



Newsletter

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Dear Parents,

This week's news

I trust that you have enjoyed a well-deserved break and that the children have returned to school refreshed and full of energy to continue their learning with a busy half term ahead.

Tonight is the Friends of Burton Green Annual General Meeting at 7pm. They have made a significant difference to the resources every child in the school is able to use this year. Please come along and give your support to a hard working group.

Over the past year a range of developments have taken place across the curriculum. As part of our curriculum evening that follows the AGM we would like to share news about developments in writing, mathematics, computing and programming and online safety. Please join us.

Mid-day Supervisory Assistant Vacancy

We are looking to appoint a mid-day supervisory assistant to support children eating and playing at lunchtimes. Ideally this is for everyday but applications from people able to do some days would be considered.

Celebration Assembly 3rd November 6th 9.05am

This Weeks Awards

Truly Brilliant

Maple: Faye

Cedar: Mollie R

Damson: Jay

Oak: Hattie

Mrs Patterson: Ewan, Eshan, Hannah W (Year 4),
Charlotte C

Bronze: Lucio, Nell, Cormac

Raising the Roof: Chloe, Tilly, James Wright

Super Cool: Stefan, Ben P

Handwriting: Mya, Mackala, Isabella, Hannah (Yr 4),
Stefan, Loann, Abigail, Jay W

Amazingly Wicked: Marla, Finlay R

Mind Blowingly Brilliant: Lewis A

Mathlete of the Week: Key Stage 1: Amy S,

Key Stage 2: Ellie C

Reading is even more important than running 10K

medal: Finlay, Stefan, Lewis A, Maya R, Maggie, Skye, Tilly, Molly A, Kay, Evan

Class News

Maple: This week we have started our 'Colour and Light' topic and have been making some super firework pictures and have been learning about Diwali. We are also exploring feelings and where we feel safe as part of 'Taking Care' week.

Cedar: During 'Taking Care' week we have been focussing on feelings, rights and responsibilities, body awareness and who we can talk to.

Damson: We have been focussing on 'taking care' this week, thinking about safe places and our early warning signs.

Oak: We have been analysing playscript features and are working towards converting narrative into playscript. In our protective behaviour work we are recognising our own early warning signs and when and where to seek help.

Christmas Play

Preparations are now underway for our Christmas festivities. Our play this year is 'The stars are coming out for Christmas'.

Each class have been given parts and you should receive a letter with more information about costumes this week.

Wellie Wednesday

Wellie Wednesday is a popular time of the week in Maple Class as learning goes outside in a very practical way. Miss Moran is looking for parents who would be willing to help regularly or on a rota basis. Please contact her if you would like to help.

Sports Events

Cross Country 2016

Please book these dates:

Saturday 5th November Priors Field

Saturday 26th November Priory Park

Green Leek

Reception

On Monday Reception will be joining with Reception at All Saints' for their first shared experience of the year. They will be visiting All Saints' Church and enjoy making some crafts together.

Year 6

On Tuesday Year 6 will visit Coventry Cathedral together as one of a series of experiences linked to World War 2.

Super Learning Day 16th November

Democracy

Our focus for our super learning day this term is one of our British Values: Democracy.

Children in Reception and Year 1 will be focusing on our Queen and we would like them to come dressed as kings and queens.

Year 2 and Key Stage 2 will focus on 'The Vote', who do we vote for, why and how do we make choices. We will be looking at how this is done in school, locally and nationally.

Please come dressed as a person you would vote for in any type of election or somebody who has had an impact on how we vote.

Foodbank Donations

Many thanks for the wonderful selection of donations we received as part of our harvest celebrations. These will be distributed by the Kenilworth Foodbank. A box for donations is always available in the school entrance by the office.

Curriculum Updates

Helping your child make progress.

Learn more about the developments we are making in writing, mathematics, computing and programming and online safety.

**Wednesday 2nd November 7.00 after
The Friends of Burton Green AGM.**

BOOK FAIR

This year we are holding a pre-Christmas Book People Book Fair. They sell books at very reasonable prices. This will be in school at 3.30 on Tuesday 1st November and Wednesday 2nd November. Please come along.

**ADMISSIONS 2017
OPEN MORNINGS**

Join Mrs Patterson on a guided tour around the school in a small group, with the opportunity to ask any questions that you might have.

10th November

9.30am or 11.00am

Please ring 02476464130 to reserve your place.

Burton Green Bonus

**Contact Mrs Caz Thompson 07580 253402
between 7am and 7pm daily.**

Friends of Burton Green

Making a difference!

Friends of Burton Green AGM 7.00 2nd November

Come along and celebrate another year of supporting your child's learning.

This year we are looking for a secretary to take the minutes of meetings and support communication.

**Our next steering group meeting is at 8pm on 9th
November** at The Virgins and Castle, High St, Kenilworth. We are very keen to welcome new parents to our planning meetings. Please come along and be part of the group planning the Christmas Fair.

Cake Sale

Many thanks to everybody who supported the cake sale. £108 was raised which has been distributed to support each class fund.

Bags4Schools

Many thanks to everybody who supported this event. £128 was raised. Please continue to save old clothes, belts, shoes etc as this is a regular planned collection. Please look out for our next date.

Stampastic

Fed up with sewing labels in your child's clothing. You can now label all of their school items with one stamp. Visit www.stampastic.co.uk and use the code HOBLANE with any purchases and the school will receive 20% cashback.

Christmas Fayre

19th November 12-2pm

Christmas Raffle

Raffle tickets to sell have been given out to the children this week. We have a super first prize of £100 Amazon voucher. This is a significant fundraiser and we really appreciate families selling the tickets. Please return any you are unable to sell.

We would love to hear from you if you are able to donate a prize. Please ask any businesses you are linked with.

Our 1st Non-Uniform Day: Friday 11th November 2016

Wear your own clothes to school in exchange for bringing donations of bottles and chocolates for the Christmas Fayre.

THANK YOU!

All the fun of the Fayre

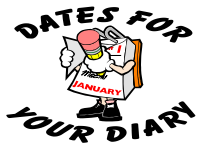
We would once again like to involve the children as much as possible in the fayre. Start to plan your

ideas for your stall, arrange your prizes and be ready to add to the fun.

Use our Virtual Shop. www.easyfundraising.org.uk

Mums' Curry Night - 10 November

Fancy coming out for a curry and a chat with other mums from the school? We are organising a meal at Indian Edge in Kenilworth on 10 November and it would be great to see as many mums from the school as possible. We are meeting in the Indian Edge bar at 8pm. Please let Bolette (Oskar & Matilde's mum) know by 2 November if you would like to come along (mobile 07913 927697).



2 nd	Damson Class- Singing Playgrounds 7.00 Friends of Burton Green AGM followed by curriculum evening' Helping Your Child Make Progress'.
5 th	10.00 Cross Country Priorsfield
8 th	Year 6 to Coventry Cathedral
10 th	Open Morning for parents with children seeking a place in 2017 Flu Nasal Spray for Years 1, 2 and 3. Mums Night Out - 8pm - Curry Night
11 th	Singing Playground workshops 10.45 Open Assembly : Remembrance Day
14 th	Year 6 and adults trip to London depart 5.45 am.
16 th	Super Learning Day- Democracy
19 th	Friends of Burton Green Christmas Fair
26 th	10.00 Cross Country Priory Park 2.00 All Saints' Christmas Fair
1 st December	4.00 Glow Club Performance - 'Dorothy's Christmas Quest'
5 th	All Saints' Christmas Performance watched by Burton Green
7 th	Burton Green's Christmas Performance watched by All Saints'
8 th	Christmas Performances at 2.00pm and 6.00pm
13 th	Christmas Party Day 9.00 Dance Assembly
14 th	School Christmas Lunch
15 th	9.30 Christmas Nativity 1.00pm Green Leek Whole School Panto visit to the Spa Centre Beauty and The Beast. Packed lunch today please.
16 th	Last Day of Term- Christmas Jumper Day Break Up
3 rd January	Tuesday Staff INSET Day
4 th	Wednesday return to School