



Buxton Primary School Newsletter

ISSUE 5

31st October 2018

Welcome Back!

Welcome back for the second half of the Autumn term. We have lots of exciting lessons and events planned for this half term, especially with the run up to Christmas.

The teachers have worked hard to prepare the events we have coming up this half term which include our Autumn Disco, Family Learning Day and of course the Christmas performances!

Mr Khan ☺

Change in Governance

At our first meeting of the new academic year, all governors must resign from their designated roles and have an election to reappoint governors into these roles.

This year, Mr Matthew Fruish, our previous year's Chair of Governors, resigned from the Governing Board. He has been a Governor at Buxton Primary School for more than 11 years and the Chair for many of those years. We very much appreciate his years of service at the school and wish him all the best for his endeavours in the future.

The newly appointed Chair of Governors for this year is Mrs Kathryn Curtis and the Vice-Chair, Mrs Alison Moore.

Following Mr Fruish's resignation we have a vacancy on the Governing Board, which will be advertised in The Round.

Parents Evening

Reminder: Parents evening is next week on Wednesday 7th (3 – 5.30pm) and Thursday 8th (5 – 7.30pm) November. Sign up slots are available in the school office and are quickly filling up.

If you are unable to get into school to make an appointment, please ring or e-mail the school office and they will be able to find a suitable time for you. If you have not signed up by the end of

this week, you will be allocated a space and contacted by the school to notify you of the day and time given to you.

School Dinners

We are currently in the process of looking into changing our catering services from Edwards & Blake who have been providing school dinners to the school for over 7 years. This is in order to improve our dinners; I am very keen to make sure the food we provide is of the best possible quality, something the children love and of course good value for money.

This is a process that takes some time and hopefully is something we can have in place by March/April 2019 if all goes to plan.

To help us with this, I will be sending home a letter with your child this week which asks for both your and your child's suggestions about how school dinners can be improved at Buxton Primary. This will be incredibly useful in guiding us with the type of dinners we provide in the future. Please could you fill in the form and return to school as soon as possible as it will be a huge help for us. Thank you for your support!

Blythswood Care Shoebox Appeal

Thank you to everyone who was able to donate to the shoebox appeal. If you have not donated and wish to, please make sure all donations are into the school office by Friday 2nd November. Thank you!

Important Dates

Key Dates for October 2018:	
Wednesday 31st	PTFA Meeting 2 – 3 pm
Wednesday 31st	Y3 & Y4 Horstead Parents Meeting 3 – 4pm

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Thursday 1st	Football Team Buxton vs Wells (away) 2.30 – 5pm
Wednesday 7th	Parents Evening (Day 1) 3 – 5.30pm
Thursday 8th	Parents Evening (Day 2) 5 – 7.30pm
Thursday 15th	Football Team Buxton vs Reepham (away) 3 – 5pm
Friday 16th	Children in Need Day – Non Uniform
Friday 16th	Autumn Disco (EYFS / KS1 5 – 6pm) (KS2 6.15 – 7.15pm)
Tuesday 27th	Christmas Family Learning Day

Key Dates for December 2018:

Saturday 1st	Christmas Fayre 1 - 3pm
Wednesday 5th	EYFS & KS1 Christmas Production (Reception – Y2)
Thursday 6th	KS2 Christmas Production (Y3 – Y6)
Friday 7th	Sleeping Beauty Panto in school (for children)
Monday 17th	Christmas Dinner Day
Tuesday 18th	Christmas Service at Buxton Church 2 – 3pm Last day of term
Wednesday 19th	First day of Christmas Holidays



Friday 16th November

£2 Entry on arrival to the school office

Reception, Year 1 & Year 2

5 – 6pm

Year 3 – Year 6

6.15 – 7.15pm



Dress up as something that begins with the first letter of your name, or come as yourself!

E.g. Andy – dress up as an Astronaut

Please make sure children are dropped off and picked up by an adult.

Children in Need Day

Friday 16th November



Non- Uniform Day



'Spotacular – SPOTS!'

Children will also receive a Children In Need colour changing wristband!

Please bring in a £2 donation

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