



Buxton Primary School Newsletter

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Pressing On Ahead

I cannot believe I am already writing the second to last newsletter of this academic year!

Summer has really kicked in with the amazing weather we have had recently; we are making sure the children are drinking plenty of water throughout the day and wearing their hats when they are outside. If your child forgets their hat at home, please do your best to arrange bringing one in before break time.

I was very pleased to not have to cancel Sports Day this year as it turned out to be an incredible day with the weather holding out for us! Thank you to those parents and carers who were able to attend and make it such a special event for the children. We did have some comedy moments!

Mr Khan 😊

Induction Days Are Here!

This week the children will be meeting their new teachers and will be having three days with them in their new classes from **Wednesday 4th to Friday 6th July**. We will have our new Ladybirds class coming in over these few days and our Year Six's will be visiting the High School!

Below is a reminder of which teachers will be teaching the different classes:

Ladybirds - Year R - Mrs White / Mrs Poynton

Butterflies – Year 1 - Miss Birks

Grasshoppers – Year 2 - Miss Middleton

Caterpillars – Year 3 - Mrs Buchanan

Glowworms – Year 4 - Mrs Manners

Busy Bees – Year 5 - Mr Beale

Fireflies – Year 6 - Mrs Stops

**Get excited for
NEW CLASSES!**

Staffing Update

We are very sad to announce that Mrs Gibbons will be leaving us at the end of the term having been at Buxton Primary for 8 years. She will be starting a new career outside of education and we wish you all the best!

As a result of Mrs Gibbons leaving at the end of term we are looking to employ a new member of staff who will take on Mrs Gibbons' role of HLTA.

Summer BBQ Preparations!

This week the children will be convincing the PTFA to donate some money to each of the classes in a Dragon's Den style assembly! The children have been preparing work / presentations to convince the PTFA that they have amazing money making ideas for the Summer BBQ on Friday July 20th. Each class is planning to have a stall / space where they will be selling something they have made / designed (using PTFA funding – hopefully!) in order to make a profit that will go back to the PTFA to spend on the school. The classes are planning a variety of different items and activities that they are organising which will be shared in the final newsletter on the week of the BBQ event!

Helpers Needed

If you are able to help out at the BBQ event by either supporting to set up or by helping at the PTFA stalls, we would hugely appreciate it! Please get in touch with Mrs Spence at the school office if you are available. 😊

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Start of the School Day

Just a quick reminder for parents / carers to make sure you do not leave your children unattended at the school gates before the start of the school day. The official start time for school is 8.40am and the gate is opened and staffed from 8.25am. If your child does arrive early, please ensure there is an adult to supervise them. Alternatively we offer a fantastic breakfast club at 7.45am which currently costs £2.25 a morning.

The school gate will shut promptly at 8.45am, after this time your child will have to enter through the school office and will be marked as late.

Some more dates...

- 🚩 **Tuesday 3rd July** – Grasshoppers Class Assembly
- 🚩 **Wednesday 4th, Thursday 5th and Friday 6th July** – Meet the new teacher Induction Days
- 🚩 **Wednesday 11th July** – Ladybirds Class Assembly
- 🚩 **Friday 20th July** – Summer BBQ
- 🚩 **Monday 23rd July** – Year 6 Leavers Assembly
- 🚩 **Tuesday 24th July** – Last day of term
- 🚩 **Wednesday 25th July** – Start of Summer Holidays
- 🚩 **Thursday 6th September** – New term starts

Remember, all of these dates can be found on our school website on the bottom of the homepage 😊

Book Fair

Thank you to everyone who support our Book Fair this year. We sold over £830 worth of books which is amazing. This means we get the equivalent in new books to have in school. A brilliant addition to our resources which all the children will benefit from.

Email communication

In our bid to become more environmentally friendly and reduce our paper usage, from September we will be sending reminders for outstanding dinner money and breakfast club money home by email.

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