Eshan S, Kiyana S, Olivia Roc, Rohan R, Emily W, Felix T...

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.

Keeping our Children safe

There has been a report of a stranger danger incident that has occurred near one of the schools in Warwickshire. Thankfully, the child was safe. Please remind your children about not going with strangers and about how to stay safe.

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

May's draw will take place at the first celebration assembly after half term.

If you want to be in with a chance of winning - email burtongreen100club@gmail.com and request a form or speak to Lucy Hatton/Julie Austin.

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!



2018 Green Leek 10.5k Run

Get your running shoes ready for the 3rd Green Leek 10.5k run on **Sunday 14th October 2018**. Save the date to support this school fundraising event by running or by volunteering to help on the day.

It's a super multi-terrain course along The Greenway, through Abbey fields, Castle Farm and into the countryside to the finish line at The Warwickshire Golf and Country Club. There'll be a BBQ, refreshments, prizes, goody bags and Dave Moorcroft to start the run and award the medals!

More information and an entry form link will soon be available at www.greenleek10k.co.uk and on Facebook. Any enquiries to greenleek10k@gmail.com.



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.

Family Events at the Warwick Festival - Celebrating Guy of Warwick

Market Hall Museum, St Marys Church, The Lord Leycester and Warwick Castle are taking part in a series of events over the Bank Holiday weekend for families to enjoy.

From drop in craft activities at Market Hall Museum, writing workshops at St Marys and knights and falcons at the Lord Leycester along with the Warwick Food Festival it promises to be a great weekend. Details can be found at www.warwickfestival.co.uk

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

BURTON GREEN VILLAGE CHOIR

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	
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	Children to come dressed as their 'greatest scientist' * 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	Cedar Class - Country Dancing at Kenilworth Castle (Early Evening, exact time TBC)
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