

This week's merit certificates are
awarded to;

FS2 – Holly

Yr 1 – Bobby

Yr 2 – Alexa

Yrs 3 & 4 – Freya, Teegan & Charlie T-D

Yrs 5 & 6 – Evelyn & Florence

Sports Merit – Holly R

Well done to you all!



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Dates for your diary

Monday 29th April -

Back to School

Class Photographs

Tuesday 30th April -

Wednesday 1st May -

2.00pm PTFA Meeting in Community Room

Thursday 2nd May -

Friday 3rd May

Forest School FS1 and FS2

Hope you all have a great Easter Break

"Buckminster School, where children become Inspirational Learners"

School Class Photographs - Monday 29th April

When we return after the Easter Break we will be having our School Class photographs taken. We look forward to seeing all the children back in their smart school uniform.

Pre-School Children - if your child is not usually in Pre-School on a Monday then please let us know and we will arrange for your child to be included in the photograph on that day if you wish.



Life Skills Environment Afternoon

Thank you to everyone who came along to help the children and staff and for making our fantastic environment even better. Here are just a few photos - more are on the website under Enrichment.

Children were being respectful and responsible; we saw resilience and team working and many were demonstrating imagination and problem solving skills. Well done to everyone.



Year 3/4 River Walk

On Wednesday, Year 3 & 4 went on an Expedition to find the source of the River Witham. The weather was kind, the mud was almost non-existent and WE FOUND IT. We got quite worn out too!



Bonnets and Eggs



Year 3/4 Project Homework

Year 3/4 had project homework. They made models, wrote books and calculated perimeters of fields. They were so proud of the results that they set up an exhibition for the rest of the school.



Passports

Unfortunately, school is unable to complete passport applications for families due to the potential number we could be asked to do. We are very sorry we cannot help.

Drumming After-School Club

Unfortunately, the drumming teacher is unable to provide an after school club until September. We will keep the list of interested children and will contact you with arrangements later in the year.

Miss Parker

We all wish Miss Parker and her husband to be a wonderful wedding day over the Easter Break. May we wish you a long and happy life together.

Congratulations!



The Farm

A reminder of the dates for the children to help on the farm.

Week beginning	Year Group
29 th April	3
6 th May	2
13 th May	1
20 th May	R
3 rd June	5
10 th June	4
17 th June	3
24 th June	2
1 st July	1
8 th July	R



Summer Term Dates

29th April - Class photos
1st May - PTFA meeting 2pm
3rd May - FS1/2 Forest School
6th May - Bank Holiday
9th May - Active water safety assembly
10th May - Swimming Yr1, 2 + 4
10th May - FS2 - Family Assembly 2.45pm
13th May - Yr 6 SATs week (see timetable below)
17th May - FS1/2 Forest School
17th/18th May - Yr2 Rand Farm residential
20th May - WALK TO SCHOOL WEEK
24th May - Yr5/6 Family Assembly 2.45pm
24th May - Swimming Yr1, 2 + 4
25th May - Buckminster Estate Food and Drink Market
27th May - 31st May - School Closed for Half Term

3rd June - Back to School
4th June - Whole school cricket and countryside Day at Knipton Cricket Ground - Parent helpers needed please
7th June - FS1/2 Forest School
7th June - KS2 PTFA Film Night
14th June - Swimming Yr1, 2 + 4
17th June - Father's Day Assembly for Dads at 9.10am
18th June - SPORTS DAY 1.15pm
19th June - YR3/4 Inspire+ Mini Olympics at the Meres
21st June - FS1/2 Forest School
21st June - Swimming Yr1, 2 + 4
21st June - KS1 PTFA Film Night
21st June - Yr 3/4 Family Assembly 2.45pm
28th June - Whole School Food and Farming trip
1st July - Yr5 Science STEM Day at Casterton College
2nd July - Whole school Triathlon Day
5th July - FS1/2 Forest School Teddy Bear's Picnic
10th July - Yr 6 Leaver's Evening 6.30pm
12th July - Awards Assembly 9.10am

Year 6 SATs week timetable

Date	Activity
Monday 13 May 2019	English grammar, punctuation and spelling papers 1 and 2
Tuesday 14 May 2019	English reading
Wednesday 15 May 2019	Mathematics papers 1 and 2
Thursday 16 May 2019	Mathematics paper 3

Year 2 SATs will happen whenever Mrs Goddard feels the children are all well and happy!! There is no fixed week.

PTFA Bingo Night

A huge THANK YOU to Karen and Paul Kemp who organised (and funded) the School Bingo Night last month.

They raised a fantastic **£360** for the PTFA!

Thank you also to everyone else who helped and took part - it makes a huge difference to the fund raising pot to have events like these. The PTFA (and ultimately the children) really appreciate it.





From all the staff, we wish you a very happy and peaceful Easter