

# Burlington Infant School



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## Autumn Term Newsletter 5

Dear Parents, Carers and Governors,

### **Scooter Training**

The children in Year 2 enjoyed their Scooter Training on Wednesday, despite the rain. They were taught about how to ride a scooter and how to keep safe whilst having fun.

### **Playground safety before and after school**

When we cordon off the blue playground due to slippery conditions, please could you encourage your child to leave the cones on the blue playground where they have been placed.

Please could you encourage your child to walk their bikes/scooters on the playground.

### **Road Safety**

In school we have been talking to the children about staying safe around the road, especially during the dark nights. Please remind the children to use the path around the busy school car park. Please can we also ask you to park considerately on the streets around school at drop off and pick up times.

### **Parking**

We have been informed that some of our parents/carers are parking in the Priory View Day Centre car park on Marton Road when collecting and dropping off their children. Please be aware that this is private land and they do not give permission for anyone to park there. Over the last few weeks they have locked the gates and someone has cut the chain and stolen or damaged the padlock. They have given the car registration numbers to the police who will be conducting further enquiries. They are asking people not to park there please. Thank you.



## Reminder

For Health and Safety reasons, if your child wears earrings to school, these should be stud earrings only and not hooped earrings. Thank you.

## Parent Governor

We have another vacancy for a Parent Governor, so if you are interested in becoming a School Governor, please call into the School Office for some further information.

## Christmas Performances

The last date for ticket requests is on Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> December.

If you have babies/toddlers, you are welcome to bring them to the Dress Rehearsals instead of the performances. Thank you for your co-operation with this.

## Christmas Raffle

For a chance to win some amazing prizes which include toys, books, Pantomime Tickets, Jump Inc Bounce Passes, Leisure Swim Passes, Harbourside Flavours Vouchers and more, please enter our Christmas Raffle - 20p per ticket or £1 per strip of tickets. These will be on sale in the School Office from next week.

## Key rings for sale

We will be taking a photo of your child in their Christmas Performance costume which you will be given as a gift at the end of term.

To raise money for the School Fund, we will be selling keyrings with your child's photo in them. If you would like to purchase a key ring, please complete the order form attached to this letter and return to school before 9<sup>th</sup> December.

## Magic Carpet Theatre Visit

The 'Magic Carpet Theatre Company' will be visiting school on **Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> December**. They will present a live theatre performance to the children, with lots of comedy and audience participation.

## Extra-Curricular Clubs - survey

Thank you for all of the responses we have received so far following our recent email containing the link for Extra- Curricular Activity survey. If you hadn't had chance to complete the survey yet and would like to, please do so by Friday 6<sup>th</sup> December. Your views are really important to us.

Please do not hesitate to contact us with any queries you may have.

Yours sincerely,



Mrs Catherine McClarron  
Headteacher



## Dates for the Diary

*Please note these dates may be subject to change.*

*More details about many of the events will be sent out in separate letters.*

Thursday 5 <sup>th</sup> December	<b>Magic Carpet Theatre visit to school</b>
Thursday 5 <sup>th</sup> December	<b>Save the Children Christmas Jumper Day</b> Children to wear school uniform and swap their jumper/cardigan for a Christmas Jumper if they'd like to. A donation to the charity would be very appreciated.
Friday 6 <sup>th</sup> December	<b>Achievement Assembly - parents/carers of children in Jellyfish &amp; Starfish Classes are welcome to attend</b>
Tuesday 10 <sup>th</sup> December	(Christmas Dinner for the Junior School)
Wednesday 11 <sup>th</sup> December	<b>Christmas Dinner for the Infant School</b>
Friday 13 <sup>th</sup> December	<b>9.30am Reception Christmas performance -</b> <i>Please see attached letter</i>
Friday 13 <sup>th</sup> December	<b>2.15pm Reception Christmas performance -</b> <i>Please see attached letter</i>
Week commencing 16 <sup>th</sup> December	<b>No after school activities or clubs this week</b>
Monday 16 <sup>th</sup> December	<b>9.30am Year 1 Christmas performance -</b>
Monday 16 <sup>th</sup> December	<b>2.15pm Year 2 Christmas performance -</b>
Tuesday 17 <sup>th</sup> December	<b>9.30am Year 2 Christmas performance -</b>
Tuesday 17 <sup>th</sup> December	<b>2.15pm Year 1 Christmas performance -</b>
Wednesday 18 <sup>th</sup> December	<b>Party afternoon in school</b> More details to follow
Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> December	<b>9.30am - Priory Church Carol Concert</b> <i>Parents/carers are welcome to join us at the Priory</i>
Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> December	<b>Break up for Christmas Holidays</b>

