



NEWSLETTER

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We shared earlier in the week some sad news with our Year 1 Parents. One of our mums from Year 1 passed away at the weekend. Hannah Fryett (Marley's mum) will be sadly missed. As a school community, we send her family our sincerest condolences, and they are in our thoughts and prayers.

Staffing: We welcome Mr Heaton who is our new sports coach – he has replaced Mr Waddington.

We also said goodbye to Miss Holden who has moved onto pastures new. We wish her all the best. For the post of Reception teacher, we will now start a period of recruitment, and we will keep you informed as soon as we can. Miss Leigh will continue to be the consistent class teacher until a new appointment is confirmed.

New Website: This has now gone live! We hope you like the improvements compared to the old one. Some areas of the website are still in development so please bear with us – any issues please let us know.

Author Visit: We have the author Sean Perkins visiting school next week. He will be reading extracts of his latest book, '*Oscar and Ben - The Sleepover*' to years 1-3 & Reception. This is the third book in the *Oscar and Ben* series. Parents will have the opportunity not only to order signed copies of this latest book but also the two other books in the series. An order form will come home on Friday.

Congratulations!

Golden Book Award: YR: Bobby Y1: Louie Y2: Tina

Y3: Efe Y4: Leighton Y5: Zack Y6: Lottie

Lunchtime awards: Freddy Y2 Louie Y3

Attendance Awards: Y2 98.93% Y4 99.00%

Cams Lane In The Community

Hollybank: During last term, pupils visited our neighbouring care home to enjoy various crafts with the residents. There is an article in the Bury Times about our visits which can be found on the following [link](#).

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

Good Manners: We are having a real push on pupils using good manners at the moment and being rewarded with Spotted tickets. We are encouraging all children to say Please and Thank you and Good Morning. It has been lovely to see how hard all the children are trying.

Follow Up to Parental Questionnaires: Just a reminder if you have any issues you would like to discuss, from comments made on the parental questionnaire, please do make an appointment to come and meet with me. Mrs Statham

Pupil Voice Y5

“I like going on the computers - we have been doing research on the Tudors for history – I like using the computers instead of writing in my book.”

“In maths we are learning about short division – most of the lessons have been ok but some have been easier than I expected.”

PE Kits: Please ensure a full PE indoor and outdoor kit are in school
However when temperatures fall below freezing all PE lessons will be indoors.

Uniform/Footwear: Please remember that school shoes should be worn and NOT trainers. If alternative footwear needs to be worn for a short period of time, please send in an email or letter.

Colder Weather: Please ensure your children are coming to school in the appropriate outer wear as the temperatures outside are dropping below freezing on some days

Mental Health Week: W/C 3rd February: We have a new MHST nurse working with us called Nicole – whilst Amelia is on Maternity Leave.

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

FCL Meeting – Thursday 30th January: Everyone is invited to attend the next FCL meeting at which we'll be planning upcoming fundraising events. The meeting is in school at 3.15pm on Thursday 30th January.

Diary Dates

Thursday 23rd January	School Nurses to talk to Y5
Friday 24th January	Author Sean Perkins Visiting
Monday 27th January	Y1 Parents That Lunch
Thursday 30th January	FCL Meeting In School 3.15pm
Monday 3rd February	Y4 Swimming all week
Monday 3rd February	Y5 Bikeability Monday - Thursday
Monday 10th February	Y5 Swimming all week
Monday 10th February	Safer Internet Week
Monday 10th February	Reception 'Stay & Play' 9am – 10am
Friday 14th February	School Closes 3.15pm
Monday 24th February	School Re-opens

Out of School Activity Clubs

Monday	Football Skills with Mr Euston	Y3 & Y4	3.15pm - 4.15pm
Monday	Construction Club with Mrs Hardman	Y1	3.15pm - 4pm
Tuesday	Multi-Sports with Mr Heaton	Years 2 & 3	3.15pm – 4.15pm
Wednesday	Multi-Sports with Mr Heaton	KS2	3.15pm – 4.15pm
Thursday	Baking Club With Miss Mawdsley	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/hoodie/tracksuit top for winter)