



# Burford Primary School

'Respect, Aspire, Achieve'

## Newsletter

Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> November 2024

School Website <https://www.burfordprimaryschool.org.uk/index.php>

Dear parents/carers



Rags 2 Riches – Thank you so much to all those who donated the bags of clothes.

Not only have they raised **£50.70** for the school, the items will now be sent over to families in Ukraine. Thanks again for all your support.

### Road Safety Week / Brake – 17<sup>th</sup> to 23<sup>rd</sup> November

This week in assemblies, the children have been made aware of the importance of road safety and the devastating effects it has on families and loved ones. This year the campaign has put road victims at the heart of Road Safety Week. We want to raise awareness of the devastating toll of road crashes and celebrate the work of 'Brake' the incredible people who support families after a road death or serious injury. Should you wish to continue discussions with your children and help support the campaign – the website link is <https://www.brake.org.uk/road-safety-week>.

Panto time is approaching – all children will be attending Chipping Norton Theatre to see Jack & The Beanstalk on Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> November starting at 10 a.m. Thank you to FoBPS for fundraising through the year to make this an affordable outing.

Christmas is approaching – Father Christmas is coming to Burford – Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> November at the Little Madhatter Emporium – see poster attached.

Parents Evening – Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> and Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> November. If you have not booked your slot, please do so on ScoPay by Monday at midday or pop into the school office and Mrs Clarke will book one for you. Children of Reception children – please pop and see Mrs Clarke as the system is not linking the children to Warwick class to book online, for some reason. All children's books will be available to view in the school hall during the whole of parents evening – this is a change to the system as a response to recent parent feedback. Meetings with the teachers will take place in Tolsey Class.

Mrs Veeder, Executive Head Teacher

# Burford Best

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

Warwick Class – Heidi Leach  
Windrush Class – Remi Richards  
Tolsey Class – Grace Hatton Phillips  
Wysdom Class – Blake Cuthbert  
Priory Class – Henry Lake

This week they are:-  
Warwick Class – Tilly-Mai Stead  
Windrush Class - Lily Rees  
Tolsey Class – Jacob Wiggington  
Wysdom Class – Jessica Cardy  
Priory Class – Evie Pinker

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Lesley has achieved remarkable success on both national and international stages. She proudly represented Great Britain and was the European record holder for the 600 yards.

Lesley's athletic spark was ignited at just 7 years old by a schoolyard race her brother organised, encouraging Lesley to race the fastest girl at school, and she won! This gave her a huge confidence boost and later, after being encouraged by her teachers, Lesley joined her local athletics club and never looked back. The children enjoyed their circuits and Lesley's assembly.

**Thank you all so much in helping your children raise sponsorship money – they raised an amazing amount of **£1084** for the school. This will be spent on new PE/sports equipment for the children.**





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Well done to our hockey team who recently came 3<sup>rd</sup> in the Burford Partnership's U11's girls & boys hockey tournament competition. The school games intents for the Hockey tournament are to develop confidence and competence within physical activity /sport skills and create a positive experience.





