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Dear Burford School parents, guardians and staff,

As we reach the end of another school year, the Friends of Burford Committee would like to thank all parents, carers, staff, volunteers and supporters for everything you have contributed. Whether you attended events, volunteered, donated prizes or supported our activities, you have made a real difference to the school and our children.

We also wish all Year 6 families the very best as they move on to the next stage of their journey. For those leaving Burford this year, thank you for your support over the years — we wish your children every success and happiness in their new schools.

Looking ahead, we recognise that this has been a challenging summer for Key Stage 1 and year 3 pupils, parents and staff, due to the rising summer heat and lack of air-conditioning in these classrooms.

Over the summer, Friends of Burford will explore funding opportunities with corporate organisations, charities and local businesses, with the ambitious goal of raising £50,000 towards air conditioning for the KS1 and year 3 learning environments.

We will meet with Mrs Marshall in September to agree next steps and are already planning fundraising events to support this project, alongside the £12,500 we already plan to raise, which is needed to support the school. Friends of Burford are meeting on the 14th of September 2026, so please look out for further information in the new term, if you are interested in joining.

We would love your help. If you work in the private sector or know an organisation that may support matched funding or charitable donations, we would love to hear from you.

Finally, we wish all Burford families a relaxing and well-deserved summer break. Thank you again for your continued support — we look forward to seeing everyone in September.

Ways to Donate:

We have setup a **just giving** page specifically for the air-con fundraiser:

<https://www.justgiving.com/page/aircon-fob>

Bank Account Details:

Name: Friends of Burford School **Sort Code:**30-95-36 **Bank Account:** 61721068

Contact – FOB@Burfordschool.co.uk

Kind regards,

Jack Perryman

Acting FOB Chair — on behalf of the Trustees

Whilst we are looking to raise funds to support the air condition project, the school may decide that this is not financially viable, so funds may not be allocated towards this project. If you do decide to use the just giving page or bank account, please leave your full name so we can contact you if this does change.