



# Canon Burrows Friday News



Canon Burrows C of E Primary School, Oldham Road, Ashton-Under-Lyne

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## KS2 Christmas Carol Service - Thursday December 20th

The children will be walking to church, please ensure they are wearing sensible shoes & waterproof coats.

The children will be staying at Christ Church for lunch, grab bags are being provided for those on school dinners. Please can those on packed lunches bring their lunch in a named carrier bag.

All children will walk back to school and must be collected from school at 3.10pm

The doors will open for parents/carers at 10.20am & 1.20pm. We ask that you are patient and wait outside until you are invited in once all the children are safely seated.

If any parents have unwanted tickets for the KS2 Carol Service, please could they be returned to the office as soon as possible.

On Monday, Year 3 visited Waterloo Methodist Church for a Christmas experience. The children had a lovely time doing activities relating to the nativity. Thank you to Reverend Julie & her amazing team of volunteers for making it such a wonderful event.



EYFS had a fantastic party/panto day on Monday. They really enjoyed watching 'Aladdin & his wonderful lamp' in the school hall, performed by Bitesize Theatre Company, and then had fun and games in their classrooms.



EYFS & KS1 performed their Christmas Carol Services on Wednesday at Christ Church to a packed church. The children sung their hearts out and impressed their audience. Thank you to all those who were able to come along and support the children.

A baby blanket was handed into the office on Thursday. Please see the office if you think it may be yours.



Year 3 have received a letter from David Walliams this week, after Mr. Riley wrote to him about their Stone Age topic as it linked to his new book 'The Ice Monster' about a woolly mammoth.

Mrs. Grebbin & Miss Holland took the school choir to The Christie at Royal Oldham Hospital on Wednesday morning to perform Christmas Carols. The staff and patients really enjoyed the festive singing.

Please make sure that your child's school uniform, P.E. kit & lunchbox are all labelled with their name. We have an increasing amount of lost property that is unable to be returned to its rightful owner.

## Value Voucher V.I.P

The children having lunch at the V.I.P table with Mr Horne this week are:

Jemima & Jamie(Rec), Sophia (Y1), Cody (Y5), Owen & Lenny (Y6)

Well done to all those children who received value vouchers this week.

Year 5 & 6 had a wonderful time watching

Dr. Dolittle at The Lowry on Thursday.

Year 3 & 4 have had a great time at Oldham Coliseum watching Cinderella this afternoon.

Please can we remind parents that children are not allowed to bring chocolate or fizzy drinks to the pantomime. Please can we ask that children wear sensible shoes on their party day - no heelys.

## Turning off the Lights Award

Miss MacKenzie's Class

## Attendance Award

Miss Adamson's Class

## Tidy Cloakroom Award

Miss Large's Class

Citizens of the week

Miss Drake, Mrs Whitaker & Ms Chapman

# From the Office

If you have signed up to the schoolcomms gateway app, make sure you have your notification settings turned on to ensure that you check for messages sent from school

## Christmas Carol Service

The tickets for the Carol Service at Christ Church have now been distributed, including additional tickets. If you have not received your tickets please contact the school office, as you will NOT be allowed entry at the Church without a ticket for Health & Safety reasons.

Anyone without a ticket will be asked to wait until all ticket holders have entered and if there is any space available you will then be allowed entry to the Church.

## Health & Safety update - Sickness

Children must be kept off school for 48 hours from their last episode of sick/diarrhoea. If your child's attendance is below 94%, we will still require doctor's confirmation that your child is poorly, unless they were sent home from school.

## New Telephone system

The school will be having the phone system upgraded on Monday 14<sup>th</sup> January 2019. There should be no disruption to incoming calls but please be patient if you do experience difficulty contacting the office.

# Out of School Clubs

The registers for Sprung Term clubs are currently being processed and, all being well, the app will reopen for any clubs that still have spaces, later this evening until Sunday January 6<sup>th</sup>, when it will close for any further applications to be processed.

## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Monday 17 <sup>th</sup> December	- Y1&2 party/pantomime day- Cinderella @ Oldham Coliseum (approx. return time 4.30pm)
Thursday 20 <sup>th</sup> December	- KS2 Christmas Carol Service @ Christ Church 10.30am & 1.30pm
Friday 21 <sup>st</sup> December	- School closes for Christmas holidays @ 3.10pm
Monday 24 <sup>th</sup> December	- Crib Service @ Christ Church 6.30pm

## Calling all parents and carers, your school council needs you!

Thank you to all those parents/carers who have volunteered so far to help at our next Valentine's disco.

We would still love more volunteers to come along and help cook hot dogs, sell refreshments and put up decorations.

On February 12<sup>th</sup> 2019, we hope to have you on our team to make it the best Valentine's disco ever! If you would like to volunteer and be a part of our team, then please email Mr. Horne [andy.horne@canonburrows.co.uk](mailto:andy.horne@canonburrows.co.uk)

We look forward to hearing from you.



# Sports News



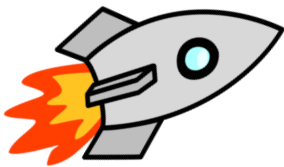
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Waterloo Lions Under 10s football team held a sponsored event on Tuesday evening, to raise money for Reuben's Retreat. They were attempting to do 10,000 keepy uppies in one hour. 8 boys, including Oliver & Harry from Year 5 at Canon Burrows, altogether managed the grand total of 16,134! All the boys were tired out by the end, but very pleased that they managed to smash their target. Huge well done to the boys on a super achievement.



A group of Year 4, 5 & 6 children took part in a handball festival at Tameside College on Tuesday after school. They had a great time, won 2 games & lost 1 and showed our school sporting values throughout.

Please can parents/carers ensure that all children have an appropriate outdoor P.E. kit for the cold weather. This comprises blue or black jogging bottoms, a yellow or white t-shirt, a blue or black jumper and outdoor trainers.



*Our multiplication journey.*

*Well done to all these children for achieving their certificates.*

*Silver*

Jake, Ella, Cyndi, Elwira, Davina, Jenson, Joe & Felix in 4LS.



**Helping The Homeless  
& The Hungry Of  
Greater Manchester  
& Tameside**



This year the staff will be donating items for Sandwich Angels, on the day of the staff Christmas dinner. If any families would also like to make a donation these will also be collected by Sandwich Angels.

Please can all donations be brought in by Wednesday 19th December.

They are in particular need of pot noodles and instant porridge pots, but any of the following items would be gratefully received.

Sliced, cooked or tins of corned beef, ham or spam, tins of tuna, bottles of water or fruit juice, tins of soup or stews, cakes, biscuits, energy bars, chocolate bars, crisps, coffee, tea

Tin openers, sleeping bags, tent, torch, personal alarm, camping pot, frying pan, camping kettle

Soap, liquid soap, sponge, body spray, comb/brush, mirror, toothbrush, toothpaste, dental floss