



Our value is 'Respect'

*"Do to others as you would
have them do to you."
Luke 6:31*

Friday, 05 July
2024

Dear Parents and Carers,

We are quickly racing towards the end of the summer term and the school year; I can hardly believe that there are only just over two weeks left. This week we saw our Year 6s visit their new secondary schools for a couple of days and they have returned full of hope and excitement for the next stage in their education.

Reading and Library Book Return

Friday 12th July will be the last opportunity your child has to receive their reading award certificates. From Monday 15th July, we will be collecting in all reading and library books so they can be audited and sorted ready for September. This means that your child will not receive a new book to read that week. If you have several school books at home, please do make sure they are all returned so they can be enjoyed by other children in the new school year.

Sports Day Success

I would like to thank everyone who came along to sports day to support our children in their annual races and activities. The weather was perfect – not too hot or rainy! It was a wonderful morning where the children demonstrated a healthy dose of competitiveness, enthusiasm, courage and sportsmanship as they each took part in the separate events. During the afternoon, the houses (Churchill, Nightingale and Rothschild) competed against each other in different games and challenges. The house which won the most points and held high the sports day trophy was Rothschild! I would like to say a special thanks to Mr Goodwin and Mr Dalmedo from NXT Level Coaching for organising and leading the day.

Summer Sizzler - POSTPONED

Unfortunately, the difficult decision to postpone the Summer Sizzler was made earlier this week due to the wet and dizzily weather forecast. The new date is next Friday, 12th July and I hope that as many of you as possible are able to come along and join us. Tickets are still available to purchase from the school office. Raffle tickets were sent home last week in children's bookbags for them to sell. Many thanks to those of you who have returned the sold raffle tickets to school along with the money. If you are not going to sell your raffle tickets, please return them to school for us to pass on to anyone asking for some more. Thank you.

Online Safety Newsletter

This month's edition explores what happens when people are unkind online, supporting your child to make the transition to secondary school and information about roulette style video and chat apps. It also has a short article about a new app called CapCut which is owned by the same owners as TikTok. I would really encourage you to take five minutes to read these newsletters and help support your child to be safe when online. Previous editions of the newsletter can be found on our school website.

Staff Vacancy

We currently have a vacancy for a teaching support assistant and lunchtime supervisor. If you know anyone who is looking to work in a school, please direct them to our advert here: [Teaching Assistant - Twyford Church of England School | Buckinghamshire Council Jobs](#). Thank you.

End of Year Celebration Service

On Monday 22nd July, I would like to invite you to join us for our end of year celebration service in St Mary's Church, Twyford at 9:15am. It is a wonderful way to reflect on the successes of the past year as well as say farewell and good luck to our Year 6 leavers. Please do join us if you can.

Order New Uniform

If you are wanting to order new uniform for September from our supplier, PL Schoolwear, it is advisable to do so as early as possible to ensure you receive it in time for the new term. They do get very busy during the summer break. We do have several samples of uniform in school for your child to try if you are unsure about what size you need. A list of uniform requirements can be found on our school website here: [School Uniform](#)

As always, please refer to the diary dates at the end of this newsletter for any upcoming events.


With warmest wishes,
Judith Bloomfield
 Headteacher

We **Learn Together**; **Grow Together**; **Achieve Together** knowing that Jesus said:
"I am the vine; you are the branches. If you remain in me and I in you, you will bear much fruit."
 John 15:5




TERM DATES 2023/2024		
Summer 2 Term 2024	Tuesday 4 th June 2024	Monday 22 nd July 2024
TERM DATES 2024/2025		
Autumn 1 Term 2024	Thursday 5 th September 2024	Friday 25 th October 2024
Autumn 2 Term 2024	Monday 4 th November 2024	Friday 20 th December 2024
Spring 1 Term 2025	Tuesday 7 th January 2025	Friday 14 th February 2025
Spring 2 Term 2025	Monday 24 th February 2025	Friday 4 th April 2025
Summer 1 Term 2025	Tuesday 22 nd April 2025	Friday 23 rd May 2025
Summer 2 Term 2025	Tuesday 3 rd June 2025	Tuesday 22 nd July 2025

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**School
Diary**



2023-2024

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY		
Friday 5 th July 2024		FOTS Summer Sizzler – POSTPONED to 12 th July
Tuesday 9 th July 2024	NEW	Y5 and 6 Trip to The Royal Latin RE:Novate
Friday 12 th July 2024	Change	FOTS Summer Sizzler
Friday 12 th July 2024		Last Toddler and Baby Group of the year - Sing and Sign visiting
Wednesday 17 th July	NEW	Pre-school Nursery Class Picnic, 1.30pm Twyford Recreation Ground
Thursday 18 th July	NEW	Reception Class Picnic, 1.30pm Twyford Recreation Ground
Monday 22 nd July 2024		9:15am – Celebration and Leavers Service at St. Mary’s Church, Twyford
Monday 22 nd July 2024		School breaks up for summer holiday
Tuesday 23 rd July 2024		INSET Day
Tuesday 3 rd September 2024	New	INSET Day
Wednesday 4 th September 2024		INSET Day
Thursday 5 th September 2024		Term starts for children
Monday 6 th January 2025		INSET Day
Monday 2 nd June 2025		INSET Day
Wednesday 23 rd July 2025		INSET Day



NXT LEVEL COACHING WRAP AROUND CARE

To book: <https://www.nxtlevelcoaching.co.uk/book-online/twyfordcofprimary>

Contact: info@nxtlevelcoaching.co.uk Text: 07703 187543

Please book wrap-around care or club places by midday

BREAKFAST CLUB	DROP & GO	AFTER-SCHOOL CLUB	
7.50am – 8.40am	8.30am – 8.40am	3.15pm – 4.15pm	4.15pm – 5.30pm
£3.50	£1.00	£4.00	£4.00
Book online	No need to pre-book	Book online	Book online
Breakfast served until 8.20am		Activities including art, craft, sports, games, Lego and construction	Activities including art, craft, sports, games, Lego and construction <i>Light snack served</i>

The booking cut-off time for same day wraparound care services is **12:00 PM**.

We understand that emergencies can arise, and to accommodate such situations, we have designated a process for late bookings. In the case of an emergency, please contact the **school office** directly to make a late booking. Your child will be added to the day’s register and an invoice for payment will be sent directly to you. However, we kindly request that this option is only used in genuine emergency situations and not as a regular occurrence

AYLESBURY ON SEA

Sunday 7 July, 11am-4pm, Vale Park

Free Event



AYLESBURY
TOWN COUNCIL



Discover Bucks
Museum
A Roald Dahl Children's Charity

SUMMER OF FUN! AT DISCOVER BUCKS MUSEUM

20 JULY - 3 SEPT 2024



May The Toys Be
With You exhibition



Hands-on fun in the
Roald Dahl
Children's Gallery



Creative Family Crafts



Garden Play Zone

Sensory Room,
Toy Room + Tudor
Room fun

Discover Bucks Museum, Aylesbury HP20 2QP

For opening times, charges and bookings scan QR code or visit:
discoverbucksmuseum.org



The Museum is a registered charity with charity number 053345

DOES YOUR CHILD LOVE STEM?

AGES
8-13

Two brilliant programs...

Saturdays Summer term

90-minute sessions

Bicester

satstemclub.org



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or Scan here



29 JUL - 16 AUG 2024

Weekly course

UTC Oxfordshire

19 - 30 AUG 2024

Weekly course

Silverstone UTC

stemsummercourses.org



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MUSIC ACADEMY

Peripatetic music lessons at Twyford C of E School

XYZ will be providing Drum, Guitar and Piano lessons at
Twyford C of E School from September 2024

Please see the following details:

Lessons per annum (September-July): 34

Length of lesson: 20 minutes - one to one

Price per lesson: £15.00 per 20 minutes

Parents can be invoiced on a termly basis or in instalments via a
monthly direct debit plan starting in September 2024 and
ending in August 2025

For new starters we encourage the purchase of a starter pack.
This is an optional but highly recommended for effective
participation in the lessons and school and home practice.

For more information please visit us at
www.xyzmusicacademy.com

You can also contact us at:
Email - admin@xyzmusicacademy.com
Phone - 01296 534094

To sign up please visit our website
www.xyzmusicacademy.com or scan the QR code





Buckinghamshire Family Learning



Help your child manage their wellbeing with these FREE Online Workshops

for parents and carers with a child in Years 3-6

YEARS 3,4,5&6

- Help your child to build confidence and resilience
[Monday 10 June, 7-9am](#)
- Help your child to cope with stress and anxiety
[Monday 17 June, 7-9am](#)
- Help your child to develop positive friendships and manage peer pressure
[Monday 24 June, 7-9am](#)
- Happy, healthy and safely online-tips to help your child
[Monday 1 July, 7-9am](#)



Buckinghamshire Family Learning

Using the Truth Pixie story, explore how to support your child through transition: moving class or change in school.

Use and create resources and activities to help your child cope with change in their lives.

Help Your Child Cope with Change

Join our free, 1 week online workshop.

For parents and carers of children in Years 2, 3 & 4 at schools in Buckinghamshire

[Thursday 11th July 2024- 09:30-11:30](#)

[Monday 15th July- 19:00-21:00](#)

To book your place, please click on the date above

or the QR code below



Buckinghamshire Family Learning

How can I make science fun and practical using books and storytelling?

How can I extend my child's scientific vocabulary and understanding in a fun and engaging way?

Chemistry

Join our free science workshop where you will gain the skills to bring chemistry concepts to life through sensory story telling. Gain confidence to identify chemistry concepts and have the language to explain them.

For parents and carers of children in Buckinghamshire Schools

[Tuesday 9th July 2024- 12:30-14:30](#)

[Wednesday 10th July 2024- 09:30-11:30](#)

To book your place, click the date above, use the QR code or phone our enrolment team : 01296 383592



NHS Buckinghamshire Healthcare NHS Trust

School Readiness Workshop

for parents and carers

Starting school can be a big transition for many children, parents and carers.

To get some top tips, information and advice to support your child to be 'school ready', please drop into one of our free workshops.

Chat to a professional about a range of different school readiness topics like toileting, independence, routines and more!

Children born between 1 September 2019 to 31 August 2020 will be starting school in September 2024.



Get in touch

01296 383293

familyinfo@buckinghamshire.gov.uk



Newtown Family Centre Plus

Monday 1 July
10am to 12noon



Southcourt Family Centre Plus

Monday 8 July
10am to 12noon



Hampden Way Family Centre Plus

Monday 15 July
9:30am to 11:30am

For more information please visit familyinfo.buckinghamshire.gov.uk/familysupport



Nurture Programme

Parenting group



The Nurture Programme is a parenting group that aims to empower parents to:

- build positive relationships
- encourage co-operative behaviour
- develop resilience, empathy, and self-esteem in themselves and their children.

Places must be booked prior to the course starting. Scan the QR code for more details.

To register your place please email or phone.



<p>High Wycombe (10 weeks) Thursdays 12 September to 28 November 10:30am to 12:30pm</p>	<p>High Wycombe (2 days) Thursdays 10 and 17 October 9:30am to 4:30pm</p>
<p>Chesham (5 weeks) Mondays 30 September to 28 October 12 midday to 2.45pm</p>	<p>Aylesbury (10 weeks) Tuesdays 10 September to 26 November 10:30am to 12:30pm</p>



Buckinghamshire Council



How to deal with... Stress, Anxiety and Low Mood

Online course for young people

Would you like to feel better about life? Do you feel stuck and need some tips on how to move on?

If you're in school years 7 and above then our 5-week online course could be for you!

5 sessions cover:

- What stress, anxiety and low mood actually are
- Strategies to feel better
- How to deal with setbacks
- Planning for a brighter future

For more information or to secure your place, scan or click the QR code.

If you need help please email familyinfo@buckinghamshire.gov.uk



Thursdays
26 September to
24 October
6pm to 7pm



Tuesdays
12 November to
10 December
6pm to 7pm



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Family Support Service



How to... Thrive at School

Online course for young people

Would you like to reach your potential at school and deal with all the challenges school life throws at you?

If you're in school year 7 or above then our online 6-week course could be for you.

6 sessions cover:

- Tips for making good friends
- How to deal with bullying and peer pressure
- How to get organised
- How to deal with exam stress and schoolwork pressures

For more information or to secure your place, scan or click the QR code.

If you need help email familyinfo@buckinghamshire.gov.uk



Tuesdays
17 September to
22 October
6pm to 7pm



Tuesdays
5 November to
10 December
6pm to 7pm



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How to build
Confidence and Self-Esteem
 Online course for young people

Want to feel better about yourself? Want to feel more confident around other people?

If you're in school year 7 or above, then our interactive online course could be for you.

6 sessions cover:

- Why the media affects how we see ourselves
- How to cope better with setbacks
- How to deal with peer pressure
- How to feel better about ourselves

To secure your place or for more information, scan or click the QR code.

If you need help email familyinfo@buckinghamshire.gov.uk



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 19 September to
 24 October
 6pm to 7pm



Tuesdays
 12 November to
 10 December
 6pm to 7pm



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Wellbeing matters

For 7 to 11 year olds

A one-day workshop during the summer holidays for primary-aged young people

Topics will include your wellbeing, emotions, self-esteem, resilience, and relationships with others

Spaces are limited, secure your place now!

Scan/press the QR code to secure your place or for more information

If you need help completing the form or to register your interest email familyhubgroups@buckinghamshire.gov.uk or call 01296 383293

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Newtown Family Centre Plus

Monday
 5 August 2024
 10am to 4:30pm



Berryfields Family Centre

Tuesday
 20 August 2024
 10am to 4:30pm



Hampden Way Family Centre

Thursday
 22 August 2024
 10am to 4:30pm