



# Newsletter

18<sup>th</sup> July 2025

## Message from the Headteacher

Dear all,

Another year is drawing to an end- but there is still **so much happening in school!** Children spent Monday afternoon with their **new classes**, and it was great to see this important part of the transition process go so smoothly. It was lovely to see parents meeting their child's new class teacher at the end of the day.

Falcon class have been wowing us with their **fabulous performance of The Rocky Monster Show!** The acting, singing, dancing and overall performances have been brilliant! A huge well done to all the children in Falcon class who have worked so hard and been ably supported and encouraged by Mrs Field, Mrs Langrell, Mrs Baldwin, Mrs Fulcher and Mrs Maynard!

Today I've accompanied **Oak class on their trip to Sir Harold Hilliers Gardens** in Romsey, to consolidate their science learning about plants. I was really impressed with the children's knowledge as they took part in a range of activities including plant identifying and pond dipping. The children were very excited and had a great day.

You will have received a copy of your **child's annual report** today. This gives an overview of their effort and attainment in the core areas of learning, reading, writing and maths, and an overview of how well they have demonstrated our school values and applied themselves across all areas of learning of the curriculum. There are also next steps for them to work towards. If you have any questions, please talk to your child's class teacher.

**KS2 SATs** results were published last week and our Y6 children will know their individual results today. We're delighted with the outcomes they have achieved! They have worked hard and been taught, supported and encouraged brilliantly by Mrs Field, Mrs Langrell, Mrs Baldwin and Mrs Maynard.

We have our **final two days of term** next week, where we will be celebrating our children's achievements this term in our **celebration assembly on Monday**, and saying **Goodbye and Good Luck to our Y6 pupils on Tuesday**.

Have a great weekend!

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Mrs Beulah Letchford  
Headteacher



### Celebration Assembly

Congratulations to the following children who received a **School Values and Golden Rules** certificate in celebration assembly: Dylan R, Lettie, Lily Wr, Jade, Bea, Eddie.

### Sports News

#### **KS1 Multi-skills Festival**

Six of our Year 2 children represented the school at the West Berkshire multi-skills event on Tuesday. They competed in a range of activities including golf, cup-stacking, curling, archery and target throwing, to earn points for the team. Each child tried their best and, most importantly, had a lot of fun! They came 7<sup>th</sup> out of the 10 schools and were awarded silver medals. Well done to Sienna, Enid, Elliot, Brooklyn, Isabelle and Cole!



### Key Notices

#### **KS2 SATS Success!**

Our Y6 children have achieved brilliantly in their KS2 SATs this year thanks to their hard work and Mrs Field's fabulous teaching! The results are as follows:

	ARE	Nat	ARE+	Nat
Reading (SAT)	100%	75%	30%	33%
GPS (SAT)	90%	73%	40%	29%
Maths (SAT)	100%	74%	30%	26%
Writing (TA)	90%	72%	10%	12%
Combined (RWM)	90%	62%	20%	8%
Science	100%	82%	-	-

ARE means children have achieved Age Related Expectations

ARE+ means children have achieved above ARE

Nat is the National % figures for children achieving ARE or ARE+

**Our KS2 Data is significantly above national figures- BRILLIANT WORK!**

### **Staffing News**

We would like to say a HUGE thank you to Mrs Baldwin for all the hard work and support she has given so many children whilst she has worked at Burghclere. She is sadly leaving us at the end of this term- but we know we will still see her each day!

We are deeply saddened to hear of the passing of Lou Voller, who worked at Burghclere as an LSA for a number of years. She always brought the fun into the classroom and was much loved by the children and families. Our thoughts are with her family and friends at this sad time.

### **Term Dates**

Please visit the website for [2025/2026 term dates](#).

### **Dates for the Diary**

Monday 21 <sup>st</sup> July	Year 6 leavers' Party after school
Tuesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> July	Year 6 leavers' assembly - <b>2.40pm</b> - Y6 parents welcome Last day of term
Thursday 4 <sup>th</sup> September	First day of Autumn Term
Monday 15 <sup>th</sup> - Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> September	Falcon Class PGL Residential visit to Osmington Bay
Tuesday 14 <sup>th</sup> October	Robin Class trip to Butser Ancient Farm
Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> October	Flu Immunisations - whole school - info to follow
Monday 27 <sup>th</sup> - Friday 31 <sup>st</sup> October	Half Term
Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup> November	INSET Day
Tuesday 4 <sup>th</sup> November	Children return / Robin Class swimming lessons start
Wednesday 17 <sup>th</sup> December	Panto at the Watermill - whole school
Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> December	Last day of term