



Friday 25th
November

Dear Parent/Guardian,

We have had a great week in school enjoying the England V Iran game on Monday. The children were so excited and they were great supporters. Thank you to everybody who supported Children In Need last week too. We raised a grand total of £477.85

Thank you *Mrs C Holgate*, Headteacher

Attendance for Last Week

Doves	99.00%
Jays	98.67%
Kestrels	97.10%
Eagles	96.77%
Sparrows	96.67%
Cygnets	96.67%
Skylarks	95.86%
Wagtails	95.33%
Puffins	95.17%
Eaglets	94.14%
Kingfishers	93.45%
Woodpeckers	91.29%
Owlets	89.33%
Swallows	89.33%
Wrens	89.00%
Robins	87.14%
Swans	80.00%

Overall school attendance was **93.86%**. Well done to **Doves** who had the highest attendance last week.

Badge Winners this week

Class	Badge Winners
Owlets R	Liyana K, Ariana M
Eaglets R	Sophia A, Muhammad H
Sparrows 1	Hassan K, Arsal T
Robins 1	Addie L, Fatima M
Wrens 1	Abeeha G, Ismaeel J
Wagtails 2	Ayat U, Mehrish A
Swallows 2	Yusuf A, Ashal B
Doves 3	Eshaal N, Iqra A
Skylarks 3	Alesha N, Esa N
Woodpeckers 4	Zoya R, Haris K
Kingfishers 4	Abdul Hadi K, Calub M
Jays 5	Humairah E, Aisha A
Puffins 5	Aminah B, Saira S
Eagles 6	Malaika A, Subhan S
Kestrels 6	Aayan M, Awais G

Winning Team - EARTH

Bronze Badge Award - Mehrish A

Gold Award - Khadija S, Muhammad A R, Haider S A, Hassan K, Yusuf A, Zeeshan I A

Thank you for your continued support. If you should have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact school to speak with us. Tel: **01282 226777**

Go-Noodle!

The hall doors will be open at 8.20am everyday for any body that would like to take part. Go Noodle is a 10 minute dance/fitness session. Come and join in!

DATES: School closes for Christmas after school on Thursday 15th December. **School reopens on Tuesday 3rd January 2023.**

Children In Need 2022

Thank you for your generous donations and participation, we raised £477.85



Upcoming Diary Dates

DATE	EVENT
Every Friday @ 9am	Celebration Assembly. You will be invited by a text message to attend.
Monday 21st November	First England World Cup game (parts to be shown in school). England colours/sports kits to be worn.
Monday— Friday 5th – 9th December	Christmas Performances @ 2-3pm (more information will follow)
Thursday 15th December	School closes at 1pm
Tuesday 3rd January	School reopens for Spring term

ATTENDANCE

Thank you for getting your children to school this week through this typical British Autumn weather of blustering wind and driving rain.

We are seeing slightly more cases of Chicken Pox, which is a normal childhood illness that we experience at this time of year. Please see advise at www.nhs.uk/conditions/chickenpox . Pupils can return to school when the spots are no longer blistering and have scabbed over, which stops them being contagious. Please continue to call school every day that your child is absent from 8am to provide an update of your child's progress.

Unavoidable Extended Leave

Application of Leave of Absence forms must be submitted to Mrs Rawcliffe with copy of flight tickets. A parent meeting will then be arranged with Mrs Holgate before departure.

Number of lost learning days due overseas trips since 1st September 2022 = **560 up from 514 last week.**

Penalty Notices Issued = **27**

Whole School Attendance to date is **92.95%** - School target is **96%**

Please report your child's absence on each day of absence from 8am. Failure to do so may result in the absence being recorded as unauthorised, which may lead to a Penalty Notice.

England V Iran. World Cup 2022



NEW SCHOOL TELEPHONE NUMBER

Tel: 01282 226777



curriculum

What has your child been learning about in class this week?

If your child's class isn't in the newsletter this week, they will be next week.



R- Eaglets

What a great week we have had! We started the week with watching England's first World Cup game. In Literacy, we have enjoyed reading the story 'The Christmas Magic' and learning about Santa's job role and how busy he gets during the festive month! In Maths, we have been looking at the numbers 'Freddy 4 and Fiona 5'. The children were able to show a group of objects that show 4 and a group of objects that show 5. Well done Eaglets!



1- Robins

Another great week in Robins. The children really enjoyed watching England's first World Cup game on Monday. We have continued to learn about Guy Fawkes and the children are becoming experts. The children have worked hard all week in English and Maths remembering everything they have been learning so far this year. Well done Robins.



2- Swallows

A great week, Swallows. You have all tried very hard this week and showed off your learning during our assessments. Wonderful clay pots in art and super Aboriginal paintings. In PE, we have been learning how to side foot pass with a football and produced lovely dance sequences showing the four elements.



3- Doves

Doves have had another exciting week. On Monday, we enjoyed watching the World cup England match. We have worked hard in art, using different resources to create our fantastic cave paintings. In Science, we have been learning about the different types of rocks and how they are all formed. Doves have worked hard in our assessments this week, well done!



4- Kingfishers

What a week Kingfishers! Everyone has been working really hard completing their end of term assessments this week, and really tried their best. We have also been continuing our work on electrical circuits in science and painting our own versions of 'Starry Night' by Vincent Van Gogh. Amazing work this week Kingfishers, keep it up.



5- Jays

Jays have been working very hard this week. We have been completing our end of term assessments and everyone has been trying their best. In History, we have continued learning about the Anglo-Saxon gods and have written a non-chronological report about them. In Science, we enjoyed investigating which solids will dissolve in water. We learnt that some solids don't dissolve, we call these insoluble.



6- Kestrels

We had a great start to the week in Kestrels; we all looked great in our football shirts and team colours and we really enjoyed watching the first England match together! We have continued our WWII topic and this week we have been learning about ARP and keeping safe. In PE, we have been adding to our dance routines – they are really starting to take shape and we hope to perform them soon.



Christmas Around the World

Dear Parents/Carers,

This year, we are happy to announce that Christmas performances will once again be held 'in person'. We are really excited to invite parents into school to celebrate 'Christmas Around the World' and watch their children in a live performance. Please find the date and time of your child's performance in the table below...

Date	Time	Year groups
Wednesday 7 th December	1:45-3:00	Reception and Year 1
Thursday 8 th December	2:00-3:00	Year 2 and Year 3
Friday 9 th December	2:00-3:00	Year 4 and Year 5

This year, each class has been given a different country – linked to the world cup. Each class will perform for 15 minutes and there will be 4 classes performing on each night. Parents/carers must stay for the whole performance (approximately one hour) and not leave once they have watched their child's class as this will cause disruption for the other performances.

Due to Health and Safety regulations, we have an allocated number of tickets for each afternoon. These will be offered on a first come, first served basis. Please book your FREE ticket online via **Eventbrite...** <https://bardenchristmas.eventbrite.co.uk>

Bookings will be available now and will close on Friday 2nd December 5pm.

We look forward to seeing you in school for the performances and as always, if you have any questions, please come and speak to us in school.

Lost Properly

Please collect from the school office



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Families simply turn up on the night with this ticket, either on an electronic device or paper copy and pay the £2 PER PERSON on the door.



To **COMMUNITY**

At Blackburn Hawks Ice Hockey Club we are dedicated to supporting our local community organisations and initiatives, therefore our Hawks Community Team are delighted to invite you to our upcoming Blackburn Hawks IHC fixture against **WHITLEY** on **27/11** as our community guests. **show starts at 5:45pm*

Carl Everitt

Graham Lomax

Co-Owners, Blackburn Hawks IHC



Please find below your e-ticket for the fixture:

**BLACKBURN HAWKS
MATCH NIGHT**
PLANET ICE BLACKBURN
£2.00 PER PERSON
with this ticket

see terms & conditions below

TICKET No:



Cash Payments preferred however Card Payments available for group transactions over £10

This ticket can be presented on arrival at the Arena on your mobile device or you can present a printed copy.
Entry with this ticket is limited to 2 adults (17 and over) and unlimited children (16 and under)
Tickets are not transferable to alternative fixtures'

Rounders and Dodgeball Club

Ages 8 to 11 years and 12 to 16 years

What is it?

Monday will be a day of Rounders, Dodgeball, Archery and lots other exciting activities based at the pavilion building at Thompson Park.

Wednesday will be an action packed day of games and a Little Party people Christmas party at St Peters with a visit from Santa.

Thursday will be back at Thompson Park for the Festive Christmas Cracker Trail, the whole family can take part in a Christmas themed trail and visit Santa, where they will receive an Activity Pack that they then take home and play with their families over the Christmas break

A packed lunch will be provided for each child on each day of the club. Children will also be given a Christmas themed meal to take home with their Activity Pack.

When? 10am – 2pm

Monday 19th December 10am – 2pm

Wednesday 21st December 10am – 2pm

Thursday 22nd December 10am – 2pm

Where?

The Pavilion, Thompson Park: Monday

St Peters Centre: Wednesday

Thompson Park: Thursday

Booking:

Email- burnleyroundersclub@outlook.com

For further info:

Contact burnleyroundersclub@outlook.com

Janet -07974419098



HOLIDAY CLUB
ROUNDERS
DODGEBALL
AGES 8 - 16

The poster features two cartoon characters wearing Santa hats. On the left, a boy in a blue sports jersey with the number 2 holds a yellow and blue dodgeball. On the right, a boy in a white cricket uniform holds a wooden bat and a baseball. The background is dark blue with white snowflakes. At the bottom, there are logos for '3lc', 'FUN Food > Friends', 'Action for Children', and 'BURNLEY ROUNDERS CLUB'.

Holiday Club's are funded and provided in partnership with

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BURNLEY ROUNDERS CLUB

Cost-of-living support

Find out what help and support is available to you and your family as the cost-of-living crisis continues to bite.

Get in touch with us to let us know if you're struggling with your finances

We know everyone is feeling the pinch this winter and we want to support those families in our school community who are impacted the most. If you're struggling with your finances, please do get in touch to let us know, as there may be things we can suggest which will help. We want to do everything we can to help you and your child through this difficult winter. Unfortunately, we will not be able to make phone calls for you or contact companies as they will only speak to account holders,

Contact your local Citizen's Advice Bureau or Family Hub

Citizen's Advice Bureau (CAB)

You don't have to be a UK citizen to get support from your local CAB, you just need to be a resident of the local area. The CAB can help you with:

- Getting benefits or other financial support organised
- Accessing support for essential costs (food, bills, rent)

Visit the [Citizens Advice](#)'s website or contact your local branch to book an appointment [Calico Building Centenary Court Croft Street Burnley) 01282 616750 / 0800 144 8848].

Family Hub

Contact your local Family Hub to get help accessing all the support you might need as a family. [Find your local hub](#) here Brierfield Children & Family Wellbeing, Tunstill Square, Brierfield Nelson 01282 470534.

Check you're paying the right amount of tax

Make sure you're on the right tax code. If you aren't you might be due a refund. Use the [Money Saving Expert's](#) free tax code calculator to find out.

Claim any benefits you're entitled to

Use 1 of these benefits calculators to determine whether there are any benefits you could be claiming:

[Turn2us](#)

[Policy in Practice](#)

[Support for migrant families](#) – use this calculator if you are a migrant family, or if you have no recourse to public funds

You may be able to get benefits paid early if you're already feeling the squeeze - this is known as 'a short-term benefit advance' - you will need to contact the Department for Work and Pensions (DWP) office @ Hammerton Building Victoria Street Burnley 0800 169 0190] that's dealing with your claim.

Check you've received all the government's cost of living payments

The government's [cost of living payment](#) is available for those receiving certain benefits or tax credits. You don't need to apply for these – if you're eligible the money should go straight into your account.

If you think you're due a payment, but haven't received one – [report a missing payment](#) to the government here.

Be aware of scams! If you receive any emails, texts or phone calls asking you to fill in an application form or asking for your bank details to receive a cost of living payment, **do not talk to them or send a reply**. Get more information on [cost of living scams](#) on the Money Saving Expert's website

Find out what help you can get with your energy bills

Take a look at these resources from [Simple Energy Advice](#), the [British Gas Energy Trust](#) and the [Money Saving Expert](#) website.

Let us know if your child is entitled to free school meals (FSM)

If your child is eligible for free school meals (FSM) you need to get them registered. This will allow them to get a free meal at school, and we'll get extra funding to support your child's learning. East Area Education Office 44 Union Street Accrington 01254 220747.

See what other support you can get from your local authority

Burnley Borough Council Parker Lane Burnley 01282 425011

Local authorities have lots of different schemes that you might be eligible for, including:

The [holiday activities and food programme](#) – access to food and activities over the school holidays

[Help with transport to school](#)

[Help with the cost of uniform](#)

Get free or low-cost food

If you're worried about not having enough food to feed your family, you're not alone. There are a number of places offering support.

If you have a child under 4, and meet the eligibility criteria, you may be entitled to [healthy start food vouchers](#)

Burnley food bank Charter Walk shopping Centre 01282 448577

Find a local foodbank with these websites: [Bankuet](#), [The Independent Food Aid Network](#), the [Trussell Trust](#), or your local [community fridge](#)

Use food waste apps and websites like [Olio](#) (for free food and household items from your local community), [Too Good To Go](#) (for low cost food from local restaurants), or [Low Price Foods](#) (food that has passed its best before date, but is still safe to consume)

Further information

Contact [StepChange](#), if you're struggling with debt

Contact [Shelter](#) if you're having issues related to housing

Get free household goods on [Freecycle](#)

Contact the [Salvation Army](#) for emergency assistance