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

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Emergency Contact Forms

Emergency contact forms have now been sent out to all children. Please complete these fully and return to school as soon as possible. Please ensure we have an up to date email address, as this is now our main method of communication with parents/carers.

Dinner Provision

Thank you to those parents/carers that have informed the office of any changes for next half term. No further changes will be accepted after today (Friday Otober 9th)

> Contact details for the school office: admin@canonburrows.co.uk 0161 330 4755

In order for school to remain open and a safe place, we must insist that if your child feels unwell or is displaying any of the symptoms of Covid-19 (temperature, cough or a loss or change in smell or taste, gastroenteritis) you must NOT send your child into school. Any child that develops symptoms must contact school and arrange a Covid-19 test. Upon proof of a negative test children can return to school.



Monday (October 12th) is school photo day. Please can those children who normally come to school in PE kits on a Monday, come in their school uniform next Monday (October 12th).



Harvest Appeal

Thank you to all those who have bought tickets for our 'Canon Burrows Camp Out'. Today was the final day for purchasing tickets to the event.

Thank you also for all of the donations that have been brought into school so far. If you have not yet brought anything in, here are the things that are in desperate need: Tea, coffee, tinned foods, sugar, socks, underwear, shower gel, feminine hygiene products, hand wash, washing up liquid & roll-on deodorant.

The last day for donations to be in is next Monday (October 12th)





On Thursday 22ND October - EYFS (Nursery & Reception) are having an 'Aspiration Day' to celebrate all the wonderful jobs the children would like to do when they are older. On this day the children can come dressed up in an outfit to show what they are aspiring to be, this could be a princess, an astronaut, a scientist, a police officer, the Prime Minister, an ice-cream lady or anything else they come up with. Please could you support your child with dressing up as their chosen profession.



The children will still be accessing learning outside, so suitable footwear is still required and due to Covid-19 guidelines the windows and doors stay open during learning time, so please ensure the children wear something warm underneath any thinner outfits.

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Miss Matthews' Class

Miss Clewlow's Class

Citizen of the week Ire, Year 2



The winners of our virtual 'Poetry X Factor' last Friday were

Year 5

with their version of 'The Great Realisation'. Year 3 came in 2nd place and Year 2 came in 3rd. Well done to all the year groups for their amazing performances.

Please can parents/carers ensure that their children are coming to school in suitable outerwear for the weather. All the children will be outside during the day, whatever the weather, so please make sure they have a warm, waterproof coat with a hood and appropriate sensible shoes.

Please make sure you regularly check your emails, as this is our main method of communicating with parents. This will also be how work is sent for any bubbles that are isolating. Letters, year group pages, work for isolating bubbles and other school information will also be on the school website.

School drop off & pick up

Thank you for your continued patience & support with regards to dropping off & collecting children from school. Please can parents/carers ensure they are following the guidance below.

- Please adhere strictly to your drop off & collection times & do not loiter outside the school gates.
- Maintain social distancing at all times during drop off and pick up.
 - We kindly ask parents/carers to wear face coverings when they drop off and pick up their children.
- Please can parents/carers avoid the vets car park, as this is where their consultations are taking place at the moment.

Please can parents/carers be considerate of our neighbours when parking on Anglesey Road.

Please try to avoid parking across driveways and be mindful of the local residents.



Please wear a face covering

This week we have shown our Christian value of service.

Jesus exemplified in his person, ministry and relationship with God, what it was to be called the "servant king". Christians believe that their calling is to follow Jesus' example according to their gifts or abilities. They believe that through serving God in others, "perfect freedom" will ultimately be found.

We have spent a lot of time in school this week thinking about Harvest: Year 4 shared their Harvest Church service with Canon Johnson with us and we took part in the Eco Schools Virtual Harvest Festival. Harvest is a time when we thank God for everything he has given us and try to help those who are in need by serving God and following Jesus' example. Thank you for all your donations for making 'starter packs' for local homeless people; they will make a big difference to people who received them.





Protect your loved ones. Download the app.

The new NHS COVID-19 app, now available to download for free in England and Wales, is the fastest way to see if you're at risk from coronavirus. The faster you know, the quicker you can alert and protect your loved ones and community.

The app has a number of tools to protect you, including contact tracing, local area alerts and venue check-in. It uses proven technology from Apple and Google, designed to protect every user's privacy.

For more information visit https://covid19.nhs.uk



Mini Messy's are now running a Saturday morning sports club at Canon Burrows.

The club will be on Saturday mornings from 9am-11 am. The cost is £7.50 per week or £25 for a monthly booking (4 weeks).

To book please visit the facebook page @minimessyssoccerschool or text 07775674785



Saturday 10th October is World Mental Health Day.

This year has been a tough one for us all. The months of lockdown and loss have had a huge impact on our mental health and our wellbeing. Making positive change can seem hard, especially during uncertain times. So this year, we are being encouraged to #DoOneThing to make a positive difference.

Whether it's going for a walk, learning a new skill or doing something creative, taking the first steps to getting support for yourself, or reaching out to someone else; take the opportunity to do one thing this World Mental Health Day. Studies show that only 7% of people who read for pleasure regularly or who learn new skills, have low wellbeing or mental health issues, so it is clearly great to try new things. This could include passing on the skills we may have as adults, such as cooking, gardening, sewing or photography to our children, taking up new skills together with them or providing them with the time and opportunities to learn new skills and have new experiences. The other way to encourage our children to learn is to model the attitudes towards learning that we would like them to adopt. That's why one of the best ways to get your child to read for pleasure is to make sure that they see you regularly doing it as well. It is the same for trying out new things, if you try, your children and family will try. Ultimately, humans are natural learners, we just need to try and make our world as large as possible, by filling it with new experiences, cultures and ideas. Connecting with others is also really important. Why not turn everything off for 5 minutes on Saturday and just chat? It is good to talk.

Please share what you do with us. You can tag us on Twitter using the handle @canon_burrows and the hashtag #DoOneThing.

From Tuesday November 3rd school drop off times will change. Please ensure that you check your new time for after the half-term holiday.

Start time	Back Gates – Y2, 3, 5 & 6	Front Gates - N, R, Y1 & 4
08:45	Staggered start 1	Staggered start 1
	Families A, B & C	Families A, B & C
08:50	Staggered start 2	Staggered start 2
	Families D, E, F, G & H	Families D, E, F, G & H
08:55	Staggered start 3	Staggered start 3
	Families I, J K, L, M & N.	Families I, J K, L, M & N
09:00	Staggered start 4	Staggered start 4
	Families O, P Q, R & S	Families O, P Q, R & S
09:05	Staggered start 5	Staggered start 5
	Families T, U V, W, X Y & Z	Families T, U V, W, X Y & Z