



COMPASSION, ACCEPTANCE, RESPONSIBILITY, FORGIVENESS, TRUST

Dear Parents and Carers,

24th September 2015

Work is slowly progressing on our roof, with new tiles now being fitted to the front part of the building. We hope that October will bring drier weather to enable the work to continue at a faster pace!



Harvest Festival



We are pleased to invite you to our Harvest Festival next Thursday, 1st October, at Burham Church in Church Street. The whole school will be having a joint Service at 9:30a.m. **Parents and grandparents are very welcome to attend this service.** Gifts of non-perishable fruits and vegetables (i.e. tinned items only - no fresh fruit and vegetables please) will be very welcome and may be brought into school either next Wednesday or Thursday morning please. All the gifts donated will be distributed to the Salvation Army.

Photographs

Braiswick Photographers visited the school on Tuesday and we anticipate that the proofs will be available to be sent home next week.

We should like to remind parents of children in Panda Class that a Kent Messenger photographer will be visiting the school on Monday 5th October to photograph this year's Reception children for their First Class Supplement. It is essential therefore that if you have not returned the permission form for photographs to be taken (sent home recently with your child's data sheet etc.) that you do so early next week. A copy of the form can be downloaded from our website: www.burham.kent.sch.uk by selecting newsletters – term 1 from the side menu or obtained from the school office.

Family Time – Friday 2nd October at 2:30p.m.

We are looking forward to our Multifaith Week next week and you are welcome to join us next Friday at 2:30p.m. for Family Time. Younger siblings plus grandparents and other family members are all welcome too.

Yours sincerely,

Miss Grima
Headteacher

Dates for Diaries:

Term 1

Monday 28th September 2015 to
Friday 2nd October 2015
Thursday 1st October 2015
Friday 2nd October 2015
Monday 5th October 2015
Wednesday 21st October 2015

Multifaith Week
Harvest Festival (9:30a.m. Burham Church – all welcome)
Family Time (2:30p.m. – all welcome)
KM First Class Photos
Parent Consultations Y1 to Y6 (1p.m. to 6p.m.) and Year R Open Afternoon)

Thursday 22nd October 2015
Friday 23rd October 2015

Last day of Term 1 for children
Development Day (school closed to children)

**Monday 26th October 2015 to
Friday 30th October 2015**

School closed (Term 1 holiday)

Term 2

Monday 2nd November 2015
Thursday 17th December 2015
Friday 18th December 2015

School opens for children
Last day of Term 2
Development Day (school closed to children)

CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY DATES AND FURTHER TERM DATES FOR NEXT YEAR CAN BE FOUND ON OUR WEBSITE

ONLINE SAFETY

We are happy for parents and carers to take photos and videos at our 'family events' for personal use but request that these images are not distributed or put online if they contain images of other children, adults or staff without consent. This will help protect all members of the community – thank you for your support. Copies of all our newsletters can be found on our school website: www.burham.kent.sch.uk together with guidance and advice for parents on how to keep their child safe when online – please click on the e-safety link found in the side menu bar of our website.