



Burton Bulletin

Burton Bradstock CE Primary School

Week Commencing 11 May

Monday	WCSM Music Lessons Owls Drumming Workshop Construction Club - 3.20 - 4.00pm Animal Explorers Club - 3.20 - 4.00pm
Tuesday	The Nest 'You and Me Time' - 8.40 - 9.00pm After School Art Club - 3.20 - 4.00pm
Wednesday	WCSM Music Lessons Celebration Worship 2.40pm for 2.45pm start SATs Revision Club
Thursday	Robins 'You and Me Time'
Friday	Before school running club (8:00 - 8:40am)

DIARY DATES

Monday, 11 May - Thursday, 14 May
Y6 SATs
Thursday, 21 May
Kingfisher Egyptian Day
Monday, 25 May - Friday, 29 May
Half Term
Monday, 8 June
Y6 Leavers' Service, Salisbury Cathedral
Tuesday, 16 June
Class Photos
Friday, 26 June (reserve date 15 July)
Sports Day
Tuesday, 30 June
Robins Class Trip
Friday, 3 July
Tree of String Festival
Monday, 6 July - Friday, 10 July
Owls Activities' Week
Tuesday, 7 July
Transition Day
Friday, 10 July
School Disco
Wednesday, 15 July
Rocksteady Concert 9.30am
Friday, 17 July
School Reports out to families
Saturday, 18 July
Party in the Park
Monday, 20 July
Y6 Leavers' service 2pm
Wednesday, 22 July
End of term 3.20pm

*For 2025-26 Term, Inset & Holiday Dates
: [CLICK HERE](#)*



Next week is Year 6 SATs week - national tests taken by all Year 6s across the country. We are very grateful to the Friends who have generously donated funds so that our Year 6s can come into school at 8.30am for breakfast each day next week in preparation for their tests.

Our Year 6s have all worked incredibly hard in preparation for these assessments and we wish them all the best with their tests. Good luck from all of us at Burton - you can do it!

*Mrs Varndell-Paulley
Acting Headteacher*

Around our School

Notices

Sports Day

Sports Day is on Friday 26th June. The morning will KS2 athletics, the afternoon will be our whole-school sports day where the children will be divided into mixed age groups with each group being led by a Year 6 pupil. The children will take part in a range of different sporting challenges and the emphasis is on teamwork and fun! More information to follow nearer the time.

As usual, we will be asking for donations of pre-cut fruit for the rehydration station. The Friends will be organising a rota for the rehydration station. If you are able to help them out, please let Laura (Douglas and Chester's mum) or Gurmeet (Elijah's mum) know.

Party in the Park - Saturday 18th July

The Friends are busy organising Party in the Park! We are seeking local partners interested in sponsoring Party in the Park in exchange for prominent banner placement at the event. If you'd be interested, please get in touch with Tanya (Luca and Hugo's mum). Please also let Tanya know if you are able to volunteer at this event.

Christmas Fayre

The Christmas Fayre is due to be held on Sunday 13th December, 1pm-4pm. The fayre can only go ahead if we get enough volunteers to help run it. If you are able to volunteer to help, please let Laura (Douglas and Chester's mum) or Gurmeet (Elijah's mum) know.



ICE CREAM VAN DAY!



A TASTY TREAT IS COMING TO SCHOOL!

The Friends of Burton Bradstock School
are excited to announce that a

NEW Ice Cream Van

will be visiting school on:

SAVE THESE DATES!

21 MAY

11 JUNE

25 JUNE

2 JULY

16 JULY

ICE CREAMS
SERVED FRESH
FROM THE VAN!

ICE CREAM



The van will be
ready to serve
ice creams
from 3:00pm

£1

Ice creams
will be
£1 each



A fun treat
for the
children



All money raised
will go directly
towards supporting
the school through
the Friends group

THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING OUR SCHOOL FUNDRAISING!

Friends of Burton Bradstock School

RAINBOW DAY

WEDNESDAY 1ST JULY

**WEAR YOUR YEAR GROUP COLOUR
& BRING A HAMPER ITEM OF THAT COLOUR!**

LITTLE CHICKS & WAGTAILS

YEAR 1

YEAR 2

YEAR 3

YEAR 4

YEAR 5

YEAR 6



**FOOD ITEM DATES MUST LAST
UNTIL SUMMER PLEASE**




**RAINBOW HAMPERS WILL BE USED TO
RAISE FUNDS FOR THE SUMMER RAFFLE**

CHARITY NUMBER: 1026130 • LOTTERY LICENCE: SL0223

★ **THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT** ★



  @burtoncollective

DORSET ART WEEKS



Images by The Burton Collective

23 MAY - 4 JUNE 2026

182 EXHIBITION AT ST MARY'S, BURTON BRADSTOCK

10.30 - 5pm &
12.30 - 5pm Sundays

PAINTING, PHOTOGRAPHY, TEXTILE ART
CHILDREN'S CRAFT AREA, REFRESHMENTS, SHOP

MEMBERS

Paul S Brown | Lianne Mealing | Alison Boyland | Alison Leahy | Cynthia Justham |
Karen Buchanan Harlow | Dani Farrell |

CONTRIBUTORS Karen Venn | Janet Guppy | **SHOP** Artwork | Cards | Coastline Soaps | Local novelist |

A new collection of emerging and established local artists working in a variety of media. This is part of the Rector's initiative to make our Church an open space for all. There will be two artists at the Church at all times, a free children's craft area with materials, and refreshments provided by the village's Wednesday Girls.

THE BURTON COLLECTIVE THANKS

St Mary's PCC,
Burton Bradstock



BURTON BRADSTOCK
FESTIVAL OF MUSIC AND ART

PALMERS
BREWING IN DORSET SINCE 1794





BYCC & THE SIR JOHN COLFOX TRANSITION DAY

Your next adventure starts here!



WEDNESDAY
29TH JULY
2026

10AM - 2PM



MONDAY
24TH AUGUST
2026

10AM - 2PM



FOR YEAR 6 PUPILS MOVING INTO YEAR 7
AT COLFOX - SEPTEMBER 2026

MAKE FRIENDS,
BUILD CONFIDENCE,
HAVE FUN!

£5



A DAY FULL
OF FUN, NEW
EXPERIENCES
& MEMORIES!

SCAN HERE
TO SIGN UP!

Head of Year 7 Mrs Baker, along with Colfox staff and youth workers will be there to welcome you and help you feel *right at home*.

WHAT'S IN STORE?



Hands-on
arts & crafts



Fun
team-building
activities



Plenty of chances
to meet new friends
and bond



Exciting games
and challenges

DON'T MISS THIS FANTASTIC OPPORTUNITY TO KICKSTART YOUR JOURNEY AT SIR JOHN COLFOX ACADEMY WITH **CONFIDENCE AND EXCITEMENT!**

HOSTED AT BRIDPORT YOUTH & COMMUNITY CENTRE



BYCC
Your Community Centre



YOU'RE INVITED TO

YEAR 5 FUN DAY!

**A DAY FULL OF
FUN, DISCOVERY
AND NEW
EXPERIENCES!**



EXPLORE. TRY. HAVE FUN!



**FRIDAY
28TH AUGUST 2026**

10AM - 2PM

**Scan here
to sign up!**



A fun day of exciting activities
run by **Colfox staff!**

Try different subjects, meet teachers
you'll see in secondary school and
discover what makes Colfox so great!



MAKE NEW FRIENDS
and have fun together!



BUILD CONFIDENCE
and get excited for
secondary school!



EXPLORE NEW
subjects and discover
your passions!

**EVERY CHILD
WILL ROTATE
BETWEEN
ACTIVITIES!**



Free community session: 'An Introduction to Autism'



What is the session about?

The session was co-developed with parents of autistic children, a SENCo, Dorset Parent Carer Council and Specialist Teachers and Educational Psychologists from Dorset Council.

It will help you to:

- Understand what autism is and how it may impact young people and families
- Learn some practical strategies to support an autistic child/young person

Please note, this is a general information session, so we won't be able to discuss individual children or schools.

The session will be delivered by either an Educational Psychologist or a Specialist Teacher from Dorset Council

Who can attend?

Anyone from the community, this could include people:

- with an autistic child
- with a child undergoing an assessment for autism
- who are interested in learning more about autism

Where and when?

Bridport Family Hub, Skilling Hill Road, Bridport, Dorset, DT6 5LA - Tuesday the 19th of May 2026 at 10:00am until 12:00pm

To book a place, please click on this [Link](#) or scan the QR code below:

Bridport - An Introduction to Autism - Community Training Session - Summer Term



Friends of Burton Bradstock School presents



PARTY IN THE PARK

In Aid of Burton Bradstock School

*** LIVE MUSIC BY ***

SHELBY'S ELBOWS



**FOOD
STALLS**



**LICENSED
BAR**



**ICE
CREAMS**



MAKER'S MARKET



RAFFLE TICKETS



CAKE SALE



**Children's
Entertainment**

SATURDAY 18TH JULY 2026

1:00PM – 6:00PM

Burton Bradstock Playing Fields

*** **TICKETS:** ***

£1 ENTRY FEE

All proceeds in support of Burton Bradstock School

Fun for all the Family!

Registered Charity 1026130

DONATIONS NEEDED!

For Our Summer Party
Saturday 18th July

TEDDY TOMBOLA



The Friends of Burton Bradstock School are busy preparing for our Summer Party – and we need your help! ♥

TEDDY TOMBOLA

We need **DONATIONS** of **TEDDIES!**

- New or gently used
- Clean & in good condition

We need **BOTTLE DONATIONS!**

- Wine, Spirits, Soft Drinks & More!

BOTTLE TOMBOLA



RAINBOW HAMPERS

Our **RAINBOW HAMPER BOXES** are coming back for the **Party in the Park!**

Details Coming Soon...

HOW YOU CAN HELP

Please drop donations into the school office.

Every donation helps us raise money for the children –

Thank You! ♥



♥ Friends of Burton Bradstock School! ♥