

# Burscough Bridge News



11<sup>th</sup> December 2020

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## Christmas Activities and Raffle

### Christmas Cards

The last day to post Christmas cards in the school post box is **Monday 14<sup>th</sup> December**. If your child is sending Christmas cards please make sure the envelopes are tucked in and not stuck down (ie licked) as this can present a real risk to health and we will not be able to distribute any cards that have been stuck down.

### Christmas Breakfast

**Monday 14<sup>th</sup> December Y5&6** are having their Christmas Breakfast from 8.30am please arrive by 8.45am at the latest **through the main school entrance**. This is to enable the infants to be admitted into school and ensure bubbles do not mix. Y5&6 pupils can wear a Christmas jumper if they would like along with their uniform.

### Christmas Parties

Parties are taking place for each class bubble.

**Monday 14<sup>th</sup> Infants**

**Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> Y3&4**

**Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> Y5&6**

All pupils on their party day can come into school in sensible party clothes. Please make sure they wear something warm that is suitable to play out in at break and lunchtime.

### Raffle

Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> December is the last day to buy raffle tickets the raffle will be drawn at lunchtime on Thursday. We have seven great prizes! Tickets are still on sale for £1 per strip. Please try to support us as much as possible as it is our only fundraiser this Christmas. If you would like to purchase some tickets please send money in an envelope with your child's name on. All money raised benefits every child in school.



## Diary Dates

14<sup>th</sup> Dec Y5&6 Breakfast  
14<sup>th</sup> Dec Infant Class Party  
15<sup>th</sup> Dec Y3&4 Class Party  
16<sup>th</sup> Dec Y5&6 Class Party  
17<sup>th</sup> Dec Raffle Drawn  
18<sup>th</sup> Dec School Closes \*  
4<sup>th</sup> Jan School reopens  
12<sup>th</sup> Feb School closes half term  
22<sup>nd</sup> Feb School reopens

## Star Awards

Mila, Callie-Mae Daisy SR,  
Sophie, Daisy L and All Miss  
Lunt's Class for trying so hard  
with their Assessments.



**Well Done!**



## Parking

Mrs Tyrer had a meeting with a representative from Lancashire County Council regarding traffic and parking on Orrell Lane. We are awaiting their report and ideas to improve the situation. In the meantime we still ask that wherever possible please try to drop your child off and leave as soon as you can to free up the parking spaces.

## Friday 18<sup>th</sup> Dec

On the last day our published finish time is 1.10pm but to maintain social distancing we have had to change the pick-up times.

**Infants 12.55pm**

**Y3&4 1.10pm**

**Y5&6 12.55pm**

### Christmas Breakfast

Today we had Christmas Breakfast for all the Infants and Y3&4. Everybody had a lovely time and looked very festive in their Christmas Jumpers.



### Mental Health and Wellbeing

If you are struggling and need assistance during the Christmas period attached to this Newsletter is some information of agencies in the local area who are on call to provide help.

### Covid-19 Christmas Plan

Up to and including the 24<sup>th</sup> December should your child test positive for Covid-19 you must inform Mrs Tyrer by email [head@burscoughbridge.lancs.sch.uk](mailto:head@burscoughbridge.lancs.sch.uk).

Mrs Tyrer will then use the schools text messaging service to inform any children and staff who have been in close contact to self-isolate. **It is important that we have your up-to-date contact phone number.**

After the 24<sup>th</sup> December anyone who tests positive or is required to self-isolate due to contact with a positive case, please follow the normal Track & Trace procedures. It is not necessary to inform school until the first day of the new term - 4<sup>th</sup> January 2021.

### Dinner Menus

There are still some dinner orders outstanding please return your child's order through Seesaw to their class teacher by **Monday at the latest**. If an order is not received it will not be possible to organise a school lunch for the first week back in January. School meals are free for all pupils in Rec, Y1 and Y2 and £2.40 for all other pupils.

**Christmas Dinner** is being served on **Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> December** please send in £2.40 if you have ordered but not already paid for your child's meal.

### Our Mission Statement

**'Let Your Light Shine To All'**

**(John Wesley)**

Through exciting opportunities in lessons and the wider curriculum our children become well rounded, caring change makers in our world. Each child is at the heart of all we do, to ensure they become the best they can be and are meant to be.

### PSHE/RSE - Website

Can you please take a look at our website, under the curriculum link scroll to PSHE. We have updated teaching of this subject across all classes and it now includes the statutory RSE - relationship and sex education. If you have any queries after reading the documents we will be more than happy to discuss it with you in school or email Mrs Tyrer.

### PE Days

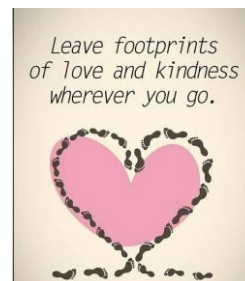
**No PE this week**

### Primary School Applications

The LCC website for Primary admissions is now open. The closing date is **Friday 15<sup>th</sup> January**. If you have a child or know anybody with a child due to start school in September 2021 please pass on the important information.  
[WWW.LANCASHIRE.GOV.UK/SCHOOLS](http://WWW.LANCASHIRE.GOV.UK/SCHOOLS)

### Christian Value

This half term our Christian Value is **Love and Kindness:-**



**Our Values** - *Love, Respect, Hope, Forgiveness, Trust, Perseverance.*