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Friday 22nd May 2026

Weekly Round-up

Term Times

Mark your Calendars

3rd June -
Yr 6
Swimming
starts

11th June-
Yr 2
Woburn
Trip

5th June -
Yr 5 Poetry
show

26th June -
Sports Day

Half term is next week, and we can practically feel the sunshine warming up already. It's the perfect moment to slow down, stretch out those busy days, and enjoy a well-deserved breather. Whether you're planning adventures, lazy mornings, or simply soaking up some long-awaited sunshine, we hope your week is filled with fun, rest, and a little bit of magic.

Take the time to relax, recharge, and reset — you've earned it. We can't wait to welcome you back, refreshed and smiling, on 1 June.

Summer BOSS bookings go live tonight at 5:30pm, and we're gearing up for two fantastic weeks of sunshine, activities, and summer fun. To book your sessions, simply log in via Magic Booking. If you don't yet have a Magic Booking account, [you can find all the information you need here.](#)

BOSS will be running during the first two weeks of the summer holidays:

- Monday 20 July - Thursday 23 July
- Monday 27 July - Thursday 30 July

Each day runs from 8:30-3:30, and you can choose the session that suits you best:

- Morning session — 8:30-12:00 (£20)
- Afternoon session — 12:00-3:30 (£20)
- Full day — 8:30-3:30 (£40)

Mix and match or go for full days, whatever works for your summer plans.

These sessions will fill up quickly (and we mean quickly), so be ready to grab your spots once booking opens.

A quick but important reminder: all bookings are non-refundable.



All the World's a Stage at Buckden Primary!

We're thrilled to share some exciting news from Buckden Primary School — our brand-new staging has arrived, and it's already transforming the way our children perform, present, and play.

Thanks to a generous £2,000 bursary from Shakespeare at the Towers (SatT), along with the incredible fundraising efforts of our PTA and wider parent community, we've been able to replace our old, bulky staging with a modern, lightweight, modular system that gives us the flexibility to create magical performance spaces for every occasion.

This upgrade is a huge step forward for our school, and we're so grateful to everyone who helped make it happen. Our PTA worked tirelessly to raise the remaining funds, and their commitment to enriching school life continues to make a real difference for our pupils every day.

Our partnership with Buckden Towers and SatT doesn't end there — they have also kindly donated a wonderful collection of children's costumes. These will help spark imaginations, boost confidence, and encourage even more pupils to step into the spotlight.

With new staging, new costumes, and a community that champions creativity, our pupils truly have a stage worthy of their talents. We can't wait to see the performances, concerts, and moments of magic that will follow.

Year 6, get your goggles ready — swimming starts on the first Wednesday after half term! If you haven't signed up yet, please pop onto the Trips section on Arbor and get your place sorted. We don't want anyone missing out on the splash-tastic fun

Year 5 will be performing their Poetry Show on Friday 5th June at 2:30pm.
Doors to the school hall will open at 2:15pm.

As this is a single performance, each child will receive two free tickets. To help us keep track of numbers, please book your tickets through Arbor in the School Shop.

Year 2 Trip

Year 2 are excited to announce that this year's school trip will be to Woburn Safari Park on 11 June. Pupils will explore the park, encounter a wide range of animals, and take part in a guided coach tour around the reserve.

The cost of the trip is £26.50 per pupil, which covers transport, park admission, and the safari coach experience.

This visit is always a highlight of the year, offering children a memorable day of learning and adventure. We're very much looking forward to it.

Sports Day is on 26 June! KS1 will be in the morning and KS2 in the afternoon. If you have children in both key stages, please leave the playground at lunchtime so we can reset for the afternoon events.

Year 3 Trip

Year 3 Trip to Flag Fen Archaeological Centre

Year 3 will be visiting Flag Fen Archaeological Centre for their school trip on Friday 10th of July this year. Pupils will explore the Bronze Age site, discover fascinating aspects of ancient history, and take part in engaging hands-on activities.

The cost of the trip is £26 per pupil, which covers transport, admission, and all activities. Available to book on Arbor.

This trip is always a highlight of the year, and we look forward to a fantastic day of learning and discovery.



BUCKDEN MAY SPORTS SESSIONS

 Buckden Towers, PE19 5TA

Tuesday 26th May 10am - 12pm



Wednesday 27th May 2-4pm

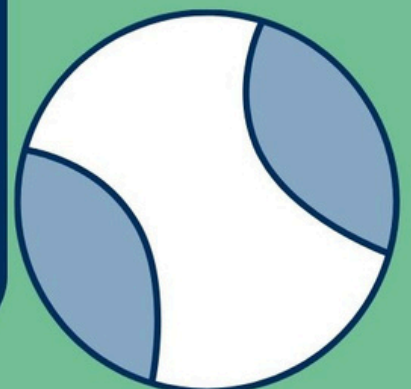
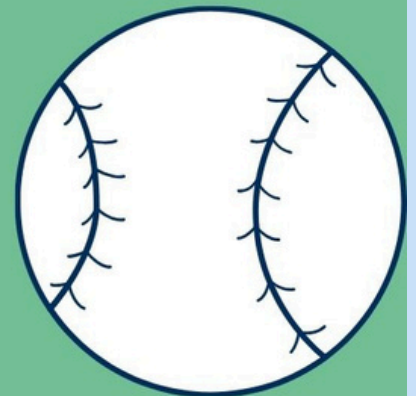
Friday 29th May 2-4pm

Join us for some FREE fun & active sessions for 5-11 year olds, with a range of sports on offer.



To book, please complete the following form or scan the QR code:

<https://forms.office.com/e/NuEiwWZsf8>





Buckden & District Churches Together

Pentecost Picnic Celebration

**Join us for an outdoor celebration of the
Church's birthday with live music at Buckden
Towers**



Celebration Highlights:

FREE EVENT

Live Band

Games

Tea, coffee, cake

Bring your own picnic

Sunday 24 May

3:30 PM – 6:00 PM

**Buckden Towers
PE19 5TA**



Fun Facts

The Sun has spots — dark patches called sunspots that are cooler than the rest of the surface.

Fun Fact

The Sun is a star — just like the ones you see at night, only MUCH closer.

Catch Up on Past Newsletters

Early development plays a role in children's success. The government's Best Start in Life strategy is strengthening children's early development by expanding high-quality early education and family support, helping more children start school ready to learn. Regular school attendance builds on these early foundations to support their future success.

Homework

Talk

Linking learning from the classroom to life at home can help to improve language and communication skills. We will continue these discussions in class next week.

EYFS

Year 1

Year 2

Year 3

Year 4

Year 5

Year 6

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