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Dear Parents and Carers,

This week, we were visited by five of the primary headteachers from the Trust for a meeting. It was the first time many of them had visited Buckfastleigh Primary School. They left saying how impressed they were with the behaviour and good manners of the children and commented on the lovely learning on display around school.

RSHE Parent View

Last week, you received information about Relationships, Sex and Health Education at Buckfastleigh Primary School. Families are invited to share their views via email or letter to the school office. Any correspondence will be shared with governors at their next meeting.

Police Dog Visit

Today, Reception and Year 5 had a visit from two police dogs and their handlers. It was a great experience for all the children to see the dogs in action. It is amazing how intelligent, well behaved and highly trained they are. The children had lots of questions and they really enjoyed it.

Swimming

Next half term, we will be starting swimming for some year groups at Buckfastleigh swimming pool. A letter will be going out at the start of next week to those classes that will be taking part in swimming lessons this year. Each class won't go swimming every year. This is to ensure that those classes that go, get a meaningful number of lessons over the term. Over their time at school, every child will have an opportunity to do swimming in at least three year groups.

School Lunches on Parent Pay

Please support the school office and kitchen by pre-ordering school lunches on Parent Pay. This helps everything run more efficiently and reduces wastage. Thank you for your help with this.

Adventure Playground

You will have seen the repairs that have been made recently to our adventure playground. This has been possible thanks to a local volunteer who we would like to say a big thank you to! The children will be able to use the adventure playground through the rest of this term during the school day. However, we ask that you don't allow your child on it after school until further notice.

Have a great weekend and take care,

Eddie Brown

SAFE, RESPECTED AND READY TO STEP OUT INTO THE WORLD

Belong

Creative

Sustainability

Curious

Empowered