




# Buckden Church of England Primary Academy

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## Weekly Newsletter - Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> May 2019

### LEARNERS OF THE WEEK

'The 'Learner of the Week' is a weekly award given by the classteachers to a pupil who has shown consistent learning behaviour in any area of the curriculum.

<b>Mother Teresa 1</b>	<i>Reuben Zimmermann</i>		<b>Florence Nightingale</b>	<i>Maya Waking</i>
<b>Mother Teresa 2</b>	<i>Alfie Coleman</i>		<b>Amelia Earhart</b>	<i>William Masters</i>
<b>Marie Curie</b>	<i>Emily Andrews</i>		<b>Serena Williams</b>	<i>Ya Ting Zhou</i>
<b>Queen Elizabeth II</b>	<i>Isabelle Smith</i>		<b>Olave Baden-Powell</b>	<i>Harvey Mitchell-Crook</i>
<b>Coco Chanel</b>	<i>Daisy Nevard</i>		<b>Emmeline Pankhurst</b>	<i>Elodie Moss</i>
<b>Anita Roddick</b>	<i>Enzo Cesare</i>		<b>Rosa Parks</b>	<i>Harrison Owen</i>
			<b>Anne Frank</b>	<i>Maria Lander</i>

### TALK HOMEWORK

Talk homework is linked to the learning taking place in the classroom. It is expected that you spend some time with your child discussing the talk homework. This will help to improve language and communication skills.

The discussions will be continued in class during next week.



<b>MOTHER TERESA 1</b> <b>MOTHER TERESA 2</b>	Do a bird watch – can you name any?
<b>MARIE CURIE</b>	Have a look around the shops this weekend. What would you put in a healthy packed lunch.
<b>QUEEN ELIZABETH II</b>	
<b>COCO CHANEL</b>	Can you describe the properties of the materials you have chosen to make your egg box dragon have strong legs to help your dragon stand up e.g. hard, rigid, cardboard.
<b>ANITA RODDICK</b>	
<b>FLORENCE NIGHTINGALE</b>	Talk about when you make a promise.
<b>AMELIA EARHART</b>	
<b>SERENA WILLIAMS</b>	Talk about equality in films.
<b>OLAVE BADEN-POWELL</b>	
<b>EMMELINE PANKHURST</b>	Look at different fruits and make a sketch the skins . Notice the different marks.
<b>ROSA PARKS</b>	Talk about what you have learnt so far about life in Vellore, India.
<b>ANNE FRANK</b>	

### Class Prayers.

Every class in Buckden School has written their own prayer to be shared before lunchtime and at hometime. As a Church School, and following guidance from Ely Diocese, each child has the opportunity for quiet reflection at these key times of the day. The children enjoy writing and sharing their reflections within their classroom with their friends.



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## SCHOOL WILL BE CLOSED ON MONDAY 6<sup>th</sup> MAY FOR THE MAY DAY BANK HOLIDAY

- Circuits are cancelled for Tuesday 7th May due to class photographs.  
There will also be no circuits during the Year 6 SATs week – week beginning 13<sup>th</sup> – 17<sup>th</sup> May.
- The B.O.S.S. registers are being sorted ready for September 2019. Please e-mail B.O.S.S. [lheather@buckdenacademy.org](mailto:lheather@buckdenacademy.org) your requirements for the next school year by **Friday 24<sup>th</sup> May**. After this date places will be allocated and late requests for places cannot be guaranteed.
- The children in Year 4 will be visiting the school allotment every Thursday afternoon starting on Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> May. We would like to ask if any parents, grandparents or friends can help walking the children to and from the allotment and maybe do a little digging!! If you are able to help please see Mrs Farmer or Mr Burfiend. Thank you.
- We still have a number of cake tins in the office. If you have not yet collected your cake tin please see the office staff. Thank you.
- We are holding a photography competition with St Marys Church for the Open Gardens on Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> June. The theme is 'Gardens'. Please could all entries be sent to Mrs Heather via the school office or emailed to [mheather@buckdenacademy.org](mailto:mheather@buckdenacademy.org) by Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> June. A prize will be awarded for the winning entry. All entries will be displayed in St Marys Church on Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> June.
- The school has a large amount of lost property. If you would like to have a look through the lost property trunk please see the office staff. All lost property will be put into the clothes bank at the end of this half term.



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## **Diary Dates**

Tuesday 7 <sup>th</sup> May	Class and Team photographs. (No circuits on this day).
w/b 13 <sup>th</sup> May	Year 6 SATS week. (No circuits for this week)
Monday 20 <sup>th</sup> May	PTA Cinema Night.
Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> May	pm – Year 5 to St Neots Safety Zone. 3.15 pm – PTA Cake Sale.

(Details of all events will be sent home in the nearer the time of the event)

**Friday 19<sup>th</sup> July – Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> August**      **B.O.S.S. Summer Holiday Childcare.**

## **Residential Visits**

23<sup>rd</sup> – 27<sup>th</sup> September 2019      Year 6 (current Year 5) residential visit to Normandy, France.



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## NEWS of FORTHCOMING EVENTS AT ST MARYS CHURCH, BUCKDEN.

### MAY

Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> May

7.00 pm - Stageworks Concert.

Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> May

10.00 am - Cleaning Crew.

10.30 am – 12.00 pm – Coffee and Cakes in Living Stones Room.

2.30 pm - Community Café in Living Stones Room.

Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> May

Friday 10<sup>th</sup> May

10.00 am – Christian Aid Coffee Morning at Methodist Church.

Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> May

10.30 am – 12.00 pm – Coffee and Cakes in Living Stones Room.

Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> May

10.30 am – 12.00 pm – Coffee and Cakes in Living Stones Room.

Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> May

10.30 am – 12.00 pm – Coffee and Cakes in Living Stones Room.

### JUNE

Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> June

10.00 am - Cleaning Crew.

Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> June

Open Gardens Fun Day at St Marys Church.

10.30 am – 12.00 pm – Coffee and Cakes in Living Stones Room.

4.00 pm – 8.00 pm – Open Gardens Thank you reception.

Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> June

2.30 pm - Community Café in Living Stones Room.

Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> June

Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> June

10.30 am – 12.00 pm – Coffee and Cakes in Living Stones Room.

Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> June

10.30 am – 12.00 pm – Coffee and Cakes in Living Stones Room.

Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> June

10.30 am – 12.00 pm – Coffee and Cakes in Living Stones Room.

For further details of the above events please go to [www.stmarysbuckden.org.uk](http://www.stmarysbuckden.org.uk).



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## TERM DATES

**May Day**  
**Half Term**  
**Summer Term Closes**

**Monday 6 May**  
**27 May – 31 May**  
**Thursday 18 July**

Professional Day  
Professional Day  
Professional Day  
Professional Day

Friday 19 July  
Monday 22 July  
Tuesday 23 July  
Wednesday 24 July

Professional Day  
Professional Day

Monday 2 September  
Tuesday 3 September

**Autumn Term Opens**  
**Half term**  
**Autumn Term Closes**

**Wednesday 4 September**  
**21 – 25 October**  
**Friday 20 December**

## 2020

**Spring Term Opens**  
**Half Term**  
**Spring Term Closes**

**Monday 6 January**  
**17 – 21 February**  
**Friday 3 April**

**Summer Term Opens**  
**May Day**  
**Half Term**  
**Summer Term Closes**

**Monday 20 April**  
**Monday 4 May**  
**25 – 29 May**  
**Wednesday 15 July**

Professional Day  
Professional Day  
Professional Day

Thursday 16 July  
Friday 17 July  
Monday 18 July