



Briercliffe Primary School Weekly Newsletter

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Headteacher's Message

It is hard to believe we are already at the end of the first half term of the school year. The children have made a great start to their learning and I know teachers are looking forward to sharing their good work with you at parents' evening. Keep your eye on our Scopay after half term to book in a slot.

The Life Education Bus is visiting school on the first week after the holidays. More information has been included in today's email. There is a parent's slot on Tuesday 29th October at 8.45am and everyone is welcome to attend.

I hope you all have a good half term break. School opens again on Tuesday 29th October.

Miss Ramsbottom 😊

PUPIL NEWS

Thank you so much to all our families for the generous donations for our Harvest collection. The items will be collected by Burnley Together and then distributed in food parcels to families in Burnley.

Well done to all those children who have been recognised for being caring this half term for our school value focus. Our school value focus for next half term is respect.

Could we remind children that mobile phones must not be brought into school or used on school premises. The only exception is for Year 5 or 6 children who may be walking home from school on their own but this MUST be turned off before entering school grounds and MUST NOT be turned on until children are off school premises. Please can we remind parents that school are not responsible for any loss or breakages of phones whilst on school premises.

Thank you to our brilliant PFA for organising the Halloween Discos last night! The children's behaviour was fantastic and lots of fun was had by all! Thank you for all the effort made with costumes! The children looked amazing!

Merit Awards

Congratulations to all our children who were awarded a merit award this week!

Class R1

Grace O'Hara & Myles Hay

Class R2

Aria-Faith O'Brien & Edith Chestney

Class 1SP

Grace Young & Olivia Harrison

Class 1S

Isabella Lord & Charlotte Strutt

Class 2O

Elsie Mitchell & Faye Hartley

Class 2H

Emmie Nicholls and Victory Chimara

Class 3I

Evie Halliday & George Mason

Class 3C

Elsie Cawtherley & Dougie Marples

Class 4G

Hiba Khan & Lizzie Berger

Class 4L

Lucy Gardner & Lucy Wallbank

Class 5S

Kiril Topchyi & Oscar Astin

Class 5W

Minsa Uppal & Mohammad Asif

Class 6B

All children on a school trip

Class 6S

All children on a school trip

DATES FOR THE DIARY

Tuesday 29th October
School reopens at 8.45am

W/C 29th October
Life Education Bus

Thursday 7th November
Parents' Evening 3.30pm – 6.30pm

Wednesday 13th November
Parents' Evening 3.30pm – 6.30pm

Friday 15th November
Children in Need – more details to follow



More dates can be found on the website calendar

School Value Award - Caring

Congratulations to all our children who were awarded a school value certificate and badge.

Class R1 – Emmeline Hudson

Class R2 – Theo Smith

Class 1SP – Raven Crosby

Class 1S – Poppy Clark

Class 2O – Thea Hargreaves-Spencer

Class 2H – Thomas Haslam

Class 3I – Pearl Rattigan

Class 3C – Inaya Nauman

Class 4G – Harry Dickens

Class 4L – Harry Hudson

Class 5S – Alfie Faulkner

Class 5W – Ben Woods

Class 6B – Hasan Aamir

to be awarded after half term

Class 6S – Sophia Sharman

to be awarded after half term



The new Autumn/Winter lunchtime menu is now available on Scopay. Please take time with your child to order dinners for after half term!



Attendance Matters



Whole School Attendance is **95.1%** National Attendance **95.8%**



mostly due to leave of absence/unauthorised holidays

Year group attendance this year is as follows:

Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
94.5%	98.6%	95.1%	93.9%	93.4%	96.5%	93.9%



Dojo Team Points



The winning team this week, with 430 points are Towneley Park.

Well done!

Places after the first week...

1st - Towneley

2nd - Thompson

3rd - Scott

4th - Queens

Club Information

Year 4 Dodgeball

Mondays 3.30-4.30pm

Year 1 Multiskills

Tuesdays 3.30-4.30pm

Year 5 &6 Athletics

Thursdays 3.30-4.30pm

Reception Multiskills

Fridays 3.30-4.30pm

(More details to follow on Scopay)

This is still running.....get in contact to book a place!

NEW ERA'S TIME FOR YOU

Entry level numeracy program where learners develop a more positive maths mindset. A gentle introduction to maths skills embedded in a range of wellbeing topics/activities.

Progression onto a formal qualification will be encouraged. Wellbeing topics include:

cooking
hobbies
book club
money matters
crafting
healthy me
gardening
1st steps to exercise
stress management

Starts Thursday 19th September 9.30am - 11.30am at Chapel Annexe, Chapel Place. Burnley BB11 1LE

Learners (19+) will be committed to completing a 6 week



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CONTACT US TO BOOK YOUR PLACE ON
01282 435302 OR 07877714693
OR EMAIL INFO@NEWERABURNLEY.CO.UK

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County Council



Children and Family Wellbeing Service Burnley

Autumn Fun

Fun filled session with a variety of activities including face painting

Wednesday 23rd October
10am-12noon

The Chai Centre,
Hurtley Street, BB10 1BY

Activities for children
0-11yrs

Please call us on 01282
470707 to book your
place

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HALLOWEEN PARTY

ARTS & CRAFTS
SPOOKY GAMES & FUN

FRIDAY 25th
OCTOBER
1pm - 3pm

FANCY DRESS
FACE PAINTING

Activities for 0-11yrs

Burnley Wood Family Hub
33 Brunswick Street
Burnley
BB11 3NY

PLEASE CALL 01282 470707
TO BOOK YOUR PLACE

FAMILY HUBS NETWORK BURNLEY

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LANCASHIRE FAMILY HUBS NETWORK BURNLEY

Spook & Sparkle

Arts & crafts

Lotions & potions

Monday 21st October - 2-4pm at The Chai Centre,
Hurtley Street, Burnley, BB10 1BY

Tuesday 22nd October - 10-12noon at Down Town
(above New Look)

Thursday 24th October - 10-12noon at Tay Street Family
Hub, BB11 4BU

Thursday 24th October - 2-4pm at Ightenhill Centre, Oak
Street, BB12 6QZ

Games & fun

Activities for 0-11yrs

PLEASE CALL 01282 470707 TO
BOOK A PLACE

Messy play

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SPOOKY DEN BUILDING

Activities for 0-11yrs

Sensory fun & games, spooky
den building, arts & crafts

Tuesday 22nd October
2 - 4pm

Tay Street Family Hub,
BB11 4BU

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Holiday fun events!



Care, Support, Believe



#ITSOKAYTALK

Coffee Morning Fundraiser

Tuesday 5th November 10.00 till 12.00

New Era Enterprises

Chapel Annexe

Chapel Place

Burnley BB11 1LE



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In work and play, only our best!

