



It's been a great start to the summer term and it is nice to see the children looking smart in their summer uniforms now the weather is warming up. If we do have more hot weather please make sure that your child comes to school with a hat, suncream on and a water bottle.

As a school we are always being asked if there are places available and we keep waiting lists for all year groups. If you know that you are moving on at the end of term, please do let us know as soon as possible so that we can offer any spaces sooner rather than later.

Some of you may have spotted that Mrs Noble is back with us following her maternity leave. She will be working on Mondays until the end of term, after which time she is going to be focussing on family life. We are very sorry that she won't be back in the new term but wish her all the very best. We have appointed a new teacher – Mr Chris Nye to start in September. As ever the full staffing plan will be shared with everyone in July.

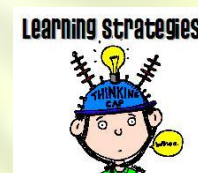
## School Development Plan

All schools are required to have a school development plan in place and this year we have decided to do ours a little differently. We have committed to undertake some evidence/action based research around three key areas of development identified for our school:

The Use of **Technology**

The Use of the **Outdoor** Environment

The Impact of the **Mastery** Approach to the Curriculum



Subject Leaders and staff across the school will be working together to put in place action plans so that we can be sure the decisions we make are the best ones for our school. We will keep you updated through the website and blog as to our progress.

## One World Week

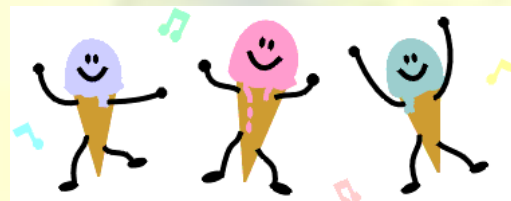
In the week of 25<sup>th</sup> June the school will be having a "One World Week". This will be an opportunity for children to learn about the wider world and celebrate different cultures represented across the school. If you would like to get involved either by working in the classrooms or sharing your experiences please do get in touch with your child's class teacher. More information to follow.



## Ice-Cream Sales!

The Summer has arrived and this lovely hot weather has got many of us thinking about ice-creams! This term the School Council will be organising and running ice cream sales after school every other Friday. All ice-creams on sale will be £1. If your child goes to Movie Club or Swallows we will arrange them ice-creams if they want them. If your child attends Movie Club or Swallows we will need you to let us know if your child has a relevant allergy. Details nearer the time.

All money raised will go towards new playground equipment. This year, Sainsburys are not doing their active vouchers and in the past these vouchers have bought all the playground equipment. The children were keen to find their own way of



raising the money for it.

The ice cream sales will be on the following Fridays:

4th May, 18th May, 8th June, 29th June and 13th July.

Please come along, enjoy an ice-cream and help raise money for Burpham School.

Thank you for your support.

## Class Zone

Eagles have been learning about ratio and proportion over the past few weeks. On Friday 20th April, we completed an investigation where we had to amend a recipe so enough smoothie could be made for the whole school. First we had to work out how many children there are in the school, before taking away any children who were allergic to the ingredients. When we had done that, we worked out the amount of each ingredient that we would need to make enough for everyone. Because we are an inclusive school, some children worked out how much of each ingredient we would need to make smoothies for the children with allergies too. After our investigation, we worked out how much we would need to make for our group and had a go at making the smoothie. It was delicious! If you would like to have a go making the smoothie the ingredients, which will make enough for at least 2, are:

- 150g frozen mixed berries
- $\frac{1}{2}$  apple, cored and sliced
- 100ml semi-skimmed milk
- 80g natural yoghurt
- 15g porridge oats

*Eagles Class*

## PSA News



On Friday 20th April, Year 3 ran a cake sale. Lots of children and their parents made cakes. The stall was run by Year 3 volunteers: Annie, Emily, Elizabeth, Amelia, Rose, Emma, Anya and Sophie. There were some yummy cakes made like Liam's Happy Buns, Megan's Dream Cakes and Audrey's Fairy Cakes. We raised an amazing £160.80. This will go towards the building of the new Multi-Use Games Area (MUGA). Well done everyone! *Annie (Year 3)*





## **Would you like to volunteer to be the new Chair for the PSA?**

At the end of this term, Vicky Greensit is stepping down as Chair of the PSA. Vicky has done a fantastic job and we would all like to thank her for her time, organisational skills and enthusiasm in the role.

We are now looking for a new Chair for the Autumn term. This is a great opportunity for you to get involved with the school community and really make a difference for our children.

Below is a list of responsibilities but if you would like any additional information or are interested in the role please contact Vicky at [evgreensit@gmail.com](mailto:evgreensit@gmail.com)

## **PSA – Chair Person Responsibilities**

### **Events**

- Ensure regular events have volunteers to run them
- Support volunteers as appropriate
- Oversee the biggest fundraisers including the Summer and Christmas Fairs
- Try to find volunteers for new events

### **Meetings**

- Attend PSA meetings (half termly)
- Set the Agenda
- Update on upcoming events
- Solicit feedback on events
- Prepare and Chair the AGM

### **Other Requirements**

- Liaise with the school and agree with the committee how PSA raised funds will be used to support the children's education
- Liaise with the school with regards to events, support and communications
- Liaise with the school office for any updates to the PSA area of the school web-site
- On-going support any PSA led initiatives / events
- Maintain the PSA Rep job description
- Review the annual finances with the Treasurer
- Liaise with the Treasurer and ensure the Annual Return is complete and submitted to the Charities Commission
- Recruit Secretary / Treasurer roles as appropriate

### **Burpham Primary School PSA Charity**

- The new Chairperson will become Chair of the PSA Charity

## **From the Office**

### **Class Photos**

A reminder to parents that the Class photos are being taken on the morning of Thursday 3rd May 2018. Please remember to send your child to school in smart school uniform.

### **Volunteer DBS Checks**

We are very fortunate as a school to receive so much help from our parents and carers. In order to meet our safeguarding responsibilities we require all volunteers for whom a Disclosure and Barring Service check has been undertaken by the school to come in at least once a term to keep the check valid. The office hold a DBS cleared volunteers list which we ask you to sign once a term when you come in. The list has been updated for this term so please ask to sign it on your next visit.

If you have previously had a check completed but haven't been in to help for a while your name may have been removed from the list, so please check with the office staff if you are unsure, or if you want to undertake a new check.

Thank you for your support.

### **Ballet Club at Burpham on Friday mornings**



Please find attached details of ballet classes run by Dynamic Performing Arts at Burpham Primary School on Friday mornings at 8.00am for 4 to 7 year olds.

### **Cycling Instructors Wanted**



The Cycle Training Team at Surrey County Council are recruiting for Cycling Instructors. If you would like more details then please follow the link below:

Link - <https://www.surreycc.gov.uk/jobs> and search for "Cycling Instructor".

### **Junior Cricketers Wanted**



The Guildford City Youth Project are running cricket coaching at Sutherland Memorial Park for 6 to 18 year olds. We have attached the leaflet showing more details. For more information or to apply contact Sue or Stuart on 01483 575634 or email [GCYP@btinternet.com](mailto:GCYP@btinternet.com)

### **Holy Trinity Church's Boys Choir**



Holy Trinity Church are holding an open rehearsal on Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> May from 6.30 to 7.30pm. For more information please see the attached leaflet.

## WEY KAYAK CLUB

### JUNIOR INTRODUCTORY COURSES 2018



#### School holidays – 3 day courses

**Weds 30<sup>th</sup> May – Friday 1<sup>st</sup> June 10am – 12 noon**

**Weds 1<sup>st</sup> August - Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> August 10am – 12 noon**

**Weds 22<sup>nd</sup> August - Friday 24<sup>th</sup> August 10am-12 noon**

#### After school course – weekly, for 6 weeks

**Mon 4<sup>th</sup> June – Mon 9<sup>th</sup> July 4pm – 5.30 pm**

All courses cost £35 and are suitable for anyone aged 9 or over.

For more information and to book a place please go to

[www.weywayak.co.uk](http://www.weywayak.co.uk)

#### **Boxgrove Primary School - Half Term Holiday Club**

Please see the attached leaflet regarding details of Energy Kidz's May half term holiday club which is run at Boxgrove Primary School.

Energy Kidz offer a 10% discount on all bookings for their May Half Term Everyday Heroes Holiday Club. You can find all the information you need and take a look at their fun packed activity schedule at [www.energy-kidz.co.uk/holiday-club](http://www.energy-kidz.co.uk/holiday-club).

Book using the code – **EBMAY18-1** before midnight on Sunday 6th May to grab a 10% discount on your May Half Term bookings.