

Friday 19th May – Newsletter 15

Walking Bus Success!

We have loved walking to school with those who have been able to this week. Thank you to everyone who took part and to those who were also able to drive to a bus stop to still get some walking in! We have spoken to our children about sustainability, the benefits of exercise and fresh air and we hope our children enjoyed walking to school with their friends. We are conscious that next year our school is growing by 60 new children and walking to school when you can will really help with the parking. Thank you!





Father's Day Celebration

We would like to invite all our Dads (or male role models) into school for a Father's Day Breakfast on **Friday 16th June** from 8am. Please join us in the school hall and enjoy a breakfast of pastries and fruit with your child. At 8:45am, we will collect the children ready for registration as normal. An alternative family member is more than welcome to join us instead. We hope to see you there!

Extreme Reading

Our teachers would like all our children to take part in an extreme reading challenge to find the most extreme place to be caught reading! Please take a photo of your child reading in an usual place/scenario and email your photo to <u>lisa.deane@buckton.school</u> by **Monday 5th June**. There will be a prize for a child from each class and next time you're in school, keep an eye out for our new reading display!

You also will have received a link to a reading survey from Miss McDowell. Please can you complete this when you have time, we really appreciate your feedback.





Suncream

I hope I am not being too ambitious by writing this but we have had a couple of queries regarding suncream. When the weather is warm, please apply suncream to your child before school. If you wish for your child to reapply suncream before lunch, please provide a labelled suncream in your child's bookbag. We do not allow children to apply suncream for breaktime as they tend to spend the 15 minute break applying suncream and miss out on fresh air. Please be aware that school staff are not allowed to apply suncream for your child, they must apply it themselves. Thank you.

Origami in Year One



The children were learning all about origami for their Konnichiwa topic. They learnt all out the crane bird and why it is symbolic to people in Japan.

Goldilocks in Reception

As part of the Reception Once upon a time topic, they had a visitor from Goldilocks! She spilt porridge all over the classroom floors and broke a chair! The children used their writing skills to write to the bears to tell that she had also been causing chaos in our school!



Caught on our 'CCTV'!





<u>Tennis Lessons</u>

After May half term, Reception children will take part in a 6 week block of tennis lessons with a professional coach from Northampton Tennis Coaching. Further sporting updates for Year One coming soon! This is part of our commitment to provide our children with additional sporting opportunities, promote a healthy lifestyle and enjoy trying a range of different activities. I am so pleased that our children have been enjoying the Irish dancing, there is a real buzz on a Wednesday afternoon when they head down to hall for their lessons.



Coffee, Cake and Chat Friday 26th May 2:15-3:30pm in the School Hall

> Come and meet our friendly PTA team, chat with other parents, have a cake & a cuppa and hear what we have been up to!

Buckton Buddies'

We will be taking donations for cake on the day (card or cash) Please join Buckton Buddies on Friday 26th May for a chat and some cake in the school hall. Mrs Straiton will be joining to meet lots of our parents and there are **always** delicious baked goods on offer! Please note, this is for parents only and our children will be in class.

Dates for your diary:

Friday 26th May – Coffee, Cake and Chat at 2:15pm
Friday 26th May – School Closes for half term
Monday 5th June – School opens
Friday 16th June – Father's Day Breakfast at 8am – 8:45am
Saturday 24th June – Buckton Buddies Summer Fete
Friday 7th July – Sports Day
Friday 14th July – Back up Sports Day
Tuesday 18th July – 1JP Class Assembly at 2:30pm
Wednesday 19th July – 1LH Class Assembly at 2:30pm

I hope you and your family have a lovely weekend.

Hannah Rogers

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