



Diary Dates 2021 - 2022

Date	Event	Time
September		
Wednesday 22nd	Individual Photos Year 4 Visit to Wisley National Fitness Day	
October		
4th - 8th	Feeling Good Week	
Friday 8th	Feel Good Friday - wear something yellow Year 5 & 6 Mental Health assembly	10am
Thursday 14th	Open Day	
Friday 15th	Harvest	
Thursday 21st	INSET	
Friday 22nd	Bank Holiday	
November		
Wed. 3rd & Thurs. 4th	Consultations	
Thursday 11th	Flu Immunisations Internet Legends Assembly	2pm
w/c 15th	Anti-Bullying Week - 'One Kind Word'	
Wednesday 17th	Odd Socks Day	
Wednesday 24th	No Pens Day	
Friday 26th	Fantastic Friday	
December		
Friday 17th	End of term	1.15pm

Please see the website for further dates.



The Bushy Bulletin

Working Together, Learning Together, Growing Together

Autumn 2

17th September 2021

Wow - 2 1/2 weeks in already! The children have settled so well to the new routines and shown fantastic conduct in assemblies and at lunchtime. Last week we held the first whole school assembly for the first time in over 18 months - it was incredible to have everyone together again!

We are, however, mindful that there are still cases of COVID in our community and we continue to follow guidelines and ensure appropriate measures are in place. We ask that you too follow these and ensure that a PCR test is taken in the event of your child showing symptoms and that they remain isolating until the result is received. If negative the child can return to school. If positive, they must continue to isolate. Please see last week's letter for further details.

Congratulations to Mr Notley on the birth of baby Theo! Our warmest wishes to Ben, Katie and Zachary at this very special time.

Rivers

The children enjoyed an assembly led by Surrey Wildlife Trust about rivers and 'Rivers Week' (18th - 26th September). Children can log onto the following website where at the end of the page they can add to an interactive map what action they are taking to help protect rivers e.g. not running tap while brushing teeth, litter in recycling etc. This will then flag all the actions across Surrey. <https://www.surreywildlifetrust.org/whatson/rivers-week>.

Lunches

A reminder to inform the office if your child is changing from packed lunches to school dinners, or vice versa - at least one week's notice is required. Thank you.

Contacting School

As you can imagine, a school office is a very busy environment throughout the school day. Where possible, please use Studybugs to communicate any messages.

Swimming

4K had a very successful start to their swimming lessons this week at Boxgrove. I am very conscious that the current Year 6 who were in class 4C and current Year 5s did not have the opportunity to have swimming lessons due to COVID. In the summer term we should have the opportunity to invite some of these children to lessons, prioritising those who cannot swim the required distances.

Stationery Shop

The 'shop' will reopen on Friday 24th at 8.30am in front of the office - competitive prices on all items required for school!

Have a great weekend!

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The Ethos, Culture and Values of Bushy Hill

Please take time to familiarise yourself with these statements - if you have any comments or questions, please get in contact.

School Ethos:

Working Together	Learning Together	Growing Together
Collaborating in an open, challenging and supportive environment to provide the best for everyone in the school.	Constantly focusing on developing and enhancing our skills and practice to ensure high quality provision.	Taking on new challenges and opportunities that improve individuals, the school and the wider community.

School Vision:

To provide the highest quality of junior education through an excellent teaching and learning environment.

School Values: Caring Respect Perseverance Integrity Aspiration

School Aims:

- ⇒ Striving for educational excellence across a wide range of opportunities;
- ⇒ Creating an environment of mutual care and respect where everyone feels valued and confident to challenge and develop themselves;
- ⇒ Develop the culture of empowering leadership that sets clear direction and supports shared ownership of success;
- ⇒ Being creative in the use of our own resources and through collaboration with others to provide the best possible learning environment.

INSET Days 2021/22

Thursday 21st October

Friday 22nd October - Additional day's holiday in lieu of the Platinum Jubilee Bank Holiday on Friday 3rd June 2022.

Tuesday 4th January

Friday 11th February

Friday 27th May

Please take not of these dates as I am unable to authorise holidays during term time.

Child Protection and Safeguarding

The Healthy Surrey website now provides parents and carers with advice and information on how to manage minor illnesses and injuries in babies and children.

<https://www.healthysurrey.org.uk/children-and-families>



Action for Happiness have 'Ten keys to happier living':

- Giving: Do things for others
- Relating: Connect with people
- Exercising: Take care of your body
- Awareness: Live life mindfully
- Trying out: Keep learning new things
- Direction: Have goals to look forward to
- Resilience: Find ways to bounce back
- Emotions: Focus on what's good
- Acceptance: Be comfortable with who you are
- Meaning: Be part of something bigger

Bushy Bake off 2021



In aid of Macmillan Cancer, we will holding a virtual Bake Off again this year. Great prizes are on offer and a chance to donate to a very worthy cause.



Details:

- ◇ 3 categories: Biscuits, Cupcakes and Celebration Cake (choose 1 or all 3!!)
- ◇ 1 winner from each category - certificates for all entries
- ◇ £1 to enter
- ◇ Send in a photo of your entry with your name and a small description of what you have made
- ◇ Entries must be in by 29th September for the chance to win!
- ◇ Get Baking!