Over the course of the last year we committed to undertake some evidence based research around three areas of school development – **Outdoor Learning**, **Technology** and **Mastery**.

Teachers have engaged in action research in their classrooms, taken part in lesson study - working closely with colleagues to drill down into how children learn best. They have visited other local schools to observe and share best practice and have attended training both in and out of school. As a result of this we now have action plans for the three core areas.

A lot of work has already taken place including the building of the MUGA and development in the Wildlife area, the decision to purchase a set of iPads and the transformation of how we teach whole class reading.

The plans will be monitored throughout the coming months and adapted as necessary to meet any changing needs. Please take a look at our website http://www.burpham.surrey.sch.uk/information/school-development-plan-1 for more information.

<mark>Jo Whit</mark>e, Headteacher

Terracycle Competition - please vote for us!

As we are registered users of the Terracycle scheme we are eligible to enter their playground competition to win equipment made out of recycled goods. All you have to do is click on the link below and vote for us! The school with the most votes will win.

https://www.terracycle.com/en-GB/contests/colgateplayground?&gclid=EAlalQobChMIn-phNSs4qIVUflRCh0R-AUeEAAYASAAEqJ_SfD_BwE

Clean Air Day

Thursday 20th June is Clean Air Day. We know that lots of you already walk to school but if you don't perhaps Thursday could be the day you leave the car behind... More information is available on the Clean Air Day website https://www.cleanairday.org.uk/

Don't forget our Golden Boot challenge runs until the 23rd June. Finding alternative ways to arrive at school, keeps us fit and healthy, helps our pupils develop road safety skills which will keep them safe as they travel further afield and more independently and helps keep our local air clean, and our streets free from congestion.

Ice Cream Sale!



Ice Cream Sale - back by popular demand!

The School Council are having two ice cream sales after school this summer on **Friday 28**th **June** and **Friday 19**th **July**.

All profits will go to the school council to spend on the school.



On Wednesday 22nd May 2019 the **Wrens** and **Puffins** travelled by coach to Painshill Park. The sun was shining and we had an exciting day of outdoor activities. The children got their hands dirty and had a go at painting and creating tree trolls with natural resources that they had collected. They also had an adventure in the beautiful grounds and followed a trail to find Winnie the Pooh. A huge thank you to all our Parent Helpers who joined us on our special day out!









In May, the Jays and Doves went to Juniper Hall for 3 days each. We had so much fun setting mammal traps, orienteering around the grounds and river dipping.

The Jays' favourite activity was the Mini Olympics and learning campfire songs. The Doves loved eating marshmallows around the campfire.

The hardest thing we had to do was walk up Box Hill - the Doves were lucky that they didn't get rained on.

Sleeping in a room with our friends was wonderful, but we kept each other up pretty late! All in all, we had a great time and we have made some brilliant memories with our friends.

The Jays and Doves 🔾









PSA News

Meet the new Chairs!

We wanted to take this opportunity to say 'Hi!' and introduce ourselves. We are **Jo Mackenzie**, **Natalie Lennon** and **Cath Douglas** and as of September we will be taking on the role of PSA Chairs.

Over the last few years, we have really enjoyed being part of the PSA, and more recently we seem to have got more and more involved. It is incredibly rewarding being on the PSA, in any capacity, and we love the way it makes us feel connected to our children's life at school. We hugely value the school and all those involved in making it the school that all our children love coming to. We wanted to embrace this and become even more actively involved. So here we are giving this new role a go – a team go!

The PSA plays a vital role in a school and with ever increasing demands on schools it needs us even more. We are all members of the PSA and we are so grateful to everyone who gives up their time to help throughout the year. We are excited about next year and look forward to raising lots of money with you all and helping to support the children, staff and parents in any way we can.

Guildford Community Lottery - You could win up to £25,000!

To date we have raised £756.50 from 30 supporters buying 56 tickets.

Based on this, the current annual projection is that we could raise £1,456, however this assumes that we maintain our current ticket level for 12 months.

If you have already bought a ticket (thank you!) please check that it hasn't lapsed – it may need to be renewed.

If you have yet to buy a ticket and would like to support, please visit

https://www.guildfordlottery.org/support/burpham-primary-school-psa



Shopping online?

Please remember to use The Giving Machine and raise money for our school at no cost to you!

A huge variety of retailers from Sainsbury's to Booking.com will donate money when you shop online.

Shop on your phone or tablet?

You need to remember to use the Shop & Give app

Shop on your PC?

Install the Shop & Give reminder

Click on the Shop & Give Purple Heart ♥ when it pops up on participating retailers

Amazon is the only retailer that the Shop & Give Purple Heart ♥ reminder doesn't pop up on your PC so please remember to shop via The Giving Machine website for Amazon.

Thank you to everyone who uses The Giving Machine. We have raised nearly £1600 for our school!

From the Office

Summer Multi Activity Programme at Cranleigh School

During the school holidays Cranleigh School offers a host of children's activities for 5 – 12 year olds, providing safe, affordable child care for working parents. Children can choose from a range of traditional sporting activities and arts and crafts, or participate in more specialist activities such as scuba diving, pony mornings, bush craft, climbing, kid's kitchen and archery, to name a few. Parents may also be interested to know that they accept a wide range of employer's childcare vouchers, and the new Government Tax-Free Childcare scheme.

For more information and to make a booking please visit www.cranleighactivities.org/multi-activities
or contact multi-activities
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or to speak with a member of their Multi Activities team.

Singing lessons

Surrey Arts came to Burpham this week to lead a Juniors' assembly promoting their singing lessons. For more information please see their attached flyer.







'Give Rugby a Try' Festival

This brand new festival has been organised by all Rugby Clubs in Surrey to replace girls rugby at the Surrey Youth Games.

The festival is aimed at girls that have an interest in Rugby and offers them an opportunity to attend a day of training and games whereby the focus is around beginners in order to give them high levels of confidence in a new sport.

Open to all girls in school years 3&4 and years 5&6.

Details

Dates: Sunday 9th June & Sunday 23rd June 10:00 - 12:00

Location: Guildfordians RFC, The Pavilion, London Road Guildford GU1 1TU.

Date: Sunday 30th June 10:00 - 15:00

Location: Old Reigations RFC, Geoffrey Knights Fields, Park Lane, Reigate RH2 8JX

Price: Free

For more information please email: girlsrugby@grfc.co.uk



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