Burscough Bridge News



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Chair of Govs Rev Michael Tindsley

Star Awa<u>rds & Christian Value Awards</u>





Macmillan Coffee Morning

Thank you to everybody who came, supported and donated cakes for the Macmillan Coffee Morning on Friday. The children in Y5&Y6 worked very hard and we raised a fantastic £253.15.







Thank you!

Diary Dates

16th Oct Clothes Collection

19th Oct School Disco

20th Oct Half Term Holiday

31st Oct School Reopens

31st Oct High School Applications close

2nd & 3rd Nov Bikeabilioty Y5

6th Nov Cake Sale

7th Nov Flu Vaccinations

14th Nov Rebuild With Hope Sale

22nd Dec End of term 1.10pm

Primary and Secondary School **Applications**

The LCC website for Primary and Secondary School admissions is now open. The closing dates to apply are 31st October for Secondary Places and 15th January for Primary Places. If you have a child or know anybody with a child due to start school in September please pass on this important information.

WWW.LANCASHIRE.GOV.UK/SCHOOLS

Harvest Festival

It was lovely to welcome so many parents to our Harvest Celebration this morning. Thank you for all your donations for the Food Bank which were collected by their representatives during the service today.



Clothes Recycling

On Monday 16th Oct we are collecting clothes to be recycled. Bags have been sent home today if you need more please call in to the school office. Please bring in any unwanted clothes, shoes and coats to help us to raise funds for school. We can only accept bags of clothes on the day as storage is limited.

Cake Sale

On Monday 6th November Mrs Robinson our School Governor has arranged a cake sale to raise funds for School. More information will be on the Newsletter in the coming weeks.

Help for Families

Food Bank The Church runs a Foodbank on Thursdays from 10am-12pm. They offer a number of ways to help people in need and are very welcoming. They also have a clothes and baby bank with many items that are new and nearly new. Should you find yourself in need please call in to Church on Thursday morning or you can speak to Mrs Parkin or Mrs Tyrer in confidence, we will be able to arrange for you to visit the Foodbank. Throughout the Borough there are many ways to access help, a warm space or free internet access. The links below offer useful help and advice:-

Lancashire County Council have a range of ways to help families during these hard times. Please use the link below to access the advice and services they are offering https://www.lancashire.gov.uk/health-and-social-care/cost-of-living/

Breakfast and After School Club

It is really important that all bookings are made 24hrs in advance using the School Money App for Breakfast and After School Club. This will ensure we have the correct staffing and it continues to be financially viable.

Parking

To keep everybody safe and to allow access for staff and visitors there is NO PARKING allowed on the Church car park at any time.



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.

Attendance and Punctuality

Arriving late really impacts the children as they miss out on a vital part of the school day. Please can you make sure pupils arrive by **8.40am** so children are on time for registration at 8.45am. If your child is absent you can email Mrs Parkin and Mrs Tyrer, please do not contact the class teachers.

If your child is absent it is important to ensure you contact us by 9.15am.

Please try to avoid unnecessary days off
Attendance=Achievement

New Phone Numbers & Change of Address

If you change your phone number or email address can you please make sure you update your contacts with Mrs Parkin in the office. Similarly if you move house. It is really important that we have the most up to date information should we need to contact you if we have an emergency.

Boxercise

After half term we will be offering Boxercise as an after school club. This is a really fun activity run by a qualified sports coach. More information will be sent home this week.

Counselling West Lancs

A funded service providing mental health and well-being services to people and families in West Lancashire. You can contact them by email counsellingwestlancs@gmail.com or via Facebook Counselling West Lancs CIC.

<u>Chrisitian Value</u>

This half term our Christian Value is:-Respect

IT IS MUTUAL RESPECT
WHICH MAKES
FRIENDSHIP LASTING

JOHN HEROT STEPMEN
PICTORIS BERTFIL LAST.