

# Burlington Juniors Weekly News



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## Alfie is raising money for Sheffield Children's Hospital!

Alfie Verner, who is a pupil here at Burlington Juniors, will be holding a cake stall to raise money for his chosen charity - Sheffield Children's Hospital.

Alfie, will be taking part in the Junior Great North Run where he will be running 4km.

The cake stall will be running after school on Tuesday 9th July from 3.30 - 4.30 on the front playground. Please feel free to attend along with others from the community to help Alfie reach his target.

We are extremely proud of Alfie's decision to do this and wish him the best of luck on behalf of Burlington Junior School. If you would like to donate cakes to the sale please contact reception.



### Sheffield Children's is amazing

Our doctors and nurses at Sheffield Children's treat every condition imaginable to change the lives of our patients and families. Every day we can help to make a difference.

Did you know Sheffield Children's is one of just three specialist standalone children's hospitals in the UK?

- 1 Sheffield Children's
- 2 Alder Hey
- 3 Great Ormond Street

Children and young people travel to Sheffield from all over the country, and even the world, for ground-breaking medical treatment. This makes the hospital one of the nation's best for paediatric care, and home to some of the UK's leading clinicians. Sheffield Children's even had patients from the **United States, India and Egypt** in 2022/23.



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### How much do you know about Sheffield Children's?

Mental Health Support Teams currently work with **50 schools** in and around Sheffield to provide children and young people with early intervention and preventative mental health support.



Patients travel as far as **100 miles** to Sheffield Children's Sleep Team for specialist treatment.

Sheffield Children's respite centre, Ryegate House, had **895 overnight stays** in 2022/23, to help families of children with neurodevelopmental conditions.

**341 active research studies** are run in the Clinical Research Facility, with sponsors from across Europe and as far as USA.

**10,214 inpatients** were admitted to one of the wards at Sheffield Children's, staying for a total of **42,483 nights**.

More than **65,000 patients** were seen in the Emergency Department in 2022/23.

The transport service, Embrace, completed **1,908 patient transfers** across Yorkshire and the Humber and beyond.

Ophthalmology's paediatric contact lens service has been working for **21 years** with babies and children who've had cataracts removed.

## Hot Weather Safety



Please ensure your child comes to school wearing sun cream, has a hat and plenty of water to drink.

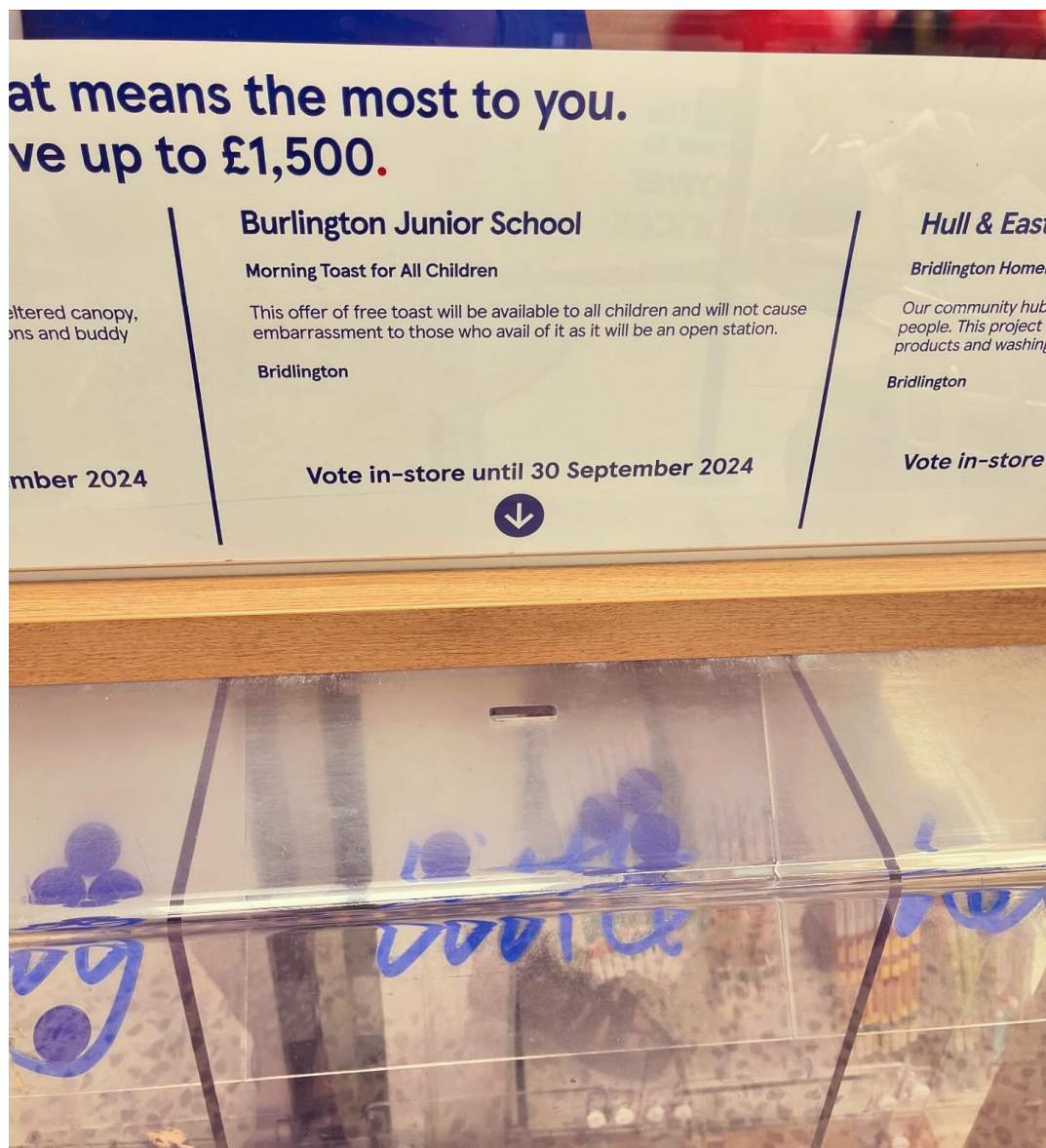
## Clubs

It will be the last Badminton, Gardening and film club this week, the rest of them end next week - no clubs will be on the last week of term (15th-19th July).

## Morning toast for all children - Tesco project

We are delighted to let you know that our application for the Tesco Stronger Starts is now in store.

From now until the end of September, you as a customer can vote to support our project above by shopping at Tesco and using your tokens to vote for us. We are hoping to commence this from November 2024.





# TAKEHOME



## In the news this week

This summer, the 2024 Olympics, held in Paris, will run from 26<sup>th</sup> July to 11<sup>th</sup> August, and the Paralympics will take place from 28<sup>th</sup> August to 8<sup>th</sup> September. The Games will see the world's greatest athletes come together in France's capital city to compete for their place at the top of the podium. For many athletes, these Games are the peak of their sport, with a gold medal as the highest accolade. The competitors are likely to have spent months and years training for numerous hours per day to prepare.

### Things to talk about at home ...

- > Share your knowledge of the upcoming 2024 Olympic and Paralympic Games. Ask someone at home to share their experience with you.
- > Will you be watching any of the events? Which sports do you find most interesting and why?

### What does it take to be an Olympian or Paralympian?



Please note any interesting thoughts or comments

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## This weeks useful vocabulary

**Accolade** – An award or privilege granted as a special honour or expression of praise or admiration. For many athletes, these Games are the peak of their sport, with a gold medal as the highest accolade.

**Amputated** – Part of the body cut off. Her life was saved but her right foot was amputated.

**Encountered** – Unexpectedly be faced with or experience something difficult. Discuss some of the obstacles she encountered and overcame.

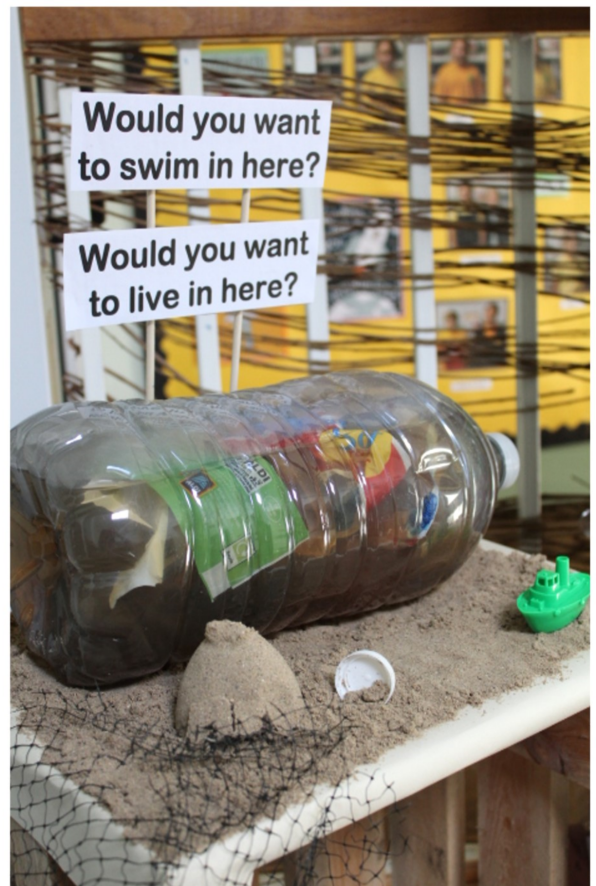
**Peak** – The point of the highest achievement. For many athletes, these Games are the peak of their sport, with a gold medal as the highest accolade.

**Podium** – A raised area on which a person stands to receive a prize in a sports competition. The Games will see the world's greatest athletes come together in France's capital city to compete for their place at the top of the podium.

**Setback** – Something that happens that delays or reverses progress. Can you think of a time you have had a setback or failure when you were trying to achieve a goal?

## 'Save Our Oceans'

The display in the school entrance is covering the theme of World Conservation. Mr Norman, Mrs Wilson and Mrs Carter decided to make a powerful display regarding plastic in the ocean and the impact this has on our environment. The children have enjoyed looking at this display and it has certainly stimulated good discussion. Living in a seaside town, this issue is of even greater relevance as plastic pollution will have detrimental effects on our beaches and wildlife.





## Secret Gardens

Over the weekend of 29th – 30th June, we opened our school grounds to the public as part of the Secret Gardens event, where people could find out the outdoor treasures hidden behind closed gates. We were assisted by (and our thanks go to) Mr Clark, Mrs Robson, Mr Wollerton and a keen crowd of pupils to help show people around throughout both days. Although the Saturday was quite rainy and windy, a few braved the weather to visit our playground planters, school garden, pond and meadow areas. The Sunday was wonderfully sunny and warm, and was very busy from a large number of people who came to visit. All were very impressed with the grounds; most were not aware of the amazing grounds we have at the back of the school and they enjoyed listening to our helpers as they explained how they benefitted from our nature and garden areas. We raised almost £100 from plant sales and donations, which will help to develop our garden areas more. We are looking forward to being part of next year's Secret Garden event already.



## High School Musical

On Wednesday, our Year 6s walked to the Spa to watch Bridlington School's production of 'High School Musical', along with many other primary schools from the area. It was an incredible performance. The comedy was excellent and the actors knew how to get the crowd to join in with the songs and the actions. It gave us a few tips on how we could make our Year 6 performance of 'Go for Gold' even better.

## Diary Dates

Monday 8th July -	Year 3/4 Sports Day - 9:30am Year 5/6 Sports day—1.30pm
Tuesday 9th July -	Year 5 - Bridlington Big Sing
Monday 15th July -	Year 4 Beach chalet  Parents and Toddlers invited to watch the dress rehearsals of the Year 6 Performance—2pm
Tuesday 16th July -	Year 5 to Beach Year 6 Summer Production - 7pm Choir + Orchestra
Wednesday 17th July -	Year 6 Beach chalet
Wednesday 17th July -	Open evening - 4—5:30pm
Thursday 18th July -	Year 3 Beach chalet Year 6 Leavers Disco - 6pm—7.30pm
Friday 19th July -	Year 6 Leavers assembly - 2pm - all parents of Year 6 pupils welcome to join Break up for the Summer Holidays
Tuesday 3rd September -	Return to School





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**WHEN: WK1: 29/07 TO 01/08, WK2: 05/08 TO 08/08**

**WHEN: WK3: 12/08 TO 15/08, WK4: 19/08 TO 22/08**

**TIME: 10AM TO 2AM**

**WHERE: CHRIST CHURCH, THE KEY CENTRE,  
BRIDLINGTON, YO15 2AP**    **AGE: 5-14 YEAR OLD**

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# EVERY SCHOOL DAY MATTERS

**MOMENTS MATTER, ATTENDANCE COUNTS.**

## PENALTY NOTICE FINES FOR SCHOOL ATTENDANCE ARE CHANGING

With the introduction of the new National Framework for Penalty Notices, the following changes will come into effect for Penalty Notice Fines issued after the **19 August 2024**.

Penalty Notices are issued to change behaviour and reduce the number of school days lost during term time for the purpose of a holiday. The pathway below outlines the decision-making process regarding the action that will be taken when a penalty notice referral is received from your child's school. However, please be aware that action will be considered on a case-by-case basis and may not follow this path.

### PER PARENT PER CHILD

Penalty Notice Fines are issued on a per parent per child basis. For example, a fine for a parent with three children will result in receiving three invoices to the value of **£160 each**.

### FIRST OFFENCE

The first time a Penalty Notice is issued for term time leave or irregular attendance the amount will be **£160 per parent per child paid within 28 days**.

Reduced to **£80 per parent per child if paid within 21 days**.

### FIVE CONSECUTIVE DAYS OF TERM TIME LEAVE

Penalty Notice Fines will be issued for term time leave of **five or more consecutive days**.

Inset training days are school days and can be included in the five or more consecutive days where there was intent to be absent for term time leave.

### 10 SESSIONS OF UNAUTHORISED ABSENCE IN A 10 WEEK PERIOD

Penalty Notice Fines will be considered when there have been 10 sessions of unauthorised absence in a 10 week period.

### THIRD OFFENCE AND ANY FURTHER OFFENCES (WITHIN THREE YEARS)

The third time an offence is committed for term time leave or irregular attendance, a Penalty Notice will not be issued and the case will be presented straight to the Magistrates' Court.

Magistrates' fines can be **up to £2,500 per parent per child**. Cases found guilty in Magistrates' Court can show on the parent's future DBS certificate due to the **'failure to safeguard a child's education'**.



[1] Parent: In this Act, unless the context otherwise requires, "parent", in relation to a child or young person, includes any person - who is not a parent of his but who has parental responsibility for him, or (b) who has care of him. Education Act 1996, section 576

For more information, please visit:

- [eastriding.gov.uk/learning/schools-colleges-and-academies/school-attendance/attendance-in-school](https://www.eastriding.gov.uk/learning/schools-colleges-and-academies/school-attendance/attendance-in-school)
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