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Primary  
School

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Friday  
23<sup>rd</sup>  
January  
2026

School  
News  
No.0462

## Dear Parents/Guardians:

Our Aspirations Week has been amazing and the children have learnt so much from our guest visitors. From a Master Mariner who has been chased by pirates, financial advice for early banking, how to make soup and which ingredients to use, to the vital job that Guide Dogs do – with lots of cuddles too. Thankyou to all the parents who came and spoke to our children. Our children have dreamed big and we have all inspired them for their future jobs.

Stay safe and well.

### SPRING TERM Monday 26<sup>th</sup> January

Y5 swimming  
6pm CHSA meeting in the Y3 classroom

### Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> January

Wellbeing Warriors BSSP  
Penathlon at Barden BSSP (am)  
Burnley Leisure Y2 PE  
Afrasiab Anwar (Islam) with EYFS, Y1  
&Y3

### Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> January

EYFS Welly Wednesday  
9am Care for a Cuppa in Church House  
BYT Fabric of Us Y5/6  
Sportshall Athletics Y5/6 BSSP 4pm

### Friday 30<sup>th</sup> January

9am Y5 Class Assembly  
Y4 Lego Day  
2:30pm Y6 Family Fun Friday

### Prayer of the week

Almighty God,  
in Christ you make all things new:  
transform the poverty of our nature by the riches of  
your grace,  
and in the renewal of our lives  
make known your heavenly glory;  
through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,  
who is alive and reigns with you,  
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
one God, now and for ever.  
Amen.

### Makaton Sign of the Week

To learn



The school twitter account is @ClivigerSchool

**Dates:** School closes for half term on Friday 13<sup>th</sup> February and reopens on Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> February 2026.

Thanks for your continued support.

*Naomi R. Healey*

Mrs N. R. Healey  
Headteacher

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## SPRING TERM

### Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> February

BYT Fabric of Us Textile lessons  
with EYFS, Y1 and Y4  
Y5 Swimming  
Governor Committee meetings

### Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> February

Children's RE Conference (all day)  
Y3 Ancient Greece practical morning  
BSSP Speed Stacking Festival (am)  
BSSP Wellbeing Warriors  
Burnley Leisure Y2 PE  
EYFS Drop in 2:30pm

### Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> February

Y6 Welly Wednesday  
BYT Fabric of Us Drama Y5/6

### Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> February

EYFS Drop in 2:30pm

### Friday 6<sup>th</sup> February

Y3 Lego Day  
Y4 Family Fun Friday

### Monday 9<sup>th</sup> February

Respect for All Week  
BYT Fabric of Us Textile lessons  
with EYFS, Y1 and Y4  
Y5 Swimming

### Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> February

Internet Safety Day  
Y2/6 Mosque visit  
Mad Hatter with Mrs Healey

### Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> February

Y5 Welly Wednesday  
BYT Fabric of Use Drama Y5/6

### Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> February

BYT Fabric of Use Singing Y2/3  
Young Voices Concert at Coop Arena

### Friday 13<sup>th</sup> February

Non uniform for Y6 class charity CMC  
Christian Mountain Centre (residential)  
£1 donation. Wear sports/adventure clothes  
E-Safety class videos on the website class  
pages.

WOW walk with Rae

EYFS Lego Day

Y3 Family Fun Friday

HALF TERM

## Attendance Figures

R – 94.0%  
Y1 – 98.0%  
Y2 – 99.3%  
Y3 – 96.5%  
Y4 – 92.6%  
Y5 – 94.0%  
Y6 – 95.9%

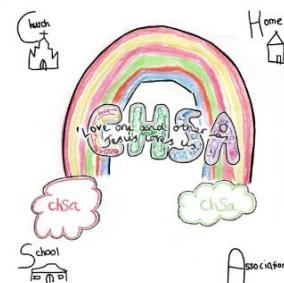
Overall school attendance was 95.9%.  
Well done to the Y2 class who had the highest  
attendance last week

### Care for a Cuppa.



Please come along to our next Care for a Cuppa session in Church House on 28th January at 9am, we will be looking at how children's learning can be supported at home.

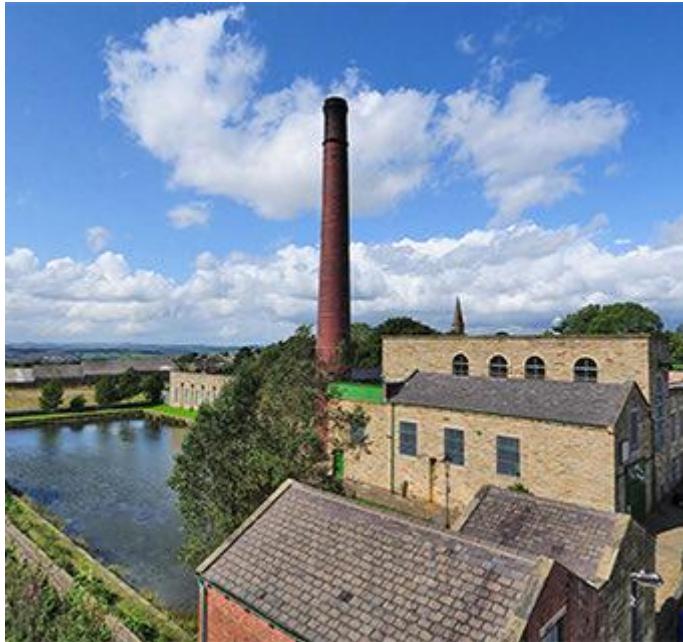
### CHSA



Our next CHSA meeting is on Monday 26<sup>th</sup> January at 6pm in the Y3 classroom which is in the New Building. Everyone is welcome to attend to help us plan for our next events.

The winner of the Church draw for January 2026 is number 148, Jenny Jackson with prize money of £149.00.

## Burnley Youth Theatre Fabric of Us



Charly from BYT is keen to collect stories about the local cotton mills to enhance this project in school.

Please click the link to submit any stories you have.

<https://forms.gle/hN9vEMoGTcrTnf7r5>

## Welly Wednesday

Year 1 had an adventurous Welly Wednesday. We went on a number hunt to find the secret words and we completed a Science challenge looking at materials.



## Ramsbottom Come Together Festival

Mrs Healey & Mrs Johnston are very excited to be delivering the 'Primary School Bangers' at Mrs Healey's church, St Paul's, Ramsbottom 4:45pm on Saturday 7th February.



This is part of a weekend of music and live acts across Ramsbottom. Further details can be found here: -

Facebook --

<https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=61564267020252>

Web -- <https://rctf.co.uk/>

Come and join in the fun singing songs from your primary school years!! A good time is guaranteed!



# ASPIRATIONS WEEK

