



North Kidlington Primary School Newsletter

Nurturing Potential, Growing Success

Key Dates

June

4th Multiplication check start (Y4)
7th Class Photos
10th Phonics screening start (Y1)
12th Apple Class trip
14th Fathers' day wrapping
20th KS1 trip
24th Sports Week
24th KS2 Races
25th Reception/KS1 Races
27th Rags2Riches collection

July

1st Reception Open Afternoon
(new starters)
9th Reception Stay & Play (New
starters)
12th Reports & new classes
12th KS2 SATs results go home
13th Summer Fayre (SATURDAY)
15th Yr 5/6 Play
16th Yr 5/6 Play
24th Leavers' assembly
24th Last day (1:30 finish)

The Burrow

Calm, caring and fun before
and after school provision.



Summer Term: # 3

Dear NKS Families,

I have a few notices to send out and so I thought I would write a quick news-
letter.

Firstly, I want to share some lovely news about Miss Bowman our Cedar Class
teacher—she is having a baby! We are very excited to have a new member of
the NKS team on the way. Miss Bowman will be in school until around mid-
October. I will let you know who will be teaching Cedar Class when we send
out the teaching list for the coming year later this term.

REMINDER: All Classes and Year 6 photos this Friday!
All children in school uniform please.

Can I also remind you about our parent survey on playtimes—thank you to
those of you who have already filled this in, but it would be great to have
more responses. This way we can ensure your voice is heard in our planning
and we can compare your views on playtime before and after this project

[CLICK HERE FOR THE PARENT SURVEY](#)

Also, we are looking for the following donations:

- Pushchairs (real or play)
- Old clothes for dress up (hats, coats, shirts, dresses (no shoes))
- Lego or Duplo
- Old suitcases
- Crates

Ofsted

The report is finally in. You can read it [HERE](#).

We were very pleased that the inspector valued the strong culture of our
school as this is something we as a community have been working on over the
past few years. We have one next step to tick that final box. We had already
identified it before the inspection and I will update you on our plans to
improve even further in the coming school year.



Did you know you may be eligible for childcare support? This includes for The Burrow.

[Click here](#)

Rags2Riches Collection

We are collecting reusable clothes as a fundraiser for our school on the 27th June. The office has requested that you deliver bags on the 26th or the morning of the 27th only as we ran out of space last time and it got tricky teaching PE and serving lunch in the hall.



Father's Day Wrapping

On Friday 14th June we will be holding our annual Father's Day event at school. We will set up a little shop in school with small gifts for children to buy for their Dad or someone special in their life. The children get so excited and really enjoy getting to choose a gift and wrap it! It will cost £2.50 per child (only one gift per child please). We will set up an option to pay on ParentMail. It's a really lovely morning and we need some volunteers to help the children wrap their present and write gift tags. We start around 9am and finish around lunch time! Any help you are able to offer, even if just 30mins would be appreciated. Please email fonspta@gmail.com if you are able to help.

Sports Day Races

You will see in the calendar on page 1 that we have our sports day races this term. The races start at around 1:30 and we open gates to families just after 1pm (when we have got the children in from lunch time). More information will come out closer to the time, but I know some of you need to book time off work for this highlight of the year - far more exciting than Paris 2024!

24th KS2 Races

25th Reception/KS1 Races

The Burrow Summer Club

Our super Burrow team are looking at opening up The Burrow to families for 1 week over the summer holiday. They would like your opinion about this.

[CLICK HERE FOR THE BURROW SUMMER CLUB SURVEY](#)

Have a lovely rest of your week,

Emilie Fidler

6/6/24

Bring a Grown Up!



FREE Family Learning Workshops at Gosford Hill School Summer 2024

Suitable for children in Years 4-6

English Workshop Tuesday 25th June, 4pm - 5pm

On the 25th of June,
A day that is approaching soon,
Join English to discover your inner poet,
A truth that's there if we just know it.



History Workshop Monday 1st July, 4pm - 5pm

Who killed King Harold?
Come and have a go at solving a historical mystery!

PE Workshop Thursday 11th July, 4pm - 5pm

Come and have lots of sporty fun with a free workshop for tennis and rounders on our amazing all-weather pitch.



We look forward to seeing you at one or all of these **FREE** workshops.

Scan the QR code today to book your place, or visit:
www.gosford-hill.oxon.sch.uk/community/bring-a-grown-up
Alternatively, you can give us a call on 01865 374971

