



# Buxton Primary School

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## Newsletter

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### End of Half Term Fast Approaching!

The final few days of this half term have come incredibly quickly. Today we have the Harvest Service at Buxton Church which starts at 2pm. We cannot thank you enough for your generous donations which go directly to the foodbank to support families and individuals who are facing financial difficulties. **Please remember to let the office know if you are collecting your child if they normally go home on the bus.**

As the autumnal weather has really started to kick in (wet and windy!), please remember to send your child into school with a coat, scarf, hat and gloves next half term.

There will be lots of exciting things going on next half term leading up to..... Christmas, so keep your eye on the dates which can be found on newsletters and on the school website calendar. I hope you all have a great and restful half term!

Mr Khan ☺

### Parents Evening

The dates for parents evening have been set for Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> (3 – 5.30pm) and Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> (5 – 7.30pm) November. Sign up slots will be available in the school office after half term. If you are unable to get into school to make an appointment, please ring or email the school office.

### Breakfast Club

Could we please remind parents who are dropping children at breakfast club not to drive up the school driveway. The area is used by children walking to school and therefore, as at normal arrival time, we do not allow cars on the driveway for safety reasons. We also need staff

to be able to freely access the car park. Thank you.

### Blythwood Care Shoebox Appeal

Thank You to everyone who has brought a shoebox in so far. If you would like to support this worthwhile cause please ensure your shoebox is in school by Friday 18<sup>th</sup> October.



### Aldi's Kit for Schools

Please keep sending in the Aldi stickers if you do shop there. We have quite a few handed in so far but would appreciate more to complete the collection. The last day for us receiving these will be Monday 11<sup>th</sup> November.



### KS1 Play Equipment

Children should not be using the 2 pieces of play equipment on the lower playground before and after school. This is for the safety of all children, both our pupils and their siblings. Thank you for your co-operation with this.



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### Punctuality

Could we please remind you that our school day starts at 8.40am. This means all children should be in their classroom by this time. The lower playground gate will be closed at 8.40am each day and any children arriving late will need to enter via the school office. This is recorded and noted on each child's register as applicable. We do understand that some mornings things happen at home or on the way to school which can cause the occasional lateness but we will be monitoring persistent lateness and parents will be written to if this does become an issue.

Just being 3 minutes late each day means a child misses 9 ½ hours of school over the academic year.

### Appeal

In preparation for our Christmas crafts we would really appreciate any donations of buttons. If you have any at home that you no longer need could you please send them in to school. Thank you.

### Reception Workshop

Thank you to the reception parents that came along to the phonics workshop last week. Just to let you know we will be running a similar session focused on maths in the spring term.

### Nut Free Policy

Could we please remind parents that our Nut Free Policy still applies whilst on a school trip. Thank you for your continued support with this.

### Dates for October/November 2019

17 <sup>th</sup> October	Harvest Service in Church 2-3pm
21 <sup>st</sup> October to 25 <sup>th</sup> October	HALF TERM
28 <sup>th</sup> October	Back to School
30 <sup>th</sup> October	Nasal Flu Immunisations – whole school
31 <sup>st</sup> October	In-House Tag Rugby Tournament – email to be sent to parents with information
4 <sup>th</sup> November	Cross Country Event – Blickling Hall
6 <sup>th</sup> November	Swimming Gala – Aylsham High School
6 <sup>th</sup> November	New Reception Parent Open Session
6 <sup>th</sup> November	Horstead Meeting Yr 3&4 parents
7 <sup>th</sup> November	Whitwell Meeting Yr 5&6 Parents and SATs meeting Yr 6 parents
8 <sup>th</sup> November	John Hindle (author) in Yr 4
12 <sup>th</sup> November	Tag Rugby Tournament – Holt
13 <sup>th</sup> November	Parents Evening 3pm to 5.30pm
14 <sup>th</sup> November	Parents Evening 5pm to 7.30pm
15 <sup>th</sup> November	Children In Need Day – Non Uniform
15 <sup>th</sup> November	New Reception Parent Open Session
26 <sup>th</sup> November	Family learning Day
30 <sup>th</sup> November	Christmas Fayre 1-3pm



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