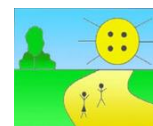


# BUTTON LANE NEWS



Friday 7<sup>th</sup> December 2018

## What a busy week we have had!

Key Stage 1 went to the Forum to watch the Aladdin Pantomime, they had a fantastic time! Thank you to Glynn Evans for giving the school free tickets for this.

Thank you to everyone who came and supported our Christmas Fayre, it was so busy and everyone had such a good time. We will let you know how much was raised as soon as all the money has been counted.

A huge thank you to Mrs Jones and the FOBL for all their hard work and dedication, we are so lucky to have you!

Our School Choir has been out in the local area this week entertaining the general public at Tesco Baguley and the Woodhouse Park Lifestyle Centre. We received a lovely letter from a lady who saw our choir singing in Tesco and she wrote how the children's singing "brought a smile to her face and lifted her heart and spirits".

Class	Good Work	Class	Good Work
Palm Tree	Avie – For kind sharing and beautiful manners.	3KB	Fabian – Trying to add more detail to his paragraphs.
Willow Tree	Mali – Trying hard with her handwriting.	3SP	Charlie – For a superb attitude to his work.
1CH	Heidi – Always giving 100% in everything she does, she's a valued member of 1CH.	4DB	All of 4DB for excellent behaviour when visiting the MOSI.
1MG	Poppy – For taking part in P.E and other activities.	4EM	Isabel – For writing an excellent detailed plan.
1MH	Samreen – Improved handwriting and using time adverbs when writing instructions.	5AC	Lucas – Turning round his behaviour since September and working hard in class with Miss Owen.
2AW	Evie – For making a super effort to improve her writing.	5CE	Summer – Settling in fantastically to our class.
2NT	Leighton – Excellent maths skills and showing a great attitude to his work.	6SG	Nasra – A fantastic attitude to all of her work.
3AG	Ryan – A fabulous non-chronological report about the Iron Man.	6TP	Courtney – Growing in confidence in her maths work.

## Sports News

We played 2 teams in a football tournament at MHA on Tuesday.

Our A team won 3 games out of 3  
and our B team won 1, drew 1 and lost 1

At the moment our A team are top of the MHA league and our B team are 2nd in the league. Well done to both teams, a fantastic achievement!



12 girls went to old Trafford to turn on the Christmas lights, the girls had a fantastic time and even met Casey Stoney, the Manchester United Women's Team Manager.

Our tennis team finished 7 in the Manchester Tennis Finals, they were fantastic, well done!



## Christingle

We are so pleased to announce that our annual Christingle is being held at St Michael's Church this year. The date for this is to be confirmed, but will be at 6.00pm in the last week of term. This is one of our favourite events in the Christmas calendar and we do hope you will come and join us, everyone is welcome!



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## Dates for your diaries

### December

- 10<sup>th</sup> December – Reception nativity dress rehearsal –  
Parents with young children welcome – 1.30pm
- 11<sup>th</sup> December – Reception nativity – 9.00am & 1pm –  
Adults only
- 12<sup>th</sup> December – Key stage 1 nativity dress rehearsal –  
Parents with young children welcome – 9.00am
- 13<sup>th</sup> December – Key stage 1 nativity – Year 1 parents –  
9.00am
- 13<sup>th</sup> December – Nursey Christmas Sing – 1.45pm
- 14<sup>th</sup> December - Key stage 1 nativity – Year 2 parents – 1pm
- 14<sup>th</sup> December – Christmas Pantomime
- 19<sup>th</sup> December – Christmas party day
- 20<sup>th</sup> December – Christmas jumper day
- 20<sup>th</sup> December – Christmas dinner
- 20<sup>th</sup> December - Key stage 2 Carols round the tree concert –  
9.00am
- 21<sup>st</sup> December – Music and dance showcase – 9.00am
- 21<sup>st</sup> December – Community Carols in the gazebo – 2.50pm



### Free Course

We are holding a free course for parents and carers called “Understanding Children’s Behaviour”. It is a 6 week course and will be on a Thursday morning 9.00am – 11.00am in the Parent Room at Button Lane, 10<sup>th</sup> January – 14<sup>th</sup> February. This is a fantastic opportunity, if you would like to book a place, please go to the school office to register.

### Safety

To ensure the safety of our children, please **do not** drive down the school drive to drop off or pick up your child, before, after or during the school day. This route is used by our children and our priority is to ensure their safety.

### Attendance

Our theme for attendance this year is:  
Over the Rainbow

**This week the school has a weekly percentage of 95.8%, this is well below our school target of 97%, lets improve this next week!**

**The top class this week was 1CH with 98.8%**

**The year to date attendance is 96.5%.**



### 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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