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### Dates for your Diary

Monday 25<sup>th</sup> April - Back to School - No mid-morning milk today.

Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> April -

Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> April -

Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> April - Attenborough Class and Sports Ambassadors Inspire+ Orienteering workshop in School.

Friday 29<sup>th</sup> April - Swimming Year 1, 2 and 3.



### Birthdays

Happy Birthday to Devon who had his birthday this week. We hope you had a lovely day. Also, Happy Birthday to Leo who has an Easter birthday - we hope you have a great day.

### Communications

Staff in school (particularly Mrs Wright) spend much of their time writing emails, letters and posting on the newsletter important information for parents and carers so you are informed of what is happening in school. Please take the time to read things. Unfortunately, we had some children in their PE kit yesterday for the class photos. This spoilt the photo for others who were smartly dressed in their uniform.

### **PE Uniform**

We would like to maintain the PE uniform policy as it is much easier for everyone if children come in their PE kits on their PE lesson days. However, we will be asking all children to be in school colours regardless the type of PE they are doing. This is dark shorts or joggers (if cold), a blue polo shirt and a navy sweat shirt. Thank you.

### **Out of School Achievements**



Henley, Alexander, Jake, Rohan, Sam and Callum play for the Colsterworth Colts. These boys won the Shield Cup on Sunday, after 2 years of defeats every week!

A fantastic display of perseverance and resilience. They have never given up. Since September they've slowly started to play as a team and work together. They all played amazingly. Well done to you all.

### **Reminder - Dropping off and collecting**

May we remind everyone that the children are to be dropped off in the morning, at the gates on the footpath side of the main playground. There are two members of staff, one on each gate, who will be there to supervise the children coming in from 8.45am.

Please supervise your child at all times outside of the school gate until they are safely on the playground.

A member of staff from Darwin is also on hand to walk any child in who may be unsure, but we do want to encourage the children to have some independence for when they move up the School after the summer holidays. Thank you for your understanding.

Parents dropping off to Pre-School can continue to come into the small playground by the blue gates to hand their child over to a member of the Pre-School staff. Thank you.

### **Egg Relay and Rolling Competition**

The children and staff enjoyed an egg relay on the playground today. It was infants verses juniors! Each class then nominated 2 rollers to see how far they could roll their eggs without them cracking.







**Dates for your Diary New dates will be added in red.**

25<sup>th</sup> April - Children back to School

25<sup>th</sup> April - No morning milk - just today due to delivery schedule.

**28<sup>th</sup> April - Inspire+ Orienteering Workshop - Attenborough Class and Sports Ambassadors - please come in PE kit.**

29<sup>th</sup> April - School Swimming - Year 1, Year 2 and Year 3

2<sup>nd</sup> May - Bank Holiday - School closed

6<sup>th</sup> May - Cake Raffle.

6<sup>th</sup> May - Mobile Library for Years 3-6

9<sup>th</sup> May - KS2 SATS week.

9<sup>th</sup> May - Attenborough Class trip to PGL for the day.

13<sup>th</sup> May - School Swimming - Year 1, Year 2 and Year 3

19<sup>th</sup> May - Summer Census Day - change of hot lunch menu TBC

19<sup>th</sup>-20<sup>th</sup> May - Year 6 School Camp and Twinlakes

24<sup>th</sup> May - Special Jubilee picnic/afternoon tea style lunch rather than hot lunches followed by a party afternoon.

26<sup>th</sup> May - Inspire+ Careers Workshop with Sophie Allen Year 6

27<sup>th</sup> May - School Swimming - Year 1, Year 2 and Year 3

27<sup>th</sup> May - Cake Raffle.

30<sup>th</sup> May-3<sup>rd</sup> June - Half Term holiday

6<sup>th</sup> June - Y1 Phonics Screening week

6<sup>th</sup>-7<sup>th</sup> June - Curie Class Residential - Rand Farm

8<sup>th</sup> June - Peter Rush Singing Assembly

**10<sup>th</sup> June - Attenborough Class Tennis competition - details to follow.**

13<sup>th</sup> June - Y4 Times Tables Test week, KS1 SATS week, SN Reviews and Healthy Eating week.

15<sup>th</sup> June - Attenborough Class Inspire+ Mini Olympics at the Meres Leisure Centre

**16<sup>th</sup> June - Einstein Class Tennis competition - details to follow.**

17<sup>th</sup> June - School Swimming - Year 1, Year 2 and Year 3

17<sup>th</sup> June - Father's Day Assembly

17<sup>th</sup> June - Cake Raffle.

**20<sup>th</sup> June - Darwin and Curie Day Trip to Botanic Gardens, Leicester - details to follow.**

**21<sup>st</sup> June - KS2 Sports Day**

22<sup>nd</sup>-24<sup>th</sup> June - Einstein Class Residential - Bushcraft

24<sup>th</sup> June - KS1 Sports Day

27<sup>th</sup> June - Inspire+ Mass Participation Event.

**29<sup>th</sup> June - Darwin and Curie Class - Traditional Tales Party - details to follow.**

1<sup>st</sup> July - School Swimming - Year 1, Year 2 and Year 3

1<sup>st</sup> July - Reports sent home

6<sup>th</sup> July - Year 6 Leaver's Day - please note change of day due to Year 6 transition days.

7<sup>th</sup> July - Jonathan Broom-Edwards - Inspire+ Assembly for the children.

Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> July - School closes for Summer.

Friday 8<sup>th</sup> July - School closed in lieu of Queen's Platinum Jubilee Bank Holiday.



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## Special Lunch Menu for the Jubilee Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> May



The changed menus are still free for Infant (Year R, 1 and 2) and Free School Meal children.

Pre-School and Years 3, 4, 5 and 6 are welcome to join us. The cost of the meal is still £2.35.

Thank you for your continued support and understanding this term. We are still not quite back to normal but we are not far away now.

May we wish you all a Happy Easter and hope that you all enjoy the break.  
From everyone at Buckminster School.

