Burton Green PRIMARY SCHOOL

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# Newsletter - 16th November 2026

## A message from Mrs McGann

Foxes class had a fantastic day out visiting Eden Camp. Exploring the original prisoner-of-war huts allowed the children to immerse themselves in what life was like on the Home Front and the front lines during World War II.

Foxes also took part in a thrilling, hands-on Crime Scene Investigation workshop. We were very lucky to be joined by a former forensic scientist, who shared real-world expertise and guided the children through the science of solving a mystery.



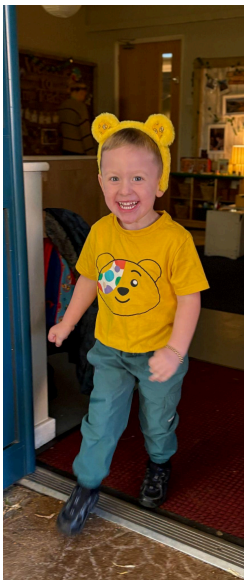








A huge thank you to everyone who supported our Children in Need fundraising activities, including your generous donations and contributions to the cake sale. The children looked absolutely fantastic and it was wonderful to see everyone getting involved and showing such enthusiasm for this worthwhile cause.













We had a wonderful time celebrating Nursery Rhyme Week with our special Stay and Play session. It was lovely to welcome parents to share favourite rhymes.









Squirrels and Hares enjoyed a gorgeous walk around our local area on the Backies. The children loved getting out and about, exploring their surroundings, enjoying the fresh air and spotting the familiar features of our local community.
A lovely opportunity to learn outdoors and appreciate the area around our school!









Squirrels and Hares had great fun enjoying their firework dance lesson!

The children loved creating their own firework-inspired movements and exploring different ways to dance. There were lots of big movements, sparkling ideas and huge smiles all round!

# Dates for your diary

| Date: | Event: | Year Group: |
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| 16th November | Anti-Bullying week | All children |
| Tuesday 17th November | Visit to St Luke's church | Squirrels (Year 1) |
| Wednesday 18th & Thursday 19th November | Bikeability | Foxes class (Year 5&6) |
| Friday 20th November | Yorkshire Museum - Time Odyssey | KS2 -Owls and Foxes |
| Wednesday 25th November | Visit to St Luke's church | Hares (Year 2) |
| Wednesday 25th November pm | Carol singing at York hospital | Owls class (Year 3&4) |
| Friday 27th November | World War II dress up day | Foxes class (Year 5&6) |
| Wednesday 2nd December am | Science workshop at Vale of York school | Year 5 |
| Friday 4th December | Non-uniform - donations for the Christmas Fair | All children |
| Monday 7th December 2.45pm | Owls Christmas Singing to parents | Owls class and their parents/carers |
| Tuesday 8th December 9am | Hedgehogs Nativity | Hedgehogs class and parents/carers |
| Tuesday 8th December 2.30pm | Squirrels and Hares Nativity | Squirrels and Hares and parents/carers |
| Wednesday 9th December 9am | Squirrels and Hares Nativity | Squirrels and Hares and parents/carers |
| Wednesday 9th December 2.45pm | Hedgehogs Nativity | Hedgehogs class and parents/carers |

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| Thursday 10th December (am) | *The Further Adventures of Peter Pan: The Return of Captain Hook* at Grand Opera House | KS2 - Owls and Foxes |
| Thursday 10th December 3.15pm | Christmas Fair | All children and their families |
| Friday 11th December | Rolling Tones Choir and Owls class at Vale of York 'The Big Sing' | Owls class (Year 3&4) |
| Friday 11th December 2.45pm | Foxes Christmas Singing to parents | Foxes class and their parents/carers |
| Monday 14th December 11.15am | Tiny Toadstools Christmas Stay and Play | Tiny Toadstools and their parents/carers |
| Monday 14th December 2.30pm | Drama Club Performance: *No One Wraps Like An Elf* | Parents/Carers of Drama Club |
| Tuesday 15th December 9am | Drama Club Performance: *No One Wraps Like An Elf* | Parents/Carers of Drama Club |
| Tuesday 15th December 11.15am | Fox Cubs Christmas Stay and Play | Fox Cubs and their parents/carers |
| Wednesday 16th December 11.15am | Hedgehogs Christmas Stay and Play | Hedgehogs and their parents/carers |
| Wednesday 16th December | Christmas lunch and Christmas jumper day (non-uniform) | All children |
| Wednesday 16th December (pm) | *The Enormous Christmas Pudding* at York Theatre Royal | KS1 - Squirrels and Hares |
| Thursday 17th December | Christmas Craft day<br>Non-uniform day<br>Break up for Christmas | All children |

## AutumnTerm Club Offer

| Day and time: | Club: | Year Group: |
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| Every Morning 8.20am | Free breakfast in the Hall | Reception to Year 6 |
| Monday afternoon | Piano and Guitar lessons | All children |
| Monday 3.15-4.15pm | Running Club | Key Stage 1 and 2 |
| Tuesday 12.15pm | Lego Club & Chess Club | Key Stage 2 |
| Tuesday 3.15-4.15pm | Multisports | Key Stage 1 |
| Wednesday 12.15-12.45pm | Art | Key Stage 2 |
| Wednesday 3.15-4.15pm | Football | Key Stage 2 |
| Thursday 12.30pm | Library open | Key Stage 2 |
| Thursday 12.30pm | Drama Club | Key Stage 2 |
| Thursday 12.45pm | Colouring Club | Key Stage 2 |
| Thursday 3.15-4.15pm | Multi Sports | Key Stage 2 |
| Friday 12.30-1pm | Choir | Key Stage 2 |