



Burford Primary School

'Respect, Aspire, Achieve'

Newsletter

Friday 20th September 2024

Dear Parents/ Carers

I would like to say how well all the children have settled into this new academic year. The atmosphere around school is very positive – it's so lovely to see the children happy, playing and enjoying their learning. The children are demonstrating "Burford Best".

Arrangements have now been confirmed with **Burford Church** for our **Harvest Festival** to be held there on **Thursday 3rd October at 2.30 p.m.** All children will be attending including Nursery children. Parents/carers can then collect their children from the Church after the service at 3.00/3.10 p.m. If you have pre-booked your child into afterschool club, then they will walk back to school with our staff members. We would ask you please to support the charity Besom in Witney and bring in non-perishable goods either to the school in the morning or direct to the Church in the afternoon.

Besom Food Packs:-

Provide clients with regular food packs, assembled by our team from donated food items. We can't accept any perishable food but we welcome any donations of tinned foodstuff, dry foods (e.g. rice or pasta) and day-to-day provisions such as jam, tea or instant coffee, ideally with a long expiry date.

Toiletries

We also provide some clients with donated supplies of essential personal toiletry items such as toothpaste, deodorant, shower gel, shampoo, sanitary supplies. Even toilet rolls are much in need.



Date for your diary - Parent forum - Thursday 17th October 2.30pm in the hall.

Come along to ask questions share comments or concerns - with both Mrs Veeder and Mrs Docherty

Your child's teacher should be the first point of contact should you wish to raise anything. Each class has an email address so that you can contact your child's teacher direct:

Warwick – Mrs Docherty – warwick@burford-pri.oxon.sch.uk

Windrush – Mrs Beaney - windrush@burford-pri.oxon.sch.uk

Tolsey – Miss Gore – tolsey@burford-pri.oxon.sch.uk

Wysdom – Mr Lillie – wysdom@burford-pri.oxon.sch.uk

Priory – Ms Brown – priory@burford-pri.oxon.sch.uk

My door is always open and if you would like to book a meeting, please contact the school office.

Happy Friday everyone – enjoy the weekend.

Rachel Veeder, Executive Headteacher

Burford Best

Each week we will be giving out certificates to a child in each class who have been 'Burford Best'

Last week they were:-

Warwick Class – Isobel Vigano
Windrush Class – Audrey Hawkins-Evans
Tolsey Class – Margot Wilson
Wysdom Class – Rose Keeble
Priory Class – Sophia Gibney

This week they are:-

Warwick Class – Tommy Owen
Windrush Class - Kobe Fletcher
Tolsey Class – Anthony Radzinski
Wysdom Class – Phoebe McCracken
Priory Class – Martha Edwards

Gardening Club

We still have space if your child would like to join in Ms Brown's gardening club on Wednesday's afterschool. Please see Mrs Clarke in the office.

Should anyone have any spare resources we could use in our gardening club, we would appreciate it. Large planter pots, bags of compost, seeds, plants, etc. A request from the children is for a Christmas tree with roots for them to see it grown and use year after year!