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Burton Buzz

It has been another successful year at Burton End. There are lots of formal ways in which the school and children are judged (tests, exams, OfSTED and results) all of which have been very pleasing for the school and should be celebrated. However, it is important to remember the individual successes that have played a part in that. This might be:

- a child who has found it tricky in the mornings to transition into school that is now feeling more settled
- a child that can now ride a bike confidently because they took part in Bikeability
- a child who stayed away from home for the first time on the Y6 PGL trip
- a child who can now tie their shoe laces,
- a child who found reading tricky last year but now has a love of books and reading
- or a child and family who have experienced a tricky family situation that they have been supported through We are very proud of all of the children and their individual achievements and pride ourselves on the inclusive provision at Burton End. And yes, don't worry we will be ready and raring to go again in September!

My final thanks goes to our staff for all their hard work. We won't be seeing Mrs Morris in September as Mrs Mace returns to Burton End full time. Mrs Morris has done a great job in the five months she has been with us as our Deputy Headteacher and I know she is very excited to be moving on to another Deputy Headteacher role within Unity Schools Partnership. It has been wonderful to have Mrs Morris with us even for such a short time and she will be greatly missed by us all. Good luck Mrs Morris your new school are lucky to have you!

Have a great summer everyone! Graham Almond - Headteacher

Well done **Nursery** children. Enjoy Reception in September.

EXPANSION OF SPECIALIST PROVISION AT BURTON END

Our Nursery will be relocating to our new build classroom at the top of our Car Park and Miss Butt is very much looking forward to shaping this new space.

Our existing Nursery and Wraparound Care Classrooms at the front of school will become our SEND Hub catering for our two linked classrooms 'Explorers' and 'Adventurers' and a new outdoor area. Our popular Wraparound Care provision will move to our existing Explorers classroom. We will shortly be sending more information about Breakfast and After School Club.

> New Nursery classroom, SEND Hub in Nursery and existing WAC, WAC in Explorers

NURSERY: CLASS OF 2025

On Monday, the children celebrated the end of their time in Nursery with a party which included party food, dancing and party games. Parents and carers were invited in during the afternoon as the children get ready for starting school.

We look forward to seeing most of the children back in September when they start in Reception but for those joining new schools we wish them lots of luck!



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MR NEWMAN'S SPORTING ROUND UP...











Last Tuesday we invited a number of local sports clubs to our school as well as New Cangle, St Felix and Clements schools to take part in a number of taster sessions throughout the day alongside our Year 5 and 6 students. The sessions included Rugby, Tennis, Padel, Karate, Cricket, Boxing and a healthy lifestyle workshop. The idea of the day was to show the children the variety of sports available to them in Haverhill. As part of their transition to Secondary school they can find a sport to participate in outside of school and continue their sporting journey!





















WE ARE GOLD!

The School Games Mark is a Government-led award scheme launched in 2012, facilitated by the Youth **Sport Trust to reward schools** for their commitment to the development of competition across their school and into the community, and we are delighted to have been recognised for our success.



SPORTS DAY 2025

On Wednesday and Thursday last week our children took part in their sports day. In the morning all the children went out to the field in their year groups and took part in 7 different field events, scoring points for their houses. In the afternoon each child had the opportunity to run a race and contribute more points towards their house total. It was brilliant to see all of the children throughout the school participate in every event and play a big part in their house's total. Our Explorers class had their sports day rescheduled for this Wednesday

and had lots of fun too! Congratulations to Turing who are Burton End Sports Day House Champions for 2025!



EXPLORE OUTDOOR

To finish off 'Active Week' our Year 6s went to the Leisure Centre to take part in the explore outdoor day. The children completed a number of different activities including Archery, Rock Climbing, Fire Lighting and team building activities! Thank you to all adults for your support this year in what has been a successful sporting year for Burton End. Enjoy the summer and I am looking forward to making next year even bigger and more successful.









FAMILY PARK COCKING

22nd July- 30th August

Subject to availability

10:00-15:00

Parents and children take part in an amazing family day out with a wide range of activities including an outdoor cooking master class where you will cook a delicious lunch together.

Every family that attend will take home all of the ingredients and recipe cards for a weeks' worth of meals.

*Free for those eligible for free school meals or meet Suffolk Country Council eligibility criteria

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Burton End Primary Academy 2025/26 Term Dates

PD Day: Monday 1st September 2025 Tuesday 2nd September 2025

In school: Wednesday 3rd September 2025 – Friday 24th October 2025

Half Term
Monday 27th October 2025 - Friday 7th November 2025

In school: Monday 10th November 2025 – Friday 19th December 2025

Christmas Holiday

Monday 22nd December 2025 – Friday 2nd January 2026

PD Day: Monday 5th January 2026

In school: Tuesday 6th January 2026 to Friday 13th February 2026

Half Term
Monday 16th February 2026 – Friday 20th February 2026

In school: Monday 23rd February 2026 to Friday 27th March 2026

Easter Holiday
Monday 30th March 2026 – Friday 10th April 2026

In school: Monday 13th April 2026 to Friday 22rd May 2026

Monday 4th May 2026 – Bank Holiday

Monday 25th May 2026 – Friday 29th May 2026

PD Day (Trust): Friday 26th June 2026

In school: Monday 1st June 2026 to Friday 17th July 2026

PD Day: Monday 20th July 2026