This week's merit certificates are awarded to;

FS2 - Dominic
Yr 1 - Harry
Yr 2 - Holly
Yrs 3 & 4 - Max, Jack & Cezary
Yrs 5 & 6 - Jake and Louisa
Sports Merit - Ava
Well done to you all!





# 'Buckminster Bites'

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Issue 215 15<sup>th</sup> February 2019

# Dates for your diary

Monday 25th Feb - 2.45pm Year 2 Rand Farm Parents Meeting in Community Room

Tuesday 26th Feb - Rev Rush Assembly

Wednesday 27th Feb - 2.00pm PTFA Meeting in Community Room.

Thursday 28th Feb -

Friday 1st March - Year 1, 2 and 4 Swimming

- 2.45pm FS2 Family Assembly

Back to School - Monday 25th February

"Buckminster School, where children become Inspirational Learners"

# This week's Character Skill - Independence











#### Road Safety

School has asked Leicestershire Highways Agency that the school warning lights are mended (again!) and to see what else can be provided to support our road safety campaign. We would also like to set up a working group, led by parents, who would be willing to promote road safety. If you are interested, please see Mrs Clarke.

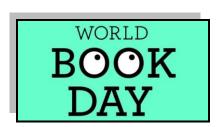
Can we please ask that cars do <u>not stop</u>, <u>drop off or park on the yellow chevron</u> lines unless you hold a blue badge or it has been agreed by school. Three cars were seen on the lines this morning.

Thank you

### World Book Day Thursday 7th March 2019

# 'Share a Book Breakfast' from 8.30am to 9.15am

Come to school/pre-school dressed as your favourite story character, bring a book to share, bring an adult and enjoy sharing your book with others whilst having toast and juice.
Mums, Dads, Grannies and Grandads are all welcome.



#### Bag2School

Mrs Lucy Wallace has arranged for us to receive "Bag2School" bags and they are in the Office for anybody to collect if you are having an early spring clear out! If you are unable to make it into the Office then please let us know and we can send a bag home in your child's bookbag.

For anyone who hasn't heard of Bag2school before, the Company send us bags, we fill them with clean unwanted clothes, and shoes. They collect and dispatch to relevant charities in need and we receive a percentage against the weight collected. So lots of shoes are great!!

Items allowed are clearly marked on bags. We look forward to receiving your donations which will be much appreciated. Thank you.

The collection of all the bags from School is on MONDAY 11<sup>th</sup> MARCH. Lucy is happy and able to store any filled bags until then if you do not have the room, please drop them in to the office and Lucy will collect them.

#### Sky Dance Challenge - Year 3 & 4

#### Sky Dance Competition

When I got to the theatre on Wednesday I was excited but terrified too. I couldn't wait any longer. The dances were amazing but not as good as ours. I was terrified because 360 people were there. There were only five seats not sold out.

Mrs Clarke made our costumes and Mrs Wallace, Mrs Gough and Mrs McKeown did our make make-up. Mr Dixon and Mrs Osborne did the boys' hair. Mrs Clarke made our headbands too. The boys had armbands around their arms.

We won three certificates. One for best behaved back stage, one for best hair and one for team work. We felt very proud.

When we got out of the theatre lots of us went to McDonalds for tea. We saw Mrs Clarke there too. (sshh, don't tell anyone Teegan!)

By Teegan. Year 3



Thank you to Mrs Gough, Mrs Osborne, Mrs McKeown and Mrs Wallace for helping with hair and make-up, to all the parents who went on the night to support us (we heard your cheers!) and to all the staff for giving up their time to be with the children. We were incredibly proud of the whole class.

If you would like to buy a set of photos on a memory stick at £6 each, please bring your money into the office.

#### Cake Raffle

As you all know we have a weekly Cake Raffle to raise funds to support our fantastic school farm. We are looking for volunteers please to be added to our rota to donate a home baked or bought cake. If you would like to be included on the rota then please email <a href="mailto:carolinevickers3@gmail.com">carolinevickers3@gmail.com</a>. Thank you.



#### Recycling Workshop - Year 3 & 4

Year 3 & 4 took part in a recycling workshop organised by the Leicestershire County Council and Pal Productions. These are some comments from the children:-

"We learnt about the amount of rubbish in our oceans, rivers and seas". Aryan

"Alan was funny and we learnt a good song" Charlie T-D

"It was really good to learn how rubbish is really really bad for our planet" Ava and Bella

# <u>Dinner Menu Change</u>

There is a change to the school dinners from the advertised menu.

Monday 25<sup>th</sup> February will be swapped with Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> February dinners. The menu will revert back to normal after this. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact the school office.

Apologies for any inconvenience caused.

#### Inspired Through Sport

Please see the letter and sponsor form sent home today in bookbags

#### The Spinney Area

Please see the letter emailed home today about the first phase of development.

#### Pizza Boxes

Miss Parker in Year 1 has asked for pizza boxes please. They can be any size from 10" or bigger and relatively clean (but they don't have to be perfectly clean). Thank you



# Baking FS2 with Mrs Heyward and Year 1 and 2 with Mrs McKeown

We have been very lucky to have Mrs Heyward and Mrs McKeown come in to school and bake with our FS2, Year 1 and 2 children. The children have been taking turns each week which will continue after half term. The children have loved the experience. Thank you to Mrs Heyward and Mrs McKeown.















#### Easy Fundraising - PTFA

We need your help please! If you shop online - Amazon, Ebay, M&S, John Lewis, and lots more - please could you sign up to easyfundraising to support Buckminster Primary School PTFA?

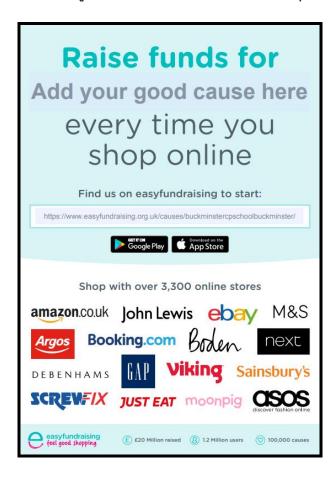
It is a really easy way to raise money for us - and doesn't cost you anything! You just use the easyfundraising site to shop online with more than 3,500 well known online stores like Amazon, Argos, John Lewis, ASOS, Booking.com, eBay, Boden, and M&S and when you make a purchase, the retailer sends us a FREE DONATION, at NO EXTRA COST TO YOU.

We would like to raise as much as possible, so please visit our easyfundraising page at https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/buckminstercpschoolbuckminster/ and click 'support us'. It adds about 5 seconds to your transaction but every time will increase PTFA funds. Please pass on to friends and family too - the more people who support our PTA the more funds we will have to provide activities and equipment for the children.

#### It's so easy

- 1. Create an account (a one off task)
- 2. When shopping online go to Easyfundraising first
- 3. Type in Amazon / Ebay (for example) in the search bar
- 4. Click SHOP NOW and it takes you through to the actual site
- 5. Shop as normal

The school PTFA will get a donation - just for a few extra clicks - easy as that! Thank you!





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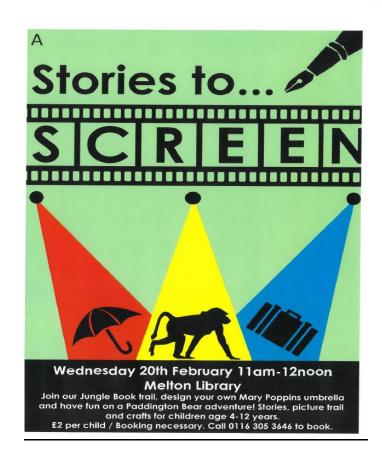
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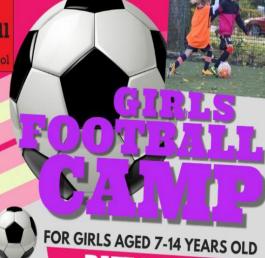
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TO BOOK VISIT:

https://onetouchfootball.co.uk/ girls-football/

DATE 2: GRANTHAM

LITTLE GONERBY MEMORIAL HALL GRANTHAM, NG31 8PP FEBRUARY 21ST 2019



Soccer School

February Half Term Goalkeeper Training Day's

It's your chance to come & train with a professional GK coach!

FA qualified goalkeeper coaches will be offering players the chance to recieve specialist goalkeeper training this half term!

The day will include a variety of goalkeeping aspects from shot stopping, dealing with crosses, distribution and much more

WHERE - Ryhall Plying Fields, Stamford, PE9 4ER WHEN - 18th February WHO - 7 to 14 years WHERE - Great Gonerby Memorial Hall, Grantham, NG31 8NB WHEN - 22nd February WHO - 7 to 14 years

Both course's run from 10.00am till 3.00pm and cost £25.00 per day.

Book Online Now
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Space are limited and will be served on a first come basis



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