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Attendance

Wrens EYFS/Y1: 92.1%

Swifts Y1/2: 95.1%

Robins Y3/4: 95.4%

Hawks Y5/6: 93.7%

FOBS 'Summer' Fair

A huge thank you to all of FOBS, and to those of you who could make it last weekend to the belated Summer Fair. We all had a great time, the weather held off (on the whole!), and we raised lots of additional funds for school. I know that FOBS is going to be sending out a newsletter, but thought I'd give a quick oversight of what your kindly donated money was spent on last year – we continued to improve our bookstock, particularly in the older classes, to ensure children throughout school have plenty of exciting and challenging books to read; every classroom in school has a brand new, detailed world map and globe and a class set of fabulous atlases – our geography lessons have come alive as a result! Going forwards, FOBS and school would like to improve our musical instrument provision, develop our library with even more amazing books, and contribute to this year's crucial project, OPAL (Outdoor Play And Learning), which will revolutionise playtimes.

Donations for Lucy's Animal Sanctuary

A huge 'Well done!' to Hattie in Year 5, who has taken our Pollinate strand to heart by collecting donations for Lucy's Animal Sanctuary. If you would like to help out, there is a box in the Office for donations – see the photo below for Hattie's latest donation!

Harvest Festival

We'd love to see you at this year's Harvest Festival – Friday 21st October at St Lambert's in Burneston. We will be walking down from school and will meet you in church at around 9.15am.



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FOBS Autumn Party

FOBS will be holding their Autumn Party on Friday 21st October in the school hall. They have split the party into sessions: EYFS, Years 1 and 2 will be first, starting straight after school until 4.30pm for EYFS and 5pm for Years 1 and 2. Key Stage 2 children (Years 3 -6) will have their party from 5 – 6.30pm. FOBS will be in touch with more information. Please note: due to setting up, there will be **NO CELEBRATION ASSEMBLY ON FRIDAY 21ST OCTOBER.**

Celebration Assembly and Buzz Club

We celebrated Friday in style this week, with our first Celebration Assembly – children in KS2 showed their incredible books, shared their writing out loud and generally blew us away with their enthusiasm for their learning. And our first Buzz Club of the year was a rip-roaring success too! Wrens and Swifts are looking forward to showing off what they've been up to this Friday, the 7th October, at 2.45pm.

Wellies and Overs

The grass is getting pretty wet now, so if your child would like to play on the field, please ensure they have wellies and overs in school, preferably in a named bag which they can hang on their peg.

Holidays in term time

There has been an increase in requests for holidays during term time. Attendance is a key focus for us, as it is so vital for your child's learning – a week here or there may not seem much (and I know how expensive holidays are in the official school holiday period) but, huge amounts of learning are missed and it takes some pupils many more weeks to get back on track. We are unable to grant holiday requests unless the reasons fit our policy – for example there is a letter from your employer stating you can only take holidays in term time. The staff work so hard to help our children learn, we really appreciate your support with this.

New Starters September 2022 Open Morning

Although next September seems light years away, it soon comes around. If you, or anyone you know, has a child who will be of school age next September, please stand by for a flier advertising our Open Morning this year, which will take place on Wednesday 12th October at 9.30am. Our fabulous Year Six Young Leaders will be helping me to welcome prospective parents and children to our wonderful school.

Don't forget you can also check out our Twitter account (@BurnestonSchool) to see what we've been up to! You don't have to have a Twitter account yourself, you can just google it, or follow via the school website (<http://burneston.n-yorks.sch.uk/>).



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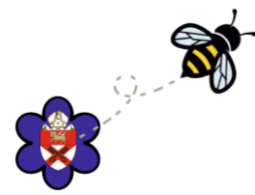




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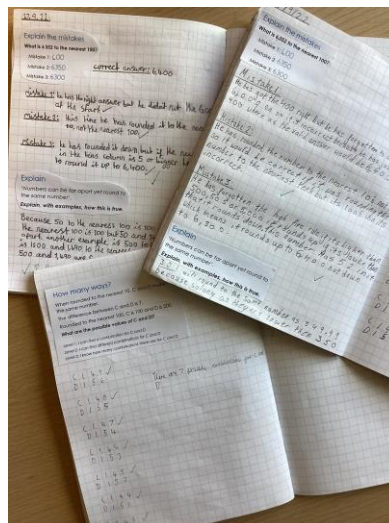
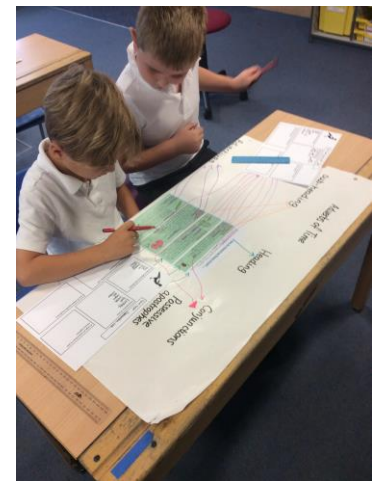


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Here's a taste of what we've been up to this week:



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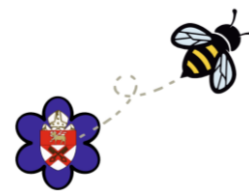
Dates:



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WHEN	WHAT	WHO
Tuesday 4 th October	Cross Country Richmond	KS2, 5 pupils per year group
Thursday 6 th October	Bedale High Maths Enrichment	Y5
Friday 7 th October 2.45pm	Celebration Assembly, KS1 (and fortnightly thereafter)	Wrens and Swifts parents
Wednesday 12 th October	Water Safety presentation online	KS2
Wednesday 12 th October, 9.30am	New Starters '23 Open Morning	All new starter parents
W/C 17 th October	Parents' and Carers' Consultation Evenings	All
Wednesday 19 th October, 9am	School individual photos	All, including siblings
Friday 21 st October, 9.15am	Harvest Festival, St Lambert's	All
Friday 21 st October	FOBS Autumn Parties	All, 1 party per key stage
Friday 21 st October	School closes for half term	All
Monday 31 st October	School opens	All
Tuesday 1 st November	Flu immunization clinic	All pupils who have opted in
Friday 11 th November	Remembrance Service, St Lambert's	Year 5 and 6
W/c 14 th November	Anti bullying & Road Safety week	All
Tuesday 15 th November	Bedale High Science & DT Enrichment	Y5
Friday 18 th November	Children in Need	All
Tuesday 13 th December	Nativity, St Michael's, Kirklington	All



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