St Buryan Academy Newsletter

Tuesday 23rd July 2019



Key Dates

September 4th - start of new academic year

Further dates to be announced in our Welcome Back letter!



Sickness

Please remember that we have a '48 hours policy'. This means that a child must stay off school for 48 hours after their last bout of sickness. This is to help prevent any illnesses spreading throughout the school and to ensure all children and staff are well.

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Please remember that school starts at 8.55am and all children should be in school ready to go into classes and start their learning by that time.

Thank you

Believe, Achieve, Aspire

Buryan Bulletin

Well, here we are at the end of the 2018/19 academic year!

It has been a busy year with so many highlights from our reading open day, to our Christmas productions and church concert, our school trip to watch the immersive Rogue Theatre at Tehidy, to our whole-school Matilda trip, our whole-school Merry Maidens walk, our Isles of Scilly and Hayle camps, our end of year performance courtesy of Kernow King (Ed Rowe) and countless trips and visits in between to Nanguidno, St Mary's Haven, Porthcurno Telegraph Museum and more! It was concluded yesterday with our Leavers' Assembly. Our Year 6s gave a perfect send off to the rest of the school and to their parents as they showed a video of their lives so far and were treated to a talk from Barnes Thomas.

The whole school community would like to wish the Year 6s all of the very best for the future.

Thank you to those who brought in the parental questionnaires. It is great to hear what you like about our school, and extremely useful to hear what we could perhaps improve upon. Over the summer holidays we will upload the

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analysis of the questionnaire onto the school website and send a paper copy home to you too, also being sent

home when we return in September will be a 'Welcome Back' poster with all of the key information on it for next year.

From next year the Year 5s and 6s will be asked to go straight to Porthcurno

Class when they arrive from 8.45am!

Also, look-out for our new entrance to Gwenver Class next year!

Have a great summer and thank you for all of the support you have given the school this year!

I have included some of my favourite pictures of the year on the back!

Finally, as a little end of year gift, each child has received a book that they can read by themselves or share with you all.

Thank you

Mr Josh McDonald

Staff news

Unfortunately this year we must give our best wishes to Mrs Kwiatkoska and Mrs Cain.

Mrs Kwiatkoska, affectionately known as Mrs K, has been a highly valued member of our team for the past three years. She has been a welcoming and smiley face in our Early Years class and has left a lasting impression on the children she has taught. She will be hugely missed by all connected to the school.

Mrs Cain is also moving on. After more than 30 years of working at the school, Mrs Cain is moving away. Many may not know or recognise Mrs Cain but we all owe so much to her as she is the fairy that single handedly ensures that the school is clean every morning and evening. We will all really miss Mrs Cain but are grateful to Mrs Tesdale who will be taking over the role.

Battery Recycling

Do you have any old batteries that no longer work? We have a collection point by the offices for any old batteries.

Depending on how many batteries we collect, we could win prizes!

The scheme is being organised by Duracell.



Children may now wear their summer uniform. School uniform is available from:

www.myclothing.com

You can now 'Like' them on Facebook too!

Recycle Your Crisp Packets

We are supporting **Terracycle** to recycle crisp packets.

If you have any crisp packets (any brand) at home, or for packed lunch, bring them into school and put them in our recycling box which can be found in the school hall!













Celebration Awards

Well done to all of our winners this year! As of every end of half term, our Key Stage 2 children are presented with School Spirit Awards.

This half-term winners are:

Healthy Living: Clayton, Evan E, Logan

Academic: Hugo, Jack R, Arthur

Respect: Evie, Emily Creativity: Jenna

Our Key Stage 1 children still receive their 'Choughed Awards'. Our last winners of the year are:

Reception - Georgia Year 1 - Jensen

Year 2 - Astrid

Well done to Godrevy - our 2018/19 team point winners!

After-school clubs

New after school clubs start next year!

Next year we will be introducing some new after school clubs including Endorsed Football Club in conjunction with Mousehole FC!

From next year we will also be running our choir as an after school club on Tuesday afternoons for Year2 - Year 6. This will be run by Mrs Crow who will also be teaching music across the school from next year. This is a great opportunity to get involved with our choir!

Safeguarding

Designated Safeguarding Lead (DSL):
Mr J McDonald
Deputy DSL and SENCO:
Mr M Butterfield
Safeguarding Governor
Mrs V Hall
Parent Liaison Officer:
Mrs Care

Please note that if your child attends Breakfast Club (8.00am-8.45am) there is a £1 cost which should be payable daily or at the end of the week. Thank you.