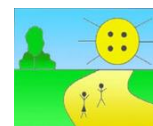


BUTTON LANE NEWS



Friday 28th September 2018

BBC World Music Day

What a lovely morning we had celebrating BBC Music Day! We had lots of singing and instrument playing whilst entertaining the parents and carers who attended our Macmillan Coffee Morning.

Forest School

This week Miss Hudson-Jones started our Forest School sessions with children in Reception. They made good use of our beautiful grounds and enjoyed learning outdoors.

Sweden

We have made a link with a number of schools in Sweden. Some of our staff will be visiting Sweden in the October half term to look at the good practice that they use to enhance learning outdoors which we hope to incorporate at Button Lane. This is an ongoing link and staff will be visiting Sweden a number of times, please look out for updates on our International Page on the school website (coming soon).

Class	Good Work	Class	Good Work
Palm Tree	Tony – A super improvement in his behaviour and attitude to school.	3KB	Nathaniel – Fantastic writing.
Willow Tree	Alexander – Super reading and writing.	3SP	Payton – Extremely helpful with other children and adults.
1CH	Maddox – Changing his reading book every day in Year 1.	4DB	Payton – Excellent maths work, making a fantastic effort and beautifully presented work.
1MG	Josh – Counting and knowing numbers – can use more and fewer.	4EM	Naomi – Positive attitude to all her work.
1MH	Nevaeh – Using phase 2 phonics knowledge in English.	5AC	Ruby – Always working hard and producing great work.
2AW	Lewis – Fantastic writing using finger spaces.	5CE	Lexi – Correcting errors in maths and completing STAR markings.
2NT	Freya – Excellent writing, sounding out using phonics and neat handwriting.	6TP	Kiearna – Doing the right thing, working hard with her behaviour. Great start to Year 6.
3AG	Summer – Working on speeding up with her work to get work done.		

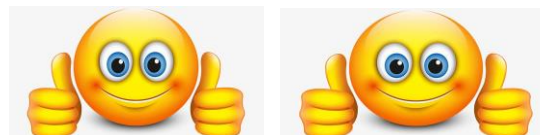
Macmillan Coffee Morning

We held our annual Macmillan coffee morning today. Thank you to everyone who baked and donated cakes and to everyone who joined us for a brew and a piece of cake, it was a lovely morning.



Attendance Fact

We currently have 334 students that have 100% attendance so far this year, well done, keep it up!



Ghyll Head

There are still a few places available on our 5 day Ghyll Head residential visit for our Year 5 and 6 pupils. The visit will take place from the 11th February – 15th February. The total cost is £150, a £50 deposit secures your place and is payable on ParentPay or at the school office. These places are allocated on a first come first serve basis and are going fast so don't miss out! Please bring your signed permission slip to the office.

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Dates for your diaries

4th October – 4EM assembly

10th October – Children's Health and Monitoring Programme (CHAMP) and the National Child Measurement Programme (NCMP)

11th October – Flu vaccines – Reception to Year 5

11th October – PROUD assembly

18th October – Harvest Celebration

22nd – 26th – Half Term

Parent Governor

Your child came home with a parent governor nomination form this week. We currently have 2 parent governor vacancies. Completed nomination forms need to be handed no later than Friday 12th October 2018.

MHA Open Evening

Manchester Health Academy are holding their annual open evening on Thursday 11th October, 5.30pm – 8.00pm. Year 5 and 6 children are invited to go and see what MHA is all about, meet the staff and students and tour the brand-new building.



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Attendance

Our theme for attendance this year is: Over the Rainbow

This week the school has a weekly percentage of 95.9%, can we please all make an extra effort next week to get this back to 97% or above.

The top class this week was 1CH with an amazing 100%, well done!

The year to date attendance is 97.5%



Reporting Absence

If your child is going to be absent please inform the school on the first day of absence. You can leave a message on the school answer phone or with the office staff on 945 1965 or you can send a text message to the school mobile the number is: 07599954928. Please note you cannot ring this number and we will not use this number to ring you.

If we do not receive communication regarding a child's absence it will be recorded in the register as an unauthorised absence. 5 unauthorised register marks can result in a penalty notice being issued by the local authority.



Need Support?...some useful numbers

Women's Domestic Violence - 0161 636 7525

Men's Domestic Violence Helpline - 0808 80100327

NSPCC 24 hour free phone service - 0800 800 500

Childline - 0800 1111

Police (if not urgent) 101 Women's aid 0161 660 7999

Safeguarding Children

Every week we put on our newsletter the number for Social Services: 0161 234 5001. If you are ever concerned about any child please report it to Mrs Jones.

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