

Burscough Bridge News



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Star Awards Christian Value Awards



Well Done!



Diary Dates

10th Dec Christmas Fair
13th Dec Play Performance afternoon
14th Dec Play Performance evening
15th Dec Christmas Breakfast
16th Dec Party Afternoon
17th Dec Christingle
17th Dec School Closes 1.10pm
4th Jan School re-opens
11th Feb School Closes Half Term
21st Feb School Reopens
1st April School Closes 1.10pm

Christmas Fair - Friday 10th December

Our Christmas Fair this year is on Friday 10th December starting at 3.15pm. As always we will have a great selection of stalls and games. If anybody is able to bake cakes for the cake stall, help with the many jobs prior to the day and on the day itself please see Mrs Parkin in the office or a member of the PTFA. Can you please return any tickets you have sold and also any unsold tickets as they all need to be accounted for. If you are able to sell more tickets please contact school as we have spares. Please try to support the PTFA with their fundraising as they work very hard to provide extra funds for school.



After School Activity Clubs

Can we please remind everybody that it is essential to pre-book and pay for a place at Activity Clubs. As you are aware the running of the activity clubs depends on us being able to staff it correctly and to ensure we have the right number of pupils to make it financially viable. The January Clubs will start again on Tuesday 4th. Attached to this Newsletter is a booking form. We will need the completed form and full payment by Thursday 16th December at the latest.

Food Bank

Since opening, the Food Bank has proved to be a much needed resource in the local community and we are really proud to be able to support them and we want to thank you for your generosity. They are always extremely grateful for our donations. If you are able to spare any non-perishable food items and possibly some Christmas treats too, the basket will be by the garden gate in the Junior yard every morning to put them in. Thank you to all the families who continue to donate. It is very much appreciated.

You've got to be in it to win it!

Please support our School Lottery. The next draw is this weekend. Please follow the link then search for Burscough Bridge Methodist School.

<https://www.yourschoollottery.co.uk>

PE Days

On PE days please can you make sure your child comes to school in their PE kit.

Please note PE kit consists of white T-shirt, black or navy shorts, school sweatshirts, dark coloured trainers and dark coloured joggers on colder days.

Long hair must be tied up and if your child has their ears pierced can you please ensure they do not wear earrings on PE day or if necessary they are covered with plasters.

Infants - Tuesday & Thursday.

Y3&4 - Wednesday, Thursday & Friday.

Y5&6 - Wednesday, Thursday & Friday.

Attendance and Punctuality

Can all parents please make sure pupils arrive by 8.45am so children are on time for registration every day, as arriving late disrupts the whole class and the children miss out on an important part of school life.

If your child is absent for any reason it is important to ensure you phone school by 9.15am at the latest.

Primary School Applications

The closing date to apply for a primary school place is Saturday 15th January 2022. Please use the link to apply.

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Christian Value

This half term our Christian Value is
Love:-



Peace Proms

The organisers of the Peace Proms have contacted us following the latest Government advice regarding Coronavirus. They have decided that to minimise contact between large groups of people, the workshops which are normally in person are now going to be held virtually. Please read the following extract from the email regarding ticket sales.

'PLEASE NOTE: We have suspended the release of tickets until we have more clarity and certainty. We are currently liaising with all our venues as well as Government Departments and doing everything possible to ensure concerts can go ahead however, the high incidence of Covid-19 among school children and their parents and the new Covid-19 variant are causing concern and in the interest of safety we will only proceed with concerts if legislation allows; if public health guidelines clearly indicate that it is safe to do so; if additional safety measures necessary for choirs are not cost prohibitive or logistically unmanageable; if we have adequate uptake from schools; and if we can operate at full capacity

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.

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