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Dear Parents,

On behalf of the PTA I would like to say a huge thank you to all of those who made a donation towards the chocolate tombola today, I don't think I have ever seen so much! Please see the information attached to this newsletter for the details about the Christmas Fayre, taking place on Friday 8th December, so that you can try and win some!

This week saw the final lunchtime for Mrs Justice who has worked at Budbrooke as a Midday Supervisor for nearly 25 years! Everyone at Budbrooke would like to thank her for all that she has done for the pupils who have attended the school during this time. Pupils presented her with cards of thanks and proudly displayed a banner that they had made for her to celebrate her last day on Thursday. Mrs Justice continues to be an important part of our school as she will still be looking after those pupils who attend Kid's Club.

I cannot believe how quickly the weeks are passing and the school is a hive of activity and rehearsals as we begin to prepare to celebrate this special time of year, pupils and staff are looking forward to sharing the results of their efforts with you soon.

Have a wonderful weekend,

Mrs Hopkins
Deputy Headteacher

SCHOOL VALUES REWARDS WINNERS

- Consideration: Olly- Cherry
- Challenge: Alen- Chestnut
- Collaboration: Sadie- Chestnut
- Confidence: Chloe W- Holly
- Curiosity: Vaughan- Cherry



GOLDEN BOOK

- Pine- Isla
- Elm- George
- Beech- William
- Holly- Bailey
- Chestnut- Harry
- Redwood- Romy
- Cherry- Elissa



WRITER OF THE WEEK

- Pine- Jamie
- Elm- Joseph
- Beech- Jack T
- Holly- Charlotte
- Chestnut - Sadie
- Redwood- Poppy B
- Cherry- Sophia



Pupil Voice- What words would you use to describe Budbrooke?

COMPASSION

FUN

HAPPY

GREAT

INTERACTIVE

safe

THE BEST

AMAZING!

KIND



friendly

considerate

CLASS MESSAGES: Any class messages or updates will now feature here on the newsletter each week. This is to support any important communications from the teachers being missed in additional emails.

All	We have a number of tree saplings (including dogroses, hawthorn, hazel and crab apple) left from the trees that the Eco Committee planted last week. We are offering these out to our families on a first come, first serve basis. If you are interested, please email the school office to express your interest. We will be in touch with families who are successful.
Year 5 and 6	This year, Year 5 and 6 will be celebrating Christmas by performing a Carol service at St Michael's Church on the 14th of December . Year 5's service will start at 9.30. Year 6's service will start at 1.45. Parents of Year 5/6 are welcome to join and watch. We would also be very thankful if any parents would be happy to volunteer to help the children walk to and from the Church. Please contact the office if you are interested in volunteering. Mr Jones

KEEP UP TO DATE Scan the QR Code to follow us on FACEBOOK to see our This Week in Pictures video and regular updates!





A gentle reminder...

Scooters and cycles are not to be ridden on school grounds.

Please dismount before entering School grounds and push or carry until you are off the premises.

Thank you.



Kids Club Payments – A gentle reminder

Please use your Child's name and/or surname only as reference when making Kids Club Payments. Please do not use dates in this reference, as payments will automatically be deducted from the oldest debt on the account.

Please allow up to 1 week for payments to reflect on your account. Thank you

Example Reference:

John Smith

School Calendar

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

- 8th December – PTA Christmas Fair
- 12th December – Reception Class Nativity
- 14th December – Year 5 and 6 Church Carol Service
- 15th December – PTA Pantomime – Cinderella
- 19th December – Year 3 History Workshop
- 21st December – Christmas Festivities Day**
- 21st December – Christmas Jumper Day**
- 21st December – Christmas Lunch**
- 22nd December – Break Up for Christmas
- 8th January – INSET Day
- 9th January – Return to School



A student leadership message from the Librarians

The role of librarians is to keep the library tidy and organised and to encourage everyone else to read more books.

A good librarian is someone who likes to read lots of different kinds of books.

This year, we would like to create a new library in the research studio. We are currently sorting out the books and creating a larger and more comfortable environment for reading and enjoying a variety of books.

If you have any old books (particularly fiction) that you no longer need, we would love to have them for our new library!

At the moment, we are reading the following books:

Florence – Diary of the Wimpy Kid: Meltdown	Poppy – The Secret Seven
Caitlyn – First Class Murder	Lois – Darwin's Dragons
Alex – Alex Rider Point Blank	

Rosie – Arsenic For Tea **Hattie** – Warrior Cats

Jessica – The Night I Met Father Christmas

Elissa – Christmas Chronicles

Miriam – The Naughtiest Unicorn

Billy – The Tree House series

Evelyn – Bobby Loves the War

Anna – Murder in the Spotlight



CHRISTMAS LUNCH

Roast Turkey, Cocktail Sausage, Stuffing Ball with Gravy
or
(vg) Roast Quorn Fillet, Stuffing Ball with Gravy

Served with Crispy Roast Potatoes, Garden Peas and Sliced Carrots

(vg) Christmas Shortbread or (v) Christmas Cup Cake

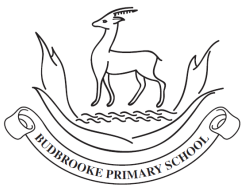
NORTH POLE
SANTA'S WORKSHOP
Reindeer Crossing
Elf Village
MRS. CLASS KITCHEN
SLEIGH RIDES



Thursday 21st December

Christmas Festivities Day, Christmas Jumper Day and Christmas Lunch!

A gentle reminder to please book Christmas Lunch via Parent Pay by Friday 8th December, thank you.



Primary Schools Girls Football League Competition

Well done to Budbrooke Girls for their performances during the Girls Football League event and for finishing joint 4th in the table.

The league event was played across 3 dates and saw 8 teams from the local area play each other at Myton School.

The competing teams included- The Priors, St Pauls, Ferncumbe, Long Itchington, Aylesford, Clapham Terrace and Kingsley.

In the first match against Long Itchington, Amelie, Faith and Flori made some advancing runs with the ball but the ball proved to move too quickly. Amelie then turned well on the half way line and passed to Flori to set up a chance that saw the goalkeeper make a good save. Anna was keen to make important tackles and blocked several Long Itchington attacks. Romy was confident and vocal in goal and made some wonderful saves. She also caught well and produced the biggest goal kicks of the night which set up chances for Budbrooke. Ella showed great resilience and Poppy battled for every ball. With the game looking set to end 0-0, Faith chased the ball and hassled the defender who was forced to play the ball back to the keeper. Faith was then on hand to knock the ball in and the team celebrated together what was a fantastic 1-0 win.

Budbrooke then came up against a very experienced and well organised St Paul's team. Budbrooke needed to defend and despite St Paul's scoring several goals early on, the girls kept on going. Romy again made lots of good saves to keep the score down, especially a great diving save that tipped the ball onto the post and earned lots of praise from the spectators.

Results:

- Ferncumbe- D 0-0 Kingsley- W 1-0
- The Priors D 0-0
- Clapham Terrace- L 0-1 Long Itchington W 1-0
- St Paul's - L 0-8 Aylesford - W (no attendance).



Mr Brereton said: "It was great to see so many girls enjoying playing football. It was a pleasure to see the girls play and support each other and enjoy playing as a team. Seeing them celebrate scoring goals. There will be more girls football matches in the Spring term. The girls played some fantastic football and the team spirit and passion shone through. Thank you to all the parents who supported with transport and cheered the team on."

Class Spotlight- Chestnut

Chestnut children performed a wonderful class assembly to showcase all their learning from the Invasion topic. They have continued to be very curious to learn interesting facts about the topic and have applied their understanding to write a play script about the events of the Norman invasion.

In English, they role played the events from the Battle of Hastings and wrote stage directions, scene descriptions and dialogue for actors to follow.

In maths, they have used arrays and bar models to solve multiplication and division problems as well as learning the relationship between the 3x, 6x and 9x table. They have also found the area of different shapes.

In science, the children have been learning about sound waves and how the ear works. They have used sound meters to investigate which materials would be most suited to sound reducing head phones.

In PE, the children have been working on their balance skills to improve and develop their core strength. They have also been performing tuck jumps and squats.



School Games Speed Stacking Competition at Budbrooke

Budbrooke achieved great success in the School Games Year 3 Speed Stacking competition and will now get to represent Central Warwickshire in the County Finals.

The event, hosted at Budbrooke and attended by 8 teams from schools in the local area, was assisted by the Budbrooke Well Being Ambassadors who timed the events and offered support. The competition saw boys and girls from Holly class performing the 3 - 6 - 3 stack challenge as well as the relay event.

Each member of the teams had their times recorded which was then added together to find the total team time.

The Cup Stacking Super Stars will now head to the AT7 Centre to represent Central Warwickshire on 30th January 2024.

Budbrooke Teams:

Girls: Chloe C, Martha-Rae, Rosalita and Delilah

Boys: Reuben, Theo, Jenson and Edward

Mixed: Charlotte, Teddy, Harvey and Hanna

Mr Brereton said:

“Wow! Well done to all the speed stackers. The children clearly loved having a go at the challenge and all the practise has seen them achieve an amazing result. The Budbrooke Well Being Ambassadors were also a credit to the school and helped run the event and inspire the children. We can’t wait till the County Finals.”

Results:

	Boys 363	Girls 363	Total 363	Boys relay	Girls Relay	Total Relay	Overall time
St Lawrence	42.273	36.007	78.28	9.673	9.201	18.874	97.154
Budbrooke	52.55	58.07	110.62	10.598	9.958	20.556	131.176
Long							
Itchington	48.333	61.246	109.579	11.013	16.003	27.016	136.595
Bishops							
Itchington	49.357	61.487	110.844	11.542	18.765	30.307	141.151
Newburgh	76.85	87.14	163.99	12.6	14.63	27.23	191.22
St Nicholas	55.785	91.23	147.015	15.222	16.17	31.392	178.407
St Marys	46.929	39.482	86.411	11.481	10.941	22.422	108.833
OLST (5 in team)	65.379	n/a	65.379	20.673	n/a	20.673	86.052
			Mixed 363			Mixed relay	Mixed total
Budbrooke			50.9			12.447	63.347
Newburgh			n/a			n/a	n/a
St Lawrence			44.832			15.839	60.671
Bishops							
Itchington			51.403			12.16	63.563
St Nicholas			n/a			n/a	n/a
Long							
Itchington			75.308			13.166	88.474
Priors Field			57.843			10.122	67.965
OLST (5 in team)			78.087			17.845	95.932



January Skills & More Activity Camps!

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Found! At the disco...



Please contact the School Office if this belongs to you.

Thank you

Medically Identified Special Diets Request and Religious and Dietary Preferences

We kindly request that if your child has any dietary requirements, to please contact the school office to receive and complete a Dietary Form.

These forms are supplied to the kitchen and kept on file to ensure dietary requirements are met and to keep your child safe at all times.



Thank you

A parental approach to digital safeguarding and wellbeing

Warwickshire County Council

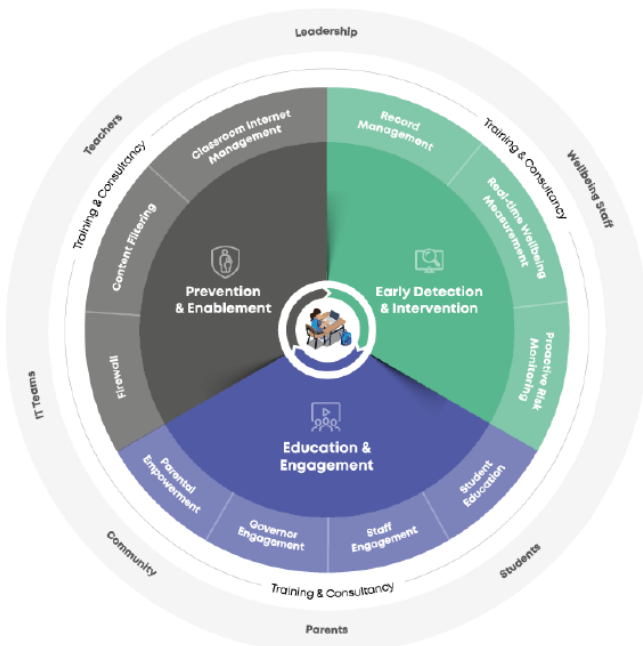


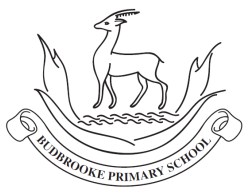
Warwickshire County Council Online Safety Hub

Visit <https://warwickshire.onlinesafetyhub.uk/> for some very useful Parent Information/Advice regarding Online Safety.

Topics include social media platforms including Snapchat, BeReal and TikTok, 'hot topics' such as body image and online validation, self-diagnosing mental health issues using social media, screen routines, starting out on social media, online bullying, gaming, sexting and much more.

There is a whole section dedicated to 'I need Help' which covers dealing with issues, reporting incidents and counselling & support.





One Week to Go: Countdown to the Christmas Fayre Extravaganza!

Dear Budbrooke Families,





Can you hear the jingle bells in the distance? The excitement is building, and we're just ONE WEEK away from the most awaited event of the year—the Budbrooke School Christmas Fayre! Get ready for an unforgettable evening filled with joy, laughter, and festive delights.

Santa Claus is Coming to Town!

Make sure your little ones don't miss the chance to meet Santa himself in his magical grotto at the Christmas Fayre. To secure this enchanting encounter and receive a special gift from the man in red, remember to book and pay for your Santa visit on ParentPay by the end of the day on Monday 4th December. The cost is a mere £4 for a heartwarming experience your child will treasure.

Christmas Fayre Highlights: Friday 8th December, 3:30pm to 5:30pm

As we approach the big day, here's a sneak peek of the festive wonders awaiting you at the Christmas Fayre:

-  **Santa's Grotto:** The heart of the magic! Book your slot and make memories that last a lifetime.
-  **Stalls and Treats:** Indulge in seasonal refreshments, a Christmas-themed lucky dip, and more.
-  **Games and Activities:** Fun for all ages, with games, activities, and surprises around every corner.
-  **Raffle Prizes:** Stay tuned for a chance to win fantastic prizes and support our school.

The countdown is on, and the excitement is palpable! Prepare for an evening of community, celebration, and festive joy.

Thank you for your enthusiasm and support. Let's make this Christmas Fayre the best one yet!

Warm wishes,

Budbrooke School PTA 



Budbrooke School Christmas Fayre

DECEMBER 8
15:30-17:30

- Santa's Grotto
- Xmas Crafts
- Chocolate Tombola
- Lucky Dip
- Refreshments
- Uniform sale
- Xmas Jumper sale
- Xmas Games

Optional £4 per gift from Santa, payable on parent pay

Father Christmas SPECIAL GUEST

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Are you coming to meet Santa at the Christmas Fayre? Book a Gift from Santa for just £4 per child on 'Parent Pay'

Book by Monday 4th December



Budbrooke School PTA Christmas Checklist

- BRING ANY CHRISTMAS CLOTHING DONATIONS TO SCHOOL RECEPTION ON FRI 1ST DECEMBER
- BRING A CHOCOLATE DONATION FOR THE TOMBOLA IN EXCHANGE FOR NON-SCHOOL UNIFORM ON FRI 1ST DECEMBER
- ORDER A SANTA GIFT BY MON 4TH DECEMBER
- COME TO THE CHRISTMAS FAIR AND VISIT SANTA ON FRI 8TH DEC

Wishing you and your family a very Happy Christmas from Budbrooke School PTA



Christmas Jumpers & clothing wanted

Please help us

Donate any preloved: ADULT & CHILD

- ★ Jumpers
- ★ Dresses
- ★ Shirts
- ★ Leggings

Where to leave donations
In the School office by Friday 1st December

All clothing must be in excellent & clean condition.
THANK YOU!