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DIARY DATES

Please view our school calendar on our website for up to date information: www.bunburyaldersey.cheshire.sch.uk/events

- 16 Dec - Christmas Parties**
- 16 Dec - End of term**
- 02 Jan - Inset Day**
- 03 Jan - Back to School**
- 11 Jan - Chester Zoo (whole school trip)**
- 24 Jan - Y5 Bikeability**
- 25 Jan - Y5 Bikeability**
- 06 Feb - Y4 DEVA Roman Trip**
- 15 Feb - Y6 Stockport Air Raid Shelters Trip**
- 20-24 Feb - Half term holiday**
- 03-14 Apr - Easter holiday**
- 19-21 Apr Y4 & Y5 Residential Trip**
- 24 Apr - Swimming pool onsite for lessons for lessons**
- 01 May - bank holiday**
- 08 May - bank holiday (Kings coronation)**
- 29-02 Jun - Half term holiday**
- 05 Jun - INSET day**
- 3rd July - School Fest week**



*"The Holy Spirit will come on you,
and the power of the Most High will
overshadow you. So the holy one to be
born will be called the Son of God.*

Luke 1:35



Dear Parents and carers

I can't quite believe we have made it to the end of term!
What a fantastic final week we have had in school full of
Christmas cheer and festivities.

This week our Key Stage 2 children led our Carol Concert on Wednesday evening at St Boniface Church. This is my most favourite service of the year as we are able to bring everyone in our community together to celebrate the very special birth of Christ. Christmas is a time for togetherness and this is central to the Christmas story. Being able to welcome parents, grandparents, carers and past pupils to our service is always very special and it was wonderful to see so many of you in person once again.

The children, as always were amazing and I was so proud of how well they delivered their lines, sang and read with confidence to such a large congregation. I am sure you will agree that there were many examples of Bunbury pupils letting their 'lights shine' in so many different ways.

A huge thank you also to our Key stage 2 team for all their hard work putting together such a wonderful service together. Thank you for all your kind donations at all performances we have put the money towards buying games and playtime resources for our newly developed quiet outdoor space.

This term we have welcomed Casey in Year 4 and Ina in reception. We hope you've enjoyed your festive celebrations and we look forward to you continuing your learning journey with us.



Today we have enjoyed a very festive Christmas day in school. Carols and Christmas songs have played out around the corridors with all children enjoying festive party time this afternoon.



I am delighted and incredibly proud to report that our Year 6 pupils who organised the bake sale last Friday after school raised an amazing £100.04 for Lumos. A huge well done to everyone including Marni and Emily who were absent when Miss Hickson took the photo.

As you will be aware our new PTA have been busy fundraising this half term. I am sure you will agree that Mr Neave and his team have done a fantastic job and as a school we are extremely grateful for their fundraising efforts. Without the work of our dedicated PTA we would not be able to provide the children with those 'icing on the cake' resources, provision or experiences. This half term with their events they have raised an amazing **£4419.17.**

Sporting News

Sandstone Partnership fixtures for the 2023:

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| Thurs 19th Jan | y3/4 handball | 4-5:30pm sports hall |
| Thurs 9th Feb | y1/2 handball | 4-5:30pm sports hall |
| Thurs 16th Feb | y5/6 handball | 4-5:30pm sports hall |
| HALF TERM 20/2 - 24/2 | | |

Mrs Badger's Weekly Awards

This term we will be focusing on the value of trust. Each week we will awarding those children who have demonstrated this value during the school week.

Trust Award

- YR** - Adrianna for being a trustworthy member of Reception Class
- Y1** - Raphaella for being a trusted, kind and friendly class member
- Y2** - Harvey for being a trusted and reliable helper to Ms Charlesworth
- Y3** - Jonty for being an honest and trustworthy friend!
- Y4** - Anya, Ella W and Olivia for being trustworthy and looking after our new starter so well
- Y5** - Rose for being a responsible and trustworthy member of the class
- Y6** - Alexander for being trustworthy and stepping up to control the music in church



Headteacher Award

- YR** - Oliver for his fantastic Christmas pattern
- Y1** - Ralph for a fantastic story about a shooting star!
- Y2** - Ollie for a fantastic first term in Year 2
- Y3** - Annabelle for a well written and beautifully presented piece of instruction writing
- Y4** - Casey for starting at Bunbury so well and getting stuck in!
- Y5** - To all of Year 5 for an excellent performance of the Shepard's Rap
- Y6** - To all of Year 6 for their impeccable performance at the carol service



Mathletics Awards

- YR Bronze** - Rae
- Y1 Bronze** - Finlay Alyssia & Poppy
- Silver** - Poppy

Gold - Poppy

Y2 Bronze - Bertie, Finley & Jack Morg x2

Silver - Jack Morg

Y5 Bronze - Izzy, Alex, Freddie & Corey

Silver - Izzy

Times Tables Awards

Y2 Bronze - Edie

Y4 Bronze - Callum

Gold - Freddie

Champ - (99q with inverse in 4 mins) William Burr

Champ - (13x table 60q) Ingo

Champ - (13x table 80q) Seb

Y5 Bronze - Gemma

Champ 15x - Arlo

Champ 16x - Ted

Champ 18x - Sam

Champ 20x - Alex

Y6 Silver - Lucas & Khiari

Champ - Lollie, Elsie & Belle

At the end of this autumn term I would personally like to take the opportunity to thank you all for your continued support for myself and the school. It is always fantastic to hear about all the things you like about Bunbury Aldersey and the positive experiences we are providing your children through their primary years.

Thank you all as always for your kind words and gifts I have received. It is very generous and much appreciated.

May I wish you all a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. I hope you all enjoy your time with family and friends over the festive break and I look forward to welcoming you all back to school on TUESDAY 3rd January 2023.

Merry Christmas Bunbury!

Nic Badger

St.Boniface Church DIY Nativity - 18th December, 10.30am

The DIY Nativity brunch is 10.30am Sunday morning. Come along in Nativity outfits (and we will have some spare for those who don't have one). Fun filled for all the family!



DIY NATIVITY

ST BONIFACE BUNBURY

DEC
18
2022

10.30AM SUNDAY
BRUNCH

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COSTUMES!



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