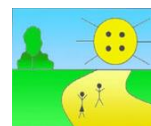


BUTTON LANE NEWS

Friday 24th October 2019



Enjoy the break!

I think you will all agree that we have had a fantastic start to the new academic year, the children have settled back into school life and their new classes and we have been so busy. Thank you for your ongoing support. Enjoy the half term break and we look forward to welcoming you back to school on Monday 4th November.

Class	Good Work	Class	Good Work
Palm Tree	Marlee – Writing her name in Hindi and working hard on her Divali card.	3P	Mohamed – Working hard on a piece of RE work.
Willow Tree	Oliver – For super talking about his special bag.	4D	Chloe – Working very hard in maths.
1G	Lilly-Grace – Trying hard at all her work and helping the teachers with their jobs.	4DB	Jamie – Working hard and being an excellent role model.
1M	Bruno – Always trying his best and never giving up. Well done!	4M	Leo – For superb effort and attitude to work.
2A	Kaelon – Excellent work in column addition.	5E	Lerone – For a great improvement in his behaviour and choosing to do the right thing.
2H	Lottie – Always giving 100% and being a superstar, we will miss her.	5M	Jessica – For her effort in class and for always helping others.
2W	James – Sharing his knowledge of children's rights.	6F	Keeva – A fantastic explanation text.
3B	Riley – Lots of enthusiasm in our class assembly and helping other children with their lines.	6G	Kyle – Making a huge effort to improve his handwriting and presentation.



We had two lovely harvest festival services yesterday. All of key stage 1 and 2 went to St Michael's church for their service, which was delivered by Reverend Caroline. The children sang songs and read their class prayers. It was lovely to see so many parents/carers and family members at the church.

Nursery and Reception held their harvest festival in the school hall, they sang beautifully for us. The hall was packed with family members.

Thank you for your generous donations. We had bags full of food that was collected by Wythenshawe Foodbank, there was so much we filled the van! The foodbank are going to let us know the weight of our donations in a few weeks, we will let you know as soon they have informed us.

Sports News

The girl's football team went to Manchester Health Academy to play in a tournament on Tuesday. They played 4 games; won 3 and drew 1. We remain unbeaten in the league, well done girls, a fantastic achievement!



Today some children took part in a cross country competition. Overall, our boys and girls teams both came first. A special mention for Kadira and Reis who came first in their races. Congratulations to everyone who took part.

Aldi's Kit for Schools

Thank you so much to everyone who brought the Aldi stickers into school. We have now completed our **second** poster and will receive another school sports kit! We are going to carry on with the challenge and try and complete 2 more posters before the deadline of the 18th November. We would very much appreciate it if you could continue supporting us by sending the stickers into school.

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Dates for your diaries



Thursday 24th October – Last day in School

Friday 25th October – Teacher training day

Monday 28th October – Friday 1st November – Half Term



Monday 4th November – Back to school

Wednesday 6th November – Years 3 and 4 Autumn Disco

Thursday 7th November – Outdoor Classroom Day

Week beginning 11th November – Anti-Bullying Week

Thursday 14th November – World Diabetes Day

Friday 15th November – Whole school open morning

Thursday 21st November – 6G class assembly

Friday 22nd November – Teacher training day

Thursday 28th November – 6F class assembly

Times Table of the Week

Our times table of the week is:

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Outdoor Classroom Day

We will be taking part in Outdoor Classroom Day again this year on Thursday 7th November. Children can come to school dressed in their own clothes that are suitable for outdoor learning, we will be outside no matter the weather.



JDRF

Calling all superheroes! World Diabetes Day is on Thursday 14th November, we are asking children to pay £1 and come to school dressed as their favourite superhero to raise money for our chosen charity JDRF. This is our last fundraising event for JDRF before we choose a new charity to support. Please bring any suggestions for a new charity to the school office. Thank you for your support.



Community News

Royal British Legion

The Royal British Legion are holding their annual Poppy Run in Manchester on Saturday 26th October at 11am at Heaton Park. The run is 5km (3 miles) and can be done as a walk, jog or run and is open to all members of the family including dogs!



Breakfast Club

St Michael's Community Hall are offering a free breakfast club for children and parents over the October half term.

It is taking place on Monday 28th, Tuesday 29th, Wednesday 20th and Thursday 31st October, 10am – 11.30am at St Michael's Community Hall, everyone is welcome.

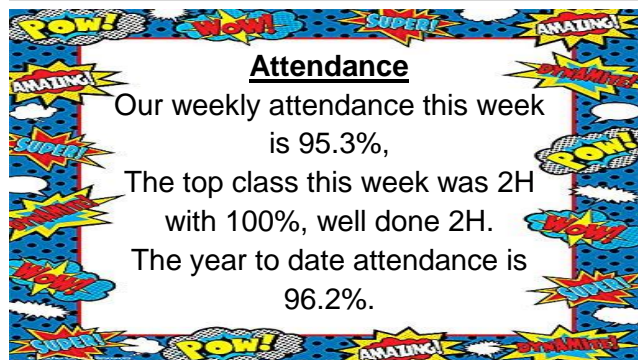


Attendance

Our weekly attendance this week is 95.3%,

The top class this week was 2H with 100%, well done 2H.

The year to date attendance is 96.2%.



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 or you can fill in the absence reporting section on Parent App. 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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