



Burton Bulletin

Burton Bradstock CE Primary School

Week Commencing 18 June

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 - 9.00am Class Photos (No PE Kits) After School Art Club - 3.20 - 4.00pm
Wednesday	The Nest Settling In Session - 9.00 - 12.00pm New Parents Meeting 9.15am Rocksteady Band Lessons WCSM Music Lessons Celebration Worship 2.40pm for 2.45pm start Golf after school club 3.45 - 4.30pm (@Bridport Golf Club)
Thursday	Robins 'You and Me Time' Owls Outdoor Education
Friday	Before school running club (8:00 - 8:40am)

DIARY DATES

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](#)



It was a pleasure to take our Year 6s to Salisbury Cathedral for the Diocese of Salisbury Year 6 Leavers' service on Monday. A trip to Salisbury Cathedral has become a milestone to mark the children's time at Burton coming to an end. We were all in awe at the magnificent architecture of the cathedral. The service provided a chance to celebrate and reflect on the Year 6's primary education and to look towards their move to secondary school. This was followed by a delicious lunch out! We were incredibly proud of how well our Year 6 pupils conducted themselves throughout the day, they were a credit to our school and their families. We were very grateful to Reverend Andrew for joining us for the day too.

Have a lovely weekend.

Mrs Varndell-Paulley

Notices

Sports day

Sports Day is on Friday 26th June. The morning will be an athletics event with our KS2 classes, the afternoon will be our usual mixed-age teams working through some fun activities. The Friends are kindly offering to run our Rehydration Station again this year and would like families to bring donations of pre-sliced fruit into school on the Friday morning. After the afternoon's event, we would encourage families to stay on the field to catch up, relax and celebrate the day.

Outdoor education

Owls have Outdoor Education this half term so please make sure they come to school every Thursday with the correct kit - wellies, long trousers, waterproofs, sun hat.

Class photos

Class photos will be taking place on Tuesday afternoon. All children should come to school in their school uniform, even if it is usually a PE day.

Free School Meals

You may or may not be aware that from Autumn 2026, the Department for Education is changing how Free School Meal eligibility is managed.

Eligibility will now be split into the following categories; **Targeted FSM (currently FSM pupil premium)**, **Expanded FSM (free school meal entitlement only)**, and **Other FSM** which only applies to certain local funding schemes. Eligibility is based on your personal circumstances and applying is straightforward using an online checker.

All families currently in receipt of free school meals are required to reconfirm their eligibility annually and you can start the reapplication process now, for September 2026. We are encouraging families to act promptly to ensure they continue to receive these valuable resources without interruption.

If you have not applied for Free School Meals previously then we do recommend checking if you might be eligible, especially now the criteria has changed.

To reconfirm your eligibility or to check if you might be eligible for funding please click on the following link; <https://www.dorsetcouncil.gov.uk/w/free-school-meals>

Medication

If your child has medication in school, prescribed or not, it **MUST** be stored in the school office. Please give any medication to either Mrs Varndell-Paulley on the gate or Ms. Rigby in the office.

Children's Commissioner Survey

We would encourage as many children (or parents) as possible to complete the Children's Commissioner survey to have your say on what it's like to be a child or young person in England today. To complete the survey, please use this link:

<https://www.smartsurvey.co.uk/s/TheBigFuture/>

For more information, please visit <https://www.childrenscommissioner.gov.uk/the-big-future/>

Around Our School

Owl Class enjoying an art workshop and exhibition at the Church





Pizza making in



Forest School



Another fun
filled
Drumming
Workshop



Sarcophagus building for Kingfisher Class

