



Message from Mr Butler

Good afternoon,

Welcome back to the new half-term! It has been wonderful to see everyone back at school following the break; we hope you all enjoyed a relaxing and refreshing week with family and friends. The children have returned with great enthusiasm, and there has certainly been plenty to be excited about around Butlers Court!

You will have noticed the ongoing building work taking place. Firstly, our Giraffes and Pandas have been delighted with their newly created fantastic outdoor area, with a wonderful new fence. The children are certainly enjoying the extra space and the opportunity to write on the new outdoor chalkboards in the outdoors.

In addition, you may have noticed that the building work continues in the Key Stage 1 toilets. Once completed, these will be much cleaner, tidier, more attractive, and safer for the children to access directly from the KS1 playground. Our thanks again to all of you who have contributed to our school enrichment fund which has helped fund this refurbishment project.

A big thank you to all of you who attended our Parents' Consultations on Monday and Wednesday. It was good to see so many of you; I hope you found the system smooth and effective; you appreciated the chance to see children's work, and that your discussions with class teachers were helpful and informative.

Year 1 had a brilliant time on Tuesday during their pyjama day—it was thoroughly enjoyed by all! We are also pleased to share that Class 1KB will be able to return to their classroom next week, as all redecoration and repair work has now been completed. The children, and staff, are very excited to move back in! My thanks again go to all the staff and children for their patience and cooperation with this transition recently.

The children all looked incredibly smart on Wednesday for school photographs, thank you for your support with these. We will be in touch soon with details on when the photos will be available to view and order.

Yesterday was another fantastic day as we welcomed Ricky back to Butlers Court. Our dance days with him are always a highlight, and the children had a wonderful time learning routines, dancing with each other, and putting on energetic performances.

Next Thursday is World Book Day, and we can't wait to see the children dressed up and enjoying a day filled with stories, imagination, and a celebration of reading. A big thank-you to the PTA, who have kindly organised a World Book Day costume sale after school today—we hope many of you found it helpful.

Thanks again for your continued support - wishing you all a wonderful weekend!

Mr Butler

Bucks Mind - Social Media and Mental Health - Parent Webinar

Tuesday, 3 March, 1:00 pm

Join us for this parent webinar, discussing how we can help protect our own and our young people's, mental health in the online world. We will look at social media and its impact on our wellbeing as well as tips and advice creating healthy habits around usage of online devices and social media.

Please join via this link: <https://events.teams.microsoft.com/event/89796b14-fbb9-4864-a88d-a8030ab08489@ced1639b-ebc2-4536-94b9-61d16cb5c697>

What's New

First News

The latest edition of [First News](#) is available online. You can access it using our First News Education ID: **TPA9PGC8**

Musician of the Half Term

This half term, we will be listening to the music by Gurinder Kaur Kainth

World Book Day - Thursday 5th March 2026

We are delighted to announce that Butlers Court School will be celebrating World Book Day 2026 on Thursday 5th March. Back by popular demand: children can dress up as a book character and we will be running our competition to design a 'book character' wooden spoon. We will also be asking children to bring in their favourite book to share on the day, as well as bringing in a pre-loved book for our 'Book Swap'. To celebrate the 'National Year of Reading' we will have reading-focused celebrations throughout the week. We are looking forward to having some parents reading in classes too - thank you for volunteering! To end the week, our friends at Chiltern Book Shop will be holding a 'Book Fair' in the School Hall next Friday 6th March from 3pm. Please see the attached letter about this.

Butlers Court School 60th Anniversary Art Competition

To celebrate 60 years of Butlers Court School, we are inviting families to take part in a special art competition! Please find details in the attached flyer.

All entries will be displayed in a special exhibition in June as part of the 60th celebrations.

Second-Hand Uniform Shop

Please visit the PTA second-hand uniform shop if you wish to purchase additional school uniform: https://www.pta-events.co.uk/butlers/index.cfm?event=products#.Yd_9KSXfUIQ

Question of the Week

Each Friday in assembly, we will share a thought-provoking question to spark curiosity and discussion. Teachers will revisit it in class, and families are encouraged to continue the conversation at home. These shared discussions help build children's confidence, communication skills, and love of learning. Thank you for supporting every child's voice.

This week will be – Would you rather live on the top of a mountain or at the bottom of the sea?

This Week's Achievement Certificates

We would like to congratulate all the following children who were awarded an Achievement Certificate in our End of Week Celebration Assembly today. All of them have produced some great work, shown positive behaviour or demonstrated our school values of kindness, respect, resilience, honesty, tolerance or responsibility over the last week. Well done all of you!

Giraffe	Noah
Panda	Peter
1AF	Isaac
1KB	Vincent
2CG	Daniella
2DU	Joe
3DM	Leila
3RY	Bhoomika
4AS	Leonardo
4MS	Sofia
5HW	Artem
5ML	Harriet
6BW	Jake
6BMS	Saima

What's happening Week Commencing Monday 2nd March

Monday

Emma Barr Singing Lessons

Brass Lessons

Y1-Y2 Recorder Club, 12-1:00pm, Art Room
4MS Swimming Lessons, Davenies School
Y1-Y6 Musical Theatre, 3.15 – 4.30pm, Dining Room
Y3 - Y4 ComputerXplorers, 3:15-4:15pm, 6BW
Y3 – Y4 Art Club, 3:15-4:30pm, Art Room
Y1 - Y2 WWFC, 3.30 – 4.30pm, Field

Tuesday

Y1 Trip to The Roald Dahl Gallery
Y3-Y4 Cheerleading Club, 7:30-8:30am, Hall
Y5 Echoes Rehearsals, 7:45-8:30am, Class 3DM
IRock and Piano
KS2 Choir, 1:00pm, 3DM
Y3-6 Chess Club, 3.20 – 4.20pm, 6BMS
Claire Andrews Dance KS2, 3:15-4:15pm, Hall
Y5-Y6 ComputerXplorers, 3:15-4:15pm, 6BW
EYFS - Y1 Playball Club, 3:15-4:15pm, Dining Hall
U11 Boys Football Match v Chalfont St Giles School, 3:45pm, Field

Wednesday

Y1-2 Chess Club, 7:55am, Dining Room
Guitar Lessons
Y1 Story Club, 12:30pm, 2DU
KS2 Reading Club. 12:30pm, 6BW
Butlers Court Book Swap, 3:15pm, KS1 Playground
Y3-6 WWFC, 3:30-4:30pm, Field
Girls U10 Football Match v St Mary and All Saints School, 3:30pm, Field
Netball Match v Chalfont St Peter Academy, 3:30pm, KS2 Playground
Cancelled Netball Club

Thursday

World Book Day
Kickboxing, 7:40-8:40am, Hall
Drum and woodwind Lessons
Claire Andrews Dance KS1, 3:15-4:15pm, Hall
Boys and Girls Football Match v Holtspur School, 3:45pm, Field
Cancelled Football (girls Y4-6 and boys Y5-6)

Friday

PTA Easter Fair Donations, KS1 Playground – This is not a non-uniform day
Cello Lessons
KS2 Running Club, 12:30-1:00pm, Field
Book Fair, 3:15pm, Hall

Attachments

Butlers Court School 60th Anniversary Family Art Competition
Butlers Court Book Fair
Pro Football Academy Easter Camp
High March Senior School Fayre