



NEWSLETTER

17th October 2024 Issue 7



Have a very Happy Half Term – please keep yourself rested and safe during the week off school. We always have a very busy half term coming up leading up to Christmas so we will need lots of energy to last the next 8 weeks.

Enjoy the holiday, see you back in a weeks' time!
Mrs Statham (formerly known as Mrs Graves)

“WebSafe”

We are becoming a WebSafe school. This is a great new initiative, all to do with safe use of the internet using a visual footprint and a mnemonic as a reminder

Safe, Appropriate, Friendly, Educational

It is not an add on to the curriculum just a way to keep internet safety at the forefront of everyone's mind, immersing the children and parents little by little. The footprint logo will be added to our letter footer, all children and staff will get postcards to take home

More information will follow after half term

UNICEF: We have recently developed a UNICEF suggestion box designed by the children linked to the Rights of the Child. They have sorted the suggestions into two piles and shared the reasonable suggestions with Mrs Statham this week. They prioritised the suggestions and had a meeting together to then plan to action them

Article 12 Every child has the right to have a say in all matters affecting them, and to have their views taken seriously.



Harvest Assembly: Thank you to everyone for your generous donations for Porch Boxes at our Harvest Assembly Celebration. It was wonderful to see so many parents/carers.



Pupil Voice Y4

“I love the learning that we do at Cams Lane – my favourite lesson is maths.”

“I really like the art we do in class – the collage work has been good fun.”

“The teachers have been a great help this year and every year.”



Volunteer Helpers Needed for the Halloween Disco: please email FCL if you can help out at the Halloween disco on Wednesday 30th October - fcl@camslane.bury.sch.uk **SEE POSTER ON THE LAST PAGE**



A reminder that children can come to school in non-uniform on their birthday



Staffing: In Reception, after half term, Miss Holden will be working Monday to Thursdays as class teacher. On Fridays there will be another member of the school team being the class teacher – this will be confirmed after half term.

Cams Lane In The Community

Carol Concert: - St Phillips Community Centre invite all families to attend a Carol Concert on Monday, 16th December at 7pm.

Parking outside school: Please ensure you are parking sensibly and putting the safety of all our pupils and families as your first priority.

FCL (Friends of Cams Lane)



Christmas Fair Planning Meeting: Thursday, 7th November at 3.30pm. Everyone welcome!

We have a limited number of stalls available at our Christmas fair on Friday 6th December. Stall holders are charged a £20 flat fee and invited to make an optional prize donation to the raffle. If you are interested in a stall, please email fcl@camslane.bury.sch.uk to enquire about availability.

Clothing & Uniform Donations – Thrift Shop: FCL are trialling a clothing & uniform thrift shop that will run each half term to sell second-hand clothing & uniform at a low cost to support families with the rising cost of living. Please bring any suitable donations to the school office.

ASDA – Cashpot For Schools – 44 DAYS LEFT!



Thank you to everyone who has already downloaded the Asda Rewards app and linked it to Cams Lane. We've raised an amazing **£434.12** already! The campaign runs until 30th Nov so there's still time to download the use the app. School will benefit every time you shop, and Asda donate £1 every time someone opts in to support Cams Lane so it's worth downloading the app even if you don't regularly shop at Asda. Please share with friends and family who may want to support school too!






Halloween Disco: Reception, Y1 & Y2 5-6pm Years 3,4,5 & 6.30pm -7.30pm



ALL RECEPTION CHILDREN MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY 1 ADULT



Diary Dates

Monday 28th October	School Re-Opens
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Wednesday 30 th October	 FCL Halloween Disco, Reception, Y1 & Y2 5-6pm Years 3,4,5 & 6.30pm -7.30pm RECEPTION CHILDREN MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY 1 ADULT 
Thursday 7 th November	 FCL Christmas Fair Planning Meeting 3.30pm in school. Everyone welcome!
Friday 15 th November	Reception Class Vision Screening
Thursday 21 st November	Open Day for Prospective Parents Reception September 2025 10am – 11.30am & 1.30pm – 3pm
Friday 6 th December	FCL Christmas Fair
Thursday 12 th December	FCL Christmas Movie Night  

Out of School Activity Clubs

Monday	Football Skills with Mr Euston	Y3 & Y4	3.15pm - 4.15pm
Tuesday	Multi-Sports with Mr Waddington	Years 2 & 3	3.15pm – 4.15pm
Wednesday	Multi-Sports with Mr Waddington	KS2	3.15pm – 4.15pm
Thursday	Football Teams Radcliffe Borough	Y5 & Y6	3.15pm - 4.30pm

PE Days: Reception, Y1 & Y2 Tuesdays – KS2 Wednesdays

*(Reminder PE kit is dark PE shorts, black or navy, plain white t-shirt, and pumps/trainers.
 KS2 need plain joggers and jumper for winter)*

For further information, please see your class letter.



HOUSEHOLD SUPPORT FUNDING EXTENDED TO MARCH 2025

This week, Bury Council have notified us that this support will be extended to March 2025. This means that eligible families who have successfully applied for Free School Meals will receive supermarket vouchers in the school holidays. Qualifying benefits are listed below. If you think you might be eligible, we don't want you to miss out. Apply in just a few minutes using the guidance below. Decisions are typically made in just a few days so please prioritise it this weekend and if you qualify in time, you will receive vouchers for October half term.

It only takes a few minutes to apply via [Bury Council](#). Contact the school office if you would like any help or guidance – we're very happy to complete the form with you.

Qualifying benefits are:

- Universal Credit - and your earned income is less than £7,400 a year (after tax and not including any benefits you get)
- Income Support
- income-based Job Seekers Allowance
- income-related Employment Support Allowance
- Child Tax Credit, providing you are do not get Working Tax Credit, and your annual gross income is less than £16,190
- Guarantee element of State Pension Credit
- support under part VI of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999



SPOOKY DISCO

£2.50 PER CHILD, RECEPTION PARENTS AND CARERS TO STAY

HOSTED BY FRIENDS OF CAMS LANE
SPOOKY DISCO, GAMES, GLITTER TATTOOS & TREATS

WEDNESDAY 30TH OCTOBER

KS1- 5PM TILL 6PM

KS2- 6.30 TILL 7.30

