



Busbridge CE Junior School

Newsletter

Autumn Term 2017 No: 1

8th September 2017

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Sept 2017

- Mon 11th Year 4 swimming starts
Tues 12th Welcome service at Busbridge Church for new year 3 9.30am
Tues 12th Curriculum & learning Evening:
Year 3 - 6.00pm / Year 4 - 7.00pm
Thurs 14th Curriculum & learning Evening:
Year 6 - 6.00pm / Year 5 - 7.00pm
Mon 18th School Photographer in school
Tues 19th Meet the New Head & Friends of Busbridge Junior AGM 7pm
Thurs 21st Parent tour 1
Fri 29th Parent tour 2

Oct 2017

- Mon 2nd to
Fri 6th Year 6 trip to Windmill Hill
Thurs 5th Parent tour 3
Tues 10th Harvest Services at Busbridge Church: Years 3 & 4 - 9.30am
Years 5 & 6 - 11.00am
Fri 13th Parent tour 4
Tues 17th Year 3 trip to Butser Ancient Farm
Thurs 19th Phil the Bag collection
Fri 20th Tuesley House charity day
Mon 23rd to Fri 27th Half-Term
Mon 30th INSET day

AUTUMN TERM 2017

4th September to 21st December 2017
Half term: 23rd to 27th October 2017
INSET days:
Monday 4th and Tuesday 5th September
Monday 30th October

SPRING TERM 2018

4th January to 29th March 2018
Half term: 12th to 16th February 2018

SUMMER TERM 2018

16th April to 23rd July 2018
Half term: 28th May to 1st June 2018
Bank Holiday: Monday 7th May 2018
Monday 28th May 2018

****Two remaining INSET dates to be set****



A warm welcome back to all our families, and to our new Year 3 children who are settling in well to Busbridge Junior school life. Our Year 6 buddies have been doing a fantastic job in their role helping the Year 3s make their transition to junior school life as smooth as possible.

Thank you so much for the warm welcome that I have received at Busbridge. I have really appreciated the welcome extended by the children, parents, governors and staff. I have many new faces to meet and new names to learn, so bear with if I introduce myself a couple of times to you!

A warm welcome also to our new members of staff: Miss Hannah Green and Mrs Sonia Alder who have joined as class teachers, and to Miss Emma Luff and Miss Emma Tampsett who have joined our LSA team.

Welcome Service

All parents of children new to the school are invited to join the Year 3 children at Busbridge Church on Tuesday 12th September at 9.30am. The welcome service is a super way to celebrate your child starting at Busbridge CE Junior School.

Curriculum and Learning Evenings

The Curriculum and Learning Evenings will be held next week. Please see the dates list for the timings. These meetings are an important way to hear from your child's teacher about their learning and our expectations of them, as well as a trove of other important information.

'Meet the New Headteacher' and Friends of Busbridge AGM - Everyone welcome Tuesday 19th September 7pm

An important date for your diary as we are combining two key events in one evening. At 7pm I will be delivering a short presentation in which I will share with parents a little about myself, my prior experience and my views on primary education. This will be followed by the PTA AGM (at about 7.45pm). This is a great way for new parents to meet each other, find out what the Friends of Busbridge is all about and for everyone to welcome the new committee. Nibbles and wine will also be available.

Richard Catchpole - Headteacher