



## Headteacher's Message

We are already half way through this half term, and nearly at the end of January. When February arrives, it feels like spring isn't too far away!

Having said that, it always snows in Burnley in March so please ensure your child still has a coat in school every day!

Our younger children, in Year 1 have, or very soon should be, given information about a new programme called Numbots, which will help them with their numbers and maths. We would encourage the children to use this as much as possible as it leads into the use of TTRs in Yr 2.

Term date for 2026/2027 are attached to today's newsletter email.

Thank you for your continued support!

**Miss Ramsbottom** 😊

## Pupil News

A HUGE well done to our Year 5 and 6 boys' football team who attended the Lancashire Primary Football County finals last Friday in Fleetwood. The boys were amazing in their sportsmanship, their effort and their skill resulting in them coming third overall in the competition. SO, we are officially the 3<sup>rd</sup> best primary school football team in Lancashire! Thank you to everyone who made the event such a success, especially to Mr Chesworth for coaching and supporting the boys.

## Merit Awards

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

**Class R1**

**Henry Graham & Myla Barker**

**Class R2**

**Maya Parkinson & Brodi Metcalfe**

**Class 1SP**

**Meer Hadi & Gracie Belloguet**

**Class 1S**

**Bodhi Lane & Edith Chestney**

**Class 2O**

**Jean Sylva & Isabella Lord**

**Class 2S**

**Oscar Campbell & Freddie McGlynn**

**Class 3B**

**Hallie Macro & Robin Graham**

**Class 3C**

**Darcie Snaith & Elsie Mitchell**

**Class 4G**

**Emily Carlton & Hadley Blackburn**

**Class 4H**

**Reeva Astin & Inaya Nauman**

**Class 5L**

**Dexter Heyworth & Taylor South**

**Class 5W**

**Lucy Wallbank & Lucie Boyle**

**Class 6B**

**Tilly-Rose Taylor & Tai O'Brien**

**Class 6H**

**Mohammad Yusha & Oakley Dale**

## **DATES FOR THE DIARY**

**Friday 13<sup>th</sup> February 3.30pm**

School Closes for Half Term

**Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> February**

Valentines' Disco – more details to follow

**Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> February 8.45am**

School Opens

**Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> March 3.30pm-6.30pm**

Parents' Evening

**Friday 6<sup>th</sup> March**

World Book Day – more details to follow!

**Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> March 3.30pm-6.30pm**

Parents' Evening

**Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> March 5.15pm**

Whitehough Meeting for Year 6 parents and children

More dates can be found on the website calendar



## **School Value Award - Honesty**

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

**Class R1 – Charlotte Loftus**

**Class R2 – Lucie-Mae Moat**

**Class 1SP – Ivy-Mae Hughes**

**Class 1S – Harry Jones**

**Class 2O – Harley Howarth**

**Class 2S – Lily-Rose Bebb**

**Class 3B – Thea Lord**

**Class 3C – Harrison Schofield**

**Class 4G – Ranewa Merafe**

**Class 4H – Chael Dickinson**

**Class 5L – Lola Wadsworth**

**Class 5W – Lyla Metcalfe**

**Class 6B – Joseph Harris**

**Class 6H – Thomas Marsden**



## **Club Information**

Reception Multi Skills  
Tuesdays 3.30-4.30pm

Rec-Year 6 Rock Steady  
Wednesday afternoons

Year 4 & 5 Dance  
Fridays 8.30am

Year 4, 5 & 6 Choir  
Fridays 12.50pm

Year 1 Football  
Fridays 3.30-4.30pm

## **DoJo Team Points**



The joint winning team this week, with 375 points is Scott Park.

Running order....

1st Scott

Joint 2nd Queens

Joint 2nd Towneley

3rd Thompson

# Attendance Matters



Whole School **Attendance** 95.7%  
National Primary Attendance 94.7%

Class R1	Class 1SP	Class 2O	Class 3C	Class 4G	Class 5L	Class 6B
94.7%	95.1%	96.5%	96.7%	97.2%	94.6%	96.8%
Class R2	Class 1S	Class 2S	Class 3B	Class 4H	Class 5W	Class 6H
96.6%	94.9%	97.1%	95.5%	94.1%	94.1%	96.1%



Supporting children, young people and families to succeed in Lancashire



<https://www.lancashire.gov.uk/children-education-families/family-hubs/>

More services and information

## [Bump, birth and beyond](#)

Information to help you prepare for the birth of your baby and find out about life after your baby is born.

## [Parenting support](#)

Where to find support for your family.

## [Arguments in parental relationships](#)

Free local and online relationship courses for parents in Lancashire.

## [Stay safe guidance when attending a club, activity or service](#)

Advice to keep young people safe when attending a club or activity or using a service.



# Burnley Together

Get In Touch:

01282 686402 [contact@burnleytogether.org.uk](mailto:contact@burnleytogether.org.uk)

## How We Can Help?

**Burnley Together is a partnership of local organisations offering a variety of services to our local community. We provide a variety of free information, support and guidance to communities across Burnley and Padiham. If you aren't sure who to turn to, we can help.**

<https://burnleytogether.org.uk/our-services/>

**Support with essentials (cost of living)**

**Housing**

**Help with bills & money advice**

**Emotional Health & Wellbeing**

Are you looking for information, advice or guidance?

If so please call The Burnley Together Hub at Down Town on **01282 686402** or email - **[contact@burnleytogether.org.uk](mailto:contact@burnleytogether.org.uk)**

Our phone lines will open from 10am-4pm, Mon-Fri.



# Wrap Around Club

for children aged 4-11

We accept childcare vouchers and Tax Free Childcare!

**PALS wrap around care club is at:  
BRIERCLIFFE PRIMARY SCHOOL.**

### Before School

7:30am - 8:50am = £6.50

8:30am - 8:50am = £3.00

**INCLUDES BREAKFAST**

  
**Ofsted  
Registered**

### After School

3:30pm - 5:45pm = £9.50

3:30pm - 4:00pm = £3.25

4:30pm - 5:45pm = £7.00

**INCLUDES SNACK**

**ACTIVITIES INCLUDE: FUN MULTI-SPORTS ACTIVITIES, LEGO WORKSHOPS, CRAZY STEM ACTIVITIES, ERUPTING VOLCANOES, ARTS AND CRAFTS, BAKING, PLUS MUCH MORE!**

**COMPETITION worth £100!**

**Register your child's details below and we will pick one lucky winner to receive £100 worth of PALS vouchers.**

## How to book;

Click or visit;

<https://pals.ipalbookings.com>

Click or scan here



Need help with your booking or have a question? Please contact us;



[support@playandlearnscheme.com](mailto:support@playandlearnscheme.com)



**07930 924993**