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Buckingham Park Church of England Primary School Newsletter

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Nearly there…

This time last year, our school building was not yet complete and not a single child had crossed the threshold. We have come a long way in a year…

Our desire was always to build a school, but also to build a community – a learning community, a Christian community and a local community.

We are, of course, still building but we can all be pleased with our achievement so far. Our children, families and staff can all be proud to be part of Buckingham Park CE Primary School.

It has been an honour and a privilege to lead the school in its first year. Thank you to you all for your support. On behalf of the Governing Body and Staff I wish you all a brilliant summer.

Very best wishes,

Nick Waldron

Important Dates for September

Please make a note of these important dates for September:

Thursday 5th September	Term starts for children in Years 1, 2 and 3
Monday 9th September	Nursery opens for new pupils only
Tuesday 10th September	Nursery opens for all pupils

If your child is starting in Reception, please refer to your handbook for our induction process and start dates.

Morning Routine in September

From September, children in Reception and Year 1 will continue to be brought into the classroom by their parents. Children in Years 2 and 3 should be dropped off at their main entry door (from the playground) where a member of staff will greet them.

All teachers will still bring children out to the playground at the end of the day.

Staff News

Two members of our lunchtime team will be leaving Buckingham Park on Wednesday. Mrs Leigh Smith and her family are moving home away from Aylesbury, and Mrs Shirley Jones is moving to a new school as a teaching assistant. They both go with our thanks and best wishes.

Miss Whytewood is planning a very exciting summer holiday – she is getting married! We hope and pray that she and her friends and family have an amazing day to remember. I am sure that you will join with us all in wishing her lots of joy and happiness on this special day.

Lost Property

Please help us to make sure that every child goes home with the correct clothing and belongings at the end of term. You can do this in two ways:

1. Check the lost property in school to see if any item belongs to your child.
2. Check all your children's items at home to ensure that you don't have anything that belongs to another family. If you do find something, please return it to school.

Labels, labels, labels...

If you are buying new uniform or equipment over the Summer, please remember that everything that comes into school should be clearly labelled with your child's name - including all clothing, bags, PE Kit and lunchboxes. We recommend 'Stikins' - One easy name label with multiple uses for all kinds of school items.

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Reminder: Please remember that term ends on Wednesday at 1.30pm