

BOURN PRIMARY ACADEMY NEWSLETTER



April 2018

From the Head Teacher

Welcome to the Summer Term and, hopefully, to some dry and sunny weather. This is traditionally a very busy term, even more so this year with our special 60th anniversary celebrations.

Firstly, I would like to congratulate Mrs Gawthrope who has recently announced that she is expecting a baby and will be commencing maternity leave in September.

The swimming pool will be re-commissioned in the next two weeks and we hope to start using it the week beginning 30th April. A class timetable will be sent home later this week. As in previous years, children in KS1 will swim three times a week and the children in Years 3, 4, 5 and 6 twice a week. Please refer to our Home/School Policy on swimming requirements. If you are unable to find your printed copy the policy can be found on the School website.

The Year 4 children are embarking on a residential trip to Grafham Water Centre on 2nd May and the Year 6 children are looking forward to their 5-day visit to the Frontier Centre in Northamptonshire at the end of June. Day visits and PE tournaments are planned for the other year groups; information will be sent out in due course.

The Annual Sports Day is planned for 6th June. The arrangements are slightly different from previous years and we will be sending out further information in due course; please note that we are looking to start the event at 12.30pm.

We are finalising plans for the 60th Anniversary celebration week 11th - 15th June. We start on the Monday morning with a visit to Bourn Church for a Thanksgiving service, and finish at 9.05 am on Friday with a morning concert, when every child in the School will take part and a Music concert in the evening (information regarding the evening concert was sent out at the end of last term). There are many exciting things happening during the week, which we will reveal a little later in the term.

Following the popular 'drop- in' session in February, when parents had the opportunity to look at class work with their child, we are repeating the event on Thursday 21st June from 3.15 - 5.00 pm. End of year reports will be sent home w/c 2 July and there will be the opportunity to meet with class teachers on the **revised dates of Tuesday, 10th, Wednesday, 11th and Thursday, 12th July**. Appointments will be arranged nearer the time. **Please also note that the Year 6 fete will now take place on 3rd July and the Year 6 Barbecue will be held on 17th July.**

This year the Year 6 Leavers' Play will take place on Thursday 19th July at 7.00 pm. The term ends on Friday 20th July with a special assembly at 9.00 am and a lunchtime picnic on the field, when parents will be invited to join us. As in previous years, parents will be able to take their children home following the end of the lunch break at 1.00 pm.

There will be a lot of communication sent to parents this term about school events; this will also be available on the school website. Please also take a look at the dates below for events which I have not mentioned in my letter.

Kind regards

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Christine Page
Head Teacher

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY
COMMUNITY ASSEMBLIES

20 th April	No Community Assembly
27 th April	Rosewood
4 th May	Cedar
11 th May	Cherry
18 th May	Acorn
8 th June	Poetry
15 th June	60 th Anniversary concert
22 nd June	Maple
29 th June	Willow
6 th July	Hazel
13 th July	Music
20 th July	Leavers' assembly

EVENTS

25 th April	Y1 multi-skills event at Comberton Village College
1 st May	Year 2 tennis event at Comberton Village College
2 nd - 4 th May	Year 4 residential - Grafham Water
3 rd May	Full Governing Body meeting
14 th - 17 th May	Year 6 SATs
23 rd May	New Reception intake parents' information evening
6 th June	Sports Day
11 th - 15 th June	60 th Anniversary celebrations
15 th June	Music Concert (7.30pm)
19 th June	Class photographs
20 th June	Year 5 Careers Convention
21 st June	Drop-in session (3.15pm - 5.00pm)
25 th - 29 th June	Year 6 residential - Frontier Centre (Rock UK)
3 rd July	Year 6 fete (3.05pm - 4.00pm)
5 th July	Moving On day
5 th July	Year 6 pupils - intake day at Comberton Village College
6 th July	Year 6 pupils - Sports festival at CVC
10 th July	Parent consultations (3.30pm - 5.30pm)
11 th July	Parent consultations (4.00pm - 7.00pm)
11 th July	Full Governing Body meeting
12 th July	Parent consultations (3.30pm - 5.30pm)
17 th July	Year 6 Barbecue (3.05pm - 5.00pm)
19 th July	Year 6 play (7pm)
20 th July	Leavers' assembly (9.05am)

<i>Summer term 2018</i>	
Training day (school closed)	Friday, 25th May
Half-term	28th May - 1st June
Summer term closes	Friday, 20th July
Training day (school closed)	Monday, 23rd July

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