

Thursday 27th May
2021



BURTON AGNES C.E. PRIMARY SCHOOL

Friday News

A Note from Mrs. Jameson

It's hard to believe it is the end of May already. Certainly the weather we have experienced this week would not suggest so! Hopefully better weather is on the way and we will be able to get outside over half time and enjoy the beautiful world around us.

The children have worked very hard this half term and are ready for a break. I am incredibly proud of how resilient our children are and after a period of disruption to their learning, they have quickly found their groove once more. The children are also working really hard to show their school values of friendship, care and trust. It is important to remember that, at school, the children only mix and socialise with the children in their bubble so they really need to get along with each other all of the time! We are hoping that at some point during the next half term we may be able to make our bubbles a little larger and allow the children to socialise with each other a little more.

We have also planned some dates for Sports Days. (see diary) At this moment the guidance from East Riding is still pretty vague and very much dependent on what the changes set out by the Government will look like in June which is why we have planned them for much later in the term than we usually do. At the very least the children will get a Sports Day of some kind but it would be lovely to think that we could invite parents to watch too in some shape or form.

A huge thank you to you all for your continued support this half term and since we all returned to School in March. Your commitment to supporting our children to learn and to keeping the school community safe is very much appreciated.

I would also like to say a big thank you to the staff in school who work incredibly hard to ensure that children are supported both academically and emotionally to minimise the impact of the chaos of the past year.

All Stars Cricket



It was lovely to be able to welcome John Major in to school today. John took the children in Class 2, 3 and 4 for some cricket sessions to promote the after school clubs for cricket that are running across the county. It was great to see the children fully engaged, learning and having fun!

See over leaf for more details



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Please make sure your child has their PE kit in school. Thank you

Diary Dates for 2020-2021

Thursday 27th May	School closes for half Term
Friday 28th May	Staff Training Day
Monday 7th June	School opens
Wednesday 7th July	Class 2 visit to Hornsea Museum
Thursday 8th July	Provisional Sports Day
Friday 9th July	Provisional Sports Day
Thursday 8th July	Class 4 Growing up talk
Wednesday 14th July	Class 4 visit to Dalby Forest
Thursday 15th July	Class 4 visit to Robin Hoods Bay
Friday 23rd July	Leavers service TBC
	End of Term

As we are approaching the summer days and the sun is shining, it is the perfect time for everyone to be thinking about cricket! With that in mind I want to bring to your attention two of our national programmes that will be running at a centre near you! All Stars Cricket (5-8 year olds) and Dynamos Cricket (8-11 year olds.)

All Stars Cricket provides a fantastic first experience for all children aged 5-8 years old where they're guaranteed 8 weeks of jam-packed fun, activity and skills development. The programme is designed to introduce children to the sport, teaching them new skills, helping them make new friends and have a great time doing so.

With an emphasis on FUN! Children will learn fundamental movement skills including catching, throwing and batting. Soft balls and plastic bats are used by everyone and all participants are given their very own cricket bag full of everything they need to play the game.

Happening at a local club near you for 8 weeks! Find your local cricket club at: <https://www.ecb.co.uk/play/all-stars>

Dynamos cricket provides a fantastic next step for those graduating from All Stars Cricket and the perfect introduction for 8-11 year-olds new to the sport! Complementing junior cricket, Dynamos provides children with a more social offer focused on developing fundamental movement skills and applying them in an exciting game of Countdown cricket.

Every child who registers will receive their very own Dynamos Cricket New Balance t-shirt, personalised with their name and number!

Happening at a local club near you! Find your local cricket club at: <https://www.ecb.co.uk/play/dynamoscricket>

Thank you

Many thanks to everyone who has completed our annual Parents questionnaire and our questionnaire about providing working parents with an out of school club that runs in addition to our after school sports clubs.

If you have not already completed them please click on the following links

Parents survey about school

https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=0WgTNNVqbi0ysdvObTH3XbDq7hOAwjKIFi_MiEciLesVURVdCMIJFNzBIUjhHNUZaM1lZWlcxOVpMSy4u

Survey about out of school Club

https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=0WgTNNVqbi0ysdvObTH3XbDq7hOAwjKIFi_MiEciLesVUM01OODJWTERBVUpNTIjXVUdETjRUVTNVRs4u

Your opinions and ideas do matter to us and help us as we make plans to make the school an even better place.

A message from the Government

COVID-19 testing over May half-term

As lockdown eases, taking a rapid COVID-19 test twice a week, even if you do not have symptoms, will help us stay ahead of the spread of the virus, particularly as new strains appear. Around 1 in 3 people with COVID-19 have no symptoms and are spreading the virus without knowing. This includes those who have had their vaccine.

We want to thank you for your continued support in testing.

Please continue to test twice-weekly over half-term and test before returning to school or college after the holiday. The result of a rapid test could be positive, negative or even void. But whatever it is, it should be reported straight away, every time. Recording all test results helps scientists stay ahead of the virus by spotting new outbreaks quickly and advising how to respond.

Contact tracing over the Half Term holidays

To help support with reducing the spread of Covid 19 the school needs to continue with contact tracing over the half term holidays. This will be similar to the arrangements we had in place at previous holiday times. Parents and carers need to report if someone has develop symptoms of COVID within 48 hours of being in their education setting and have tested positive. This is to enable us to track and trace potential contacts within the school.

Where pupils test positive for coronavirus (COVID-19) during the holidays, having developed symptoms more than 48 hours since being in an education setting you do not need to inform the school. Parents and carers should follow contact tracing instructions provided by NHS Test and Trace

Please use the email – burtonagnes.head.primary@eastriding.gov.uk to confirm any positive cases.

After Clubs after Half Term

Just a reminder that after school clubs after half term will focus on the following activities

Monday—Class 3—Gymnastics until 4.30pm

Tuesday—Class 4—Sports—Until 4.15 pm

Thursday—Class 2—until 4.15pm

Have a lovely holiday everyone