



Bury C of E Primary School Newsletter

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***This week's Collective Worship theme is Generosity – "God loves a cheerful giver."
2 Corinthians 9:7***

Dear Parents/Carers,

A huge thank you to FoBS for organising the school discos last week. The children had a fantastic time, and we are delighted to share that the discos raised almost £300 for the school.

Class photos were taken on Tuesday, and proofs will be sent home as soon as possible.

Today's Sports Day has been brilliant! Although it has been very hot, the children did incredibly well and showed fantastic enthusiasm, teamwork and determination throughout the day. We are very proud of them all. The children were lucky enough to be provided with free ice-creams/lollies by Frank's Ices at lunchtime - we hope they enjoyed them! A huge thank you to Frank's Ices for their generosity.

We haven't had many entries for our 'Earth Through Our Eyes' competition. Entries should be in by Monday 1st June. Please upload photos via Google Forms (scan the QR code on the flyer which has been emailed home again today), or your child may hand their entry in to their class teacher (please ensure their name is on the entry).

We hope you all have a wonderful and restful half-term break. See you back in school on Monday 1st June.

Mrs Donnelly and Miss Jones

22nd May 2026

Weekly Attendance	
Whole School: 94.3%	Year Three: 92.5%
Reception: 92.7%	Year Four: 94.6%
Year One: 95.6%	Year Five: 94.8%
Year Two: 91.4%	Year Six: 98.6%
Whole School Year to Date: 96.2%	



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Sports Day – photos:



Please do not share any Sports Day photos of children (other than your own) on social media without asking for permission from the parents/carers first. This is to ensure the safety and welfare of all of our children as some do not have permission for photographs to be shared online.

School meals:



Please remember to book your child's meal choices via MCAS for the next half term - the menu is now available on MCAS. We ask that meals are chosen in advance to assist the cook with ordering and preparing food and the teachers and office with morning registration.

Spellings:



We have sent the children home with their spellings this week, to allow the children to practise them during their first week back after half term. Spellings have also been updated on the school website (under About Us – Curriculum).

PE days next half term:

PE days for the next half term will be:

YR – Friday

Y1 – Wednesday



Y2 – Wednesday

Y3 – Tuesday and Friday

Y4 – Monday and Thursday

Y5 – Monday and Tuesday

Y6 – Wednesday (two sessions)

Please note, during the first week back, Year 1, Year 2 and Year 6 will not have PE on the Wednesday (3rd June) - this will instead take place on Monday 1st June (first day back).

Swimming:



All Year 3 and some Year 4, Year 5 and Year 6 children (you will have been notified if this relates to your child) will be going swimming every Thursday for 6 weeks from Thursday 4th June. The children should wear PE uniform to school and bring their swimming kit (swimming costume/trunks and towel) with them in a named bag. Goggles may be worn but children may be asked to remove them for parts of the lesson unless they are required for a medical reason.

Trip payments:

Year 6 Wicksteed Park trip:

Payment for this trip is due no later than Friday 29th May.



Grafham residential:

The next stage payment for this trip is due no later than Monday 1st June.

Reception Class Puppet Theatre:

Payment for this activity is due no later than Friday 5th June.

Year 5 Victorian School trip:

Payment for this trip is due no later than Friday 5th June.



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Upcoming FoBS events:

National Donut Day - 5th June:

Orders of Krispy Kreme Doughnuts should be placed by Monday 1st June - doughnuts will be available for collection on 5th June.



Ice Lolly Friday:

Ice lollies will be sold after school (front and back entrance) on Fridays starting 12th June. £1 each - cash or QR payments taken.

Summer Garden Party - 19th June:

For parents/carers of children in Years 5 and 6, please could you let us know if your child would be available to help on any stalls at the Summer Garden Party.



Please continue to provide any donations for raffle/tombola prizes - contact Lauren Wilson to arrange collection of prizes. Thank you.

Upcoming events (details for all events will be sent out closer to the time):



25th – 29th May – Half Term

1st June - Return to school

4th June – Y6 trip to IWM Duxford

12th June – Y5 Come to Lunch

18th – 23rd June – Scholastic Book Fair

19th June – Y4 Come to Lunch

19th June – FoBS Summer Garden Party

24th – 26th June – Burwell residential trip (Y3/Y4)

25th/26th June - Abbey College Transition days

1st/2nd July - Kings Transition days

6th July - Y6 Production (2pm)

7th July - Y5 Victorian School trip

7th July - Y6 Production (10.30am)

8th July - Reception Class Puppet day

10th July – Reception Class Come to Lunch

15th July - Y6 Wicksteed trip

17th July – Last day of term



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Bury Church News:



This Sunday 24th May is Pentecost Sunday, which is often considered to be the Birthday of the Christian Church. All are welcome to join us at 11.15am for our service of 'Sunday Praise' which will have an appropriately celebratory theme. We often suggest that people might like to come wearing bright colours for this service to represent the tongues of fire which fell upon the disciples on the first Day of Pentecost. Party poppers will be provided!

Services:

Sunday 24th May

11.15am - Sunday Praise

Sunday 31st May

10am - 4 Parishes Joint service at Wistow