

# BURTON BRADSTOCK CE PRIMARY SCHOOL



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Dear Parents/Carers,

**Pyjama/Onesie/Loungewear Day** - How wonderful the children looked yesterday! Eva and her family pass on their thanks for taking part in this fundraising event and will let us know how much was raised shortly.

**Parent Consultations** - We hope that you will be able to meet your child's class teacher next week at the consultations. It is such an important time to share your child's successes in school and the next stages in their learning. The children's work will also be available for you to look through together (outside the classroom or in the library for Classes 3 and 4) either before or after your consultation.

**Friends' Meeting** - This will be taking place in school on Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> February at 6.30pm. The meeting will be to finalise arrangements for the Jumble Sale that is taking place on Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> February. If you are unable to attend the meeting but can help out at the Jumble Sale please let a member of the Friends know so that you can be added to the list.

**Traffic Safety** - As you are aware the roads around the school become very congested during the start and end of the school day. For safety reasons a number of systems have been put in place including parents/carers not driving down beyond Darby Lane, drivers following a one way system (see below) and slowing speeds right down. These systems will only be effective if everyone abides by them and works together, therefore it is hoped that you will support us as we endeavour to keep everyone safe.

**MLT Celebration Concert** - A number of the children are involved in the concert which is taking place at Freshwater on Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> February. Due to fire regulations ticket numbers are limited and entrance is by ticket only.

**World Book Day** - This takes place on Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> March and the children will be taking part in different book activities within the classroom and receiving their World Book Token. To get into the spirit of things the children may also come into school dressed up as their favourite book character if they wish. At the end of the day Usborne Books will be having a book stall in the hall should you wish to purchase a book. The book tokens can be used towards the cost of a book.



**Digital Photography Archaeology Club** - We still have a few places available at this club which starts after half term. The club takes place on Wednesdays for an hour after school and costs £24. Please speak to a member of staff if your child is interested in joining.

**Hot School Meals** - Please ensure that all orders for meals for next half term are in the office by Thursday. Alternatively you can order online after this date.

**Good Work Assembly** - This week's Good Work Assembly was very well led by Bethany and Rio.

The children in Sails class have been celebrating Chinese New Year and told us some interesting facts they had learnt and showed their lovely blossom paintings.

The children in the Boats class have learning about 2D shapes in their Maths and explained their properties to us.

Yew Guided Reading Group in Class 3 have been learning a poem which they recited for us.

Class 4 have been doing some work on communication as part of the Edge. They told us about non-verbal communication and it was fun trying to guess their freeze-frames.

Finally, Jaxon showed his swimming certificate, Courtney shared her gymnastic certificate and we congratulated Scott, Jaydon, Chloe and Grace on achieving their times tables challenges. Well done, everyone!

There will be no Good Work Assembly next week. The next one will be on Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> March.

**Tots and Prams Service** - There will be a service at St Mary's Church on Friday 10<sup>th</sup> February at 2.15pm. All pre-school children, babies and bumps welcome with parents/carers.

**Half Term** - School will close on Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> February at 3.20pm for half term. Children will return to school on Monday 20<sup>th</sup> February for the second half of the Spring term.

Yours sincerely,

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