



Bassingbourn
Community Primary School

Bassingbourn Community Primary School Weekly Newsletter

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25th September 2026

Well done for another week of great learning!

In assemblies, we have been exploring our school values of **Be Caring**, **Be Excellent** and **Be Resilient**, alongside our behaviour expectations of **Be Safe** and **Be Respectful**. We are incredibly proud of the way children are putting these values into action every day through their kindness, perseverance, positive relationships and exemplary conduct around the school.

We know that the strongest outcomes are achieved when school and homework together. We would be grateful for your continued support in reinforcing these values and expectations at home, helping children to develop the character, confidence and responsibility that will serve them well both now and in the future.

A gentle reminder about our school uniform expectations. Wearing the correct school uniform consistently helps children to develop a sense of belonging, pride and identity within our school community, while also promoting equity for all pupils. Thank you for your ongoing support in ensuring that children arrive at school each day dressed appropriately and ready to learn.

As part of helping children develop independence and responsibility, we would appreciate your support in encouraging good toileting and hygiene habits at home. Children should be able to use the toilet appropriately and independently wherever possible, including flushing the toilet, washing their hands thoroughly and leaving facilities clean and tidy for others.

By working together to reinforce these expectations, we can help maintain a safe, clean and pleasant environment for everyone in our school community. Good hygiene practices are also an important part of reducing the spread of common illnesses and helping children stay healthy and ready to learn.

Thank you for supporting your child in developing these important life skills, which contribute positively to both their personal development and the wellbeing of others.

Thanks,

Amy Luu



Celebration Awards

Y1/2 Ensley, Olivia, Lily B
Y3/4 Millie, Ava-Rose, Lewis
Y5 Travis, Charlie
Y6 Harry, Demi-Rose

This Week's Presentation Awards

Y1&2 Max D, Sophia C, Robert
Y3/4 Jude, Brooke, Preston
Y5 Grace, Ralph
Y6 Evelyn, Xander

Attendance

Congratulations to the following classes who achieved greater than the
96% target for attendance:

Hepworth 100%

Van Gogh 98.77%

Banksy 98.29%

Turner 97.98%

Whiteread 97.28%

Baldessari 97.22%

Cassatt 96.93%

Dates For Your Diary

October

- Friday 16th October - Spooky Disco (FOBS)

Half term

- Monday 26th October - Friday 30th October (Back to school Monday 2nd Nov)

Inset days 2026/27

- Tuesday 1st September & Wednesday 2nd September 2026
 - Monday 4th January 2027
 - Friday 12th February 2027
 - Monday 7th June 2027

Parental consultation evenings 2026/27

- Week beginning: 2nd November 2026
- Week beginning: 22nd February 2027

Census Day

Island Beach Party

Surfer's Pizza Dog & Fries

A Cheesy Pizza-Style Hot Dog with
Skin-on Fries
Pork or Quorn (vg)



Choose Your Surfside Sides!

Salad, Coleslaw,
Sweetcorn, Peas or Beans

For Dessert

Pineapple Party Crunch Biscuit

A little taste of paradise!

Join us on

Thursday 1st October 2026



Play
Explore
Make Friends
Belong



Stay and Play

at Bassingbourn Pre-School

A friendly session for little ones
and their grown ups ♥



Every Tuesday

Starting 22nd September
(Term time only)



9:15 – 10:30



£2 per family



Snack



Activities



Songs / Stories

Come along for a relaxed session
of play, chat and fun! ♥



Bassingbourn Pre-School



The
Outdoors
Project

OCTOBER HALF TERM HOLIDAY CLUBS



STUDLANDS RISE FIRST SCHOOL, ROYSTON

Monday 26th October
BUSHCRAFT: FIRE MASTER

Tuesday 27th October
NERF: MISSION SPOOKTACULAR

Wednesday 28th October
GHOSTBUSTERS: SLIME LAB & GHOST HUNT

Thursday 29th October
HOW TO TRAIN YOUR DRAGON: ADVENTURES ON THE ISLAND OF BERK!

Friday 30th October
ULTIMATE HALLOWEEN ADVENTURE: TRICKS & TREATS!



"0% screen time,
100% fresh air,
fun, games,
exploring and
adventuring
in nature"

MILTON COUNTRY PARK WILD PLACE

Monday 26th October
BUSHCRAFT VS MINECRAFT

Tuesday 27th October
WIZARDS OF THE WILD: A HARRY POTTER ADVENTURE

Wednesday 28th October
BUSHCRAFT: FIRE MASTER

Thursday 29th October
ULTIMATE HALLOWEEN ADVENTURE: TRICKS & TREATS!

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Bow Books Kids

THE SUPERSONIC FART!

FREE! STORYTELLING & BOOK SIGNING WITH HELEN ROSE

Get ready for a fart-tastic morning of stories, silliness and laughs!
Join debut author **Helen Rose** for a hilarious storytelling session
celebrating her new rhyming adventure, **The Supersonic Fart!**
Complete with a FREE Fart Chart!

**Featuring pictures by bestselling illustrator Garry Parsons,
illustrator of The Dinosaur That Pooped series.**

- Saturday 26th September
- 10–11.30am
- Bow Books Kids
- Part of Royston Arts Festival
- Suitable for ages 4–7 years
- **FREE to attend, pre-booking essential**



Come along for a fun-filled morning of storytelling, laughter and plenty of fart-tastic fun, plus the chance to meet **Helen Rose** and get your copy of **The Supersonic Fart! signed!**



**It's sure to be a rip-roaring, or should that be
fart-blasting morning!**



**Book in person in the bookshop, call 07715 593 516 or email
enquiries@bow-books.co.uk**

Bow Books Kids

SPECIAL EVENTS FOR YOUNG READERS!

Would your child love to meet an author, discover new books or take part in a special bookshop event?

We are planning more children's author visits, storytelling sessions, activities and special events, and we'd love to keep local families in the loop!

If you'd like to hear about events that might be suitable for your child or children, simply complete the form below and hand it into us.

SIGN UP YOUR INTEREST:

Adult's Name:

Email:

Mobile:

Child's Name & Age:

Child's Name & Age:

Any Requests:

KEEP ME UPDATED!

I'm happy for Bow Books to contact me with information about children's author events, activities and special bookshop events that may be suitable for my child/children.

Signature & Date:



Please return your completed form to

Bow Books, 6 or 12 Angel Pavement, Royston, SG8 9AS

We look forward to welcoming you and your young readers to future events!

EXTRACURRICULAR ACHIEVEMENTS

Huge congratulations to Fiadh who has recently completed her 10th, Junior parkrun, and to Evie who has completed her free style dance exam.



