



5th May 2026

Dear Parents, Carers and Friends of the School,

What a wonderful start to the month of May it has been. The sunshine has finally begun to break through, and with it comes a real sense of energy and optimism across our school community.

May Day Celebrations

Our May Day celebrations were a true highlight. It was fantastic to see so many parents, families and villagers joining us to keep this much-loved tradition alive. A huge well-done to our incredible Year 6 students — **Whiffler, Winter, Jester, Sweep, Rustic and, of course, the Green Man** — who led the event with confidence, joy and real pride. They taught us the history, the symbolism and the spirit of the tradition beautifully.

My sincere thanks also go to the teaching staff who organised the event so thoughtfully. Their hard work ensured the afternoon was both meaningful and memorable.



Safeguarding Reminder – Staying Safe in the Longer Evenings

As the days grow longer, many children will be spending more time playing outside after school. This is a lovely part of childhood, but it's also important that we remind everyone about staying safe.

Please talk with your child about:

- **Knowing where they are allowed to play** and sticking to agreed boundaries.
- **Coming home at the time you've set.**
- **Staying with friends**, not wandering off alone.
- **Being aware of traffic**, especially when crossing roads or cycling.
- **Knowing what to do if they feel unsafe** – come home, find a trusted adult, or call for help.

We will continue reinforcing these messages in school as part of our safeguarding curriculum.

Year 6 SATs Preparation

Our Year 6 pupils are working incredibly hard as they approach their SATs. Their determination, resilience and teamwork are shining through every day. We are very proud of them and grateful to the staff supporting them so closely. All arrangements are now in place. Please continue encouraging early nights, healthy routines (including breakfast) and plenty of reassurance at home.

Year 3/4 Tennis Event

This week, our Year 3 and 4 pupils will be taking part in a tennis event - a brilliant opportunity to develop skills, confidence and teamwork. We know they will represent the school beautifully.

ERB Building Update

We are pleased to share that work on the ERB will take place over the summer holidays. If all goes to plan, the new space will be ready for a **September start**, offering improved facilities and opportunities for pupils.

No Outsiders – May dates

As part of our ongoing commitment to inclusion, we continue to deliver our No Outsiders curriculum. This programme teaches children that everyone is welcome, everyone is valued, and everyone has a place in our school community. Through stories, discussion and reflection, pupils learn about respect, kindness, equality and celebrating difference. Thank you for your continued support in helping us build a school where every child feels they belong.

This half term we will be hosting the following No Outsiders dates. This is an excellent chance to work alongside your children.

- **Tuesday 19th May – Einstein, 9am**
- **Wednesday 20th May – Teresa, 9am**
- **Thursday 21st May – Malala, 9am**

Thank you, as always, for your continued support. May is a month full of growth, celebration and community spirit - and it is a joy to share it with you all.

Warm regards,



David Sandford and the BG Team


Celebrating Achievement at Burrough Green

We recognise and celebrate children who have shown evidence of our school value Aspiration, Resilience and Kindness.

ARK Children are:

Malala Class	Oakley – Tommy - Thomas
Einstein Class	Mia – Hamish - Etta
Teresa Class	Bodhi – Charlie - Georgia

Next Week's Menu – Monday 11th May

 BG School Lunch Menu		Week B – w/c 11 th May			
	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1st Option	Crispy Chicken (G)(MK)	Homemade Beef burger in a bun (G)	Lasagne (G)(MK)	Chicken Skewers with Rice and Tzatziki	Hot dogs made with premium sausages in a hot dog roll (G)(SD)
2nd Option	Spanish Omelette – made with egg, potato and onion (E)	Vegetable Stir Fry with Egg Noodles (SO)(E)	Pizza Pin Wheels with diced potatoes (MK)(G)	Quorn nuggets in cheese and BBQ sauce in Pitta (G)	Creamy vegetable pasta (G)(MK)
Side dish	Wedges, Beans, Sweetcorn	Chips, Sweetcorn, Peas	Salad and Coleslaw (E)(MU)	Sweetcorn, Peas	Wedges, Sweetcorn, Beans
3rd Option	Jacket Potato with Choice of toppings, beans, beans & cheese (MK), cheese (MK), Tuna Mayo (E)(MU)(F)	Pasta in a Tomato Sauce (G)	Jacket Potato with Choice of toppings, beans, beans & cheese (MK), cheese (MK), Tuna Mayo (E)(MU)(F)	Pasta in a Tomato Sauce (G)	Jacket Potato with Choice of toppings, beans, beans & cheese (MK), cheese (MK), Tuna Mayo (E)(MU)(F)
Snack option	Tuna Mayo Wholemeal Roll (E)(MU)(F)	Cheese wholemeal Roll (G)(MK)	Tuna Mayo Wholemeal Roll (E)(MU)(F)	Fish Fingers wholemeal roll (G)(F)	Cheese wholemeal Roll (G)(MK)
Dessert	Fruit Muffin (MK)(G)(E), Fruit, yogurt (MK)	Chocolate Brownie Cookie (E) (G)(SO) Fruit, yogurt (MK)	Jelly Fruit, yoghurt (MK)	Flapjack (G), Fruit or Yogurt (MK)	Rice Krispie Cake (SO)(MK) Fruit or Yogurt (MK)
All Jacket Potatoes and Bread Rolls have a side salad. A slice of baguette is available to accompany the main meal.					

1. Allergen Key: Celery (C), Cereals (G), Crustaceans (CR), Egg (E), Fish (F), Lupin (L), Milk (MK), Molluscs (MS), Mustard (MU), Nuts (N), Peanuts (P), Sesame Seeds (SE), Soya (SO), Sulphur Dioxide/Sulphites (SD)

Upcoming Events

Please make sure you check our [school calendar](#) to stay up-to-date with information about future events, term dates, training days etc

May

- 7th May – Year 3/4 Tennis Festival at LVC
- 11th – 14th May – Year 6 SATS
- 18th May – Class Photos
- 19th May – Einstein Class - No Outsiders, 9am
- 19th May – Governor's meeting
- 20th May – Teresa Class - No Outsiders, 9am
- 21st May – Malala Class - No Outsiders, 9am
- 21st May – Sponsored Dino-Danceathon
- 25th – 29th May – Half Term – school closed

June

- 1st June – Pupils return to school
- 4th June – Small schools Quad Kids
- 7th June – Burrough Green Village Fair
- 15th June – Einstein and Malala class trip to Watatunga
- 22nd June – Whole School field trip to Felixstowe
- 27th June – Saturday – Colour Run on Burrough Green village green – PTA event

July

- 2nd July – Teresa Class trip to Ely Museum

9th July – Sports Day
 9th July – Governor’s meeting
 15th July – Reserve Sports Day
 16th July – Thursday – End of the Summer Term

Wrap Around Timetable – Owls

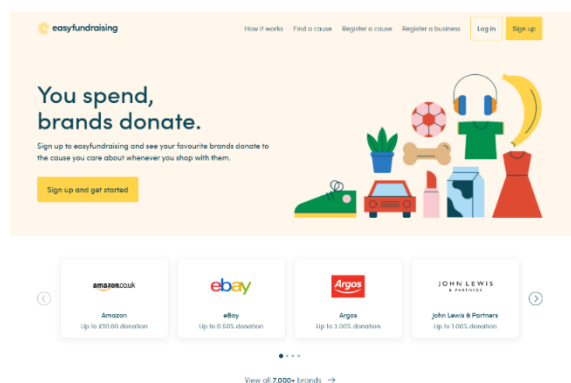
4 th May	No Owls Bank Holiday	Crafts and Free Play	Treasure Hunt	Prestige Sports Hockey (Uni Hoc)	Natural World: Make your own Fairy Garden
11 th May	Pirates and Princesses: <u>Tiara's</u> and Tattoo's Feel free to dress up	Crafts and Free Play	Countries of the World Italy Practice your Italian and enjoy Italian Ice Cream	Prestige Sports Basketball Themed Games	Natural World: Pebble Painting
18 th May	Blind fold food tasting	Crafts and Free Play	Teddy Bears picnic	Prestige Sports Summer Athletics	Free Play

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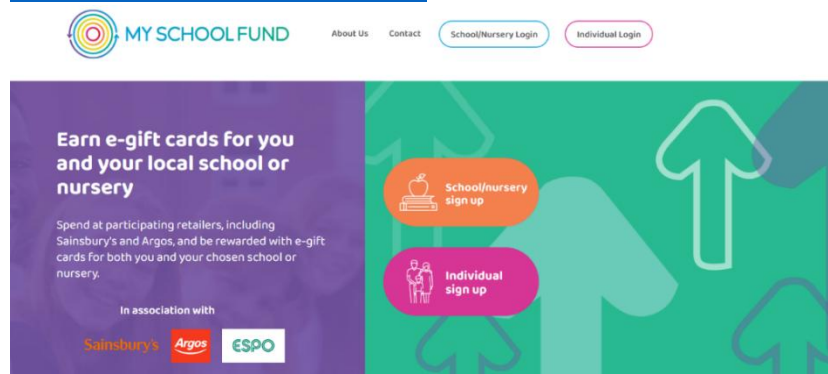
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