



## The Burpham Blog Spring Term Issue 1

17<sup>th</sup> January 2018

Welcome back to the spring term, although it certainly doesn't feel very Spring-like! It is a short half-term and we have lots to fit in. The class **newsletters** have all been uploaded onto the website so please do have a look and see what's coming up.

Thank you to all those who contributed to the collections at the end of our Nativity shows and the Christmas jumper day. You raised a very generous **£674.37** which has been sent to Save the Children.

*Mrs White*

## Positive Parenting

**Triple P Parenting** programme, supported by Boxgrove Children's Centre are running a Positive Parenting seminar on 6<sup>th</sup> February 2018 from 7pm-8:30pm here at school. The key aims of the course are to help you:

- Create a safe, interesting environment
- Have a positive learning environment
- Use assertive discipline
- Have realistic expectations
- Take care of yourself as a parent

If you would like to book a place on the seminar please contact the school office.

## Volunteer DBS Checks

We are very fortunate as a school to receive so much help from our parents and carers. In order to meet our safeguarding responsibilities we require all volunteers for whom a Disclosure and Barring Service check has been undertaken by the school to come in at least once a term to keep the check valid. The office hold a **DBS cleared volunteers** list which we ask you to sign once a term when you come in. The list has been updated for this term so please sign on your next visit.

If you have previously had a check completed but haven't been in to help for a while your name may have been removed from the list, so please check with the office staff if you are unsure, or if you want to undertake a new check.

Thank you for your support.

## PSA News

### **PSA School Disco – Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> February 2018**

It's that time of year again for the annual School Disco!

**Infants Disco** is from 6.00 - 7.15pm

**Juniors Disco** is from 7.30 - 9.00pm



Forms have gone out via parentmail for both discos but we also have copies in the office if you need one. This is always a fun event for the children so please ensure you purchase your ticket(s) as it is a ticket only event!

## From the Office

**The Office Team would like to say a big thank you for the Christmas gifts you gave us – your generosity and kindness is very much appreciated.**

### **Lego Masters**

A TV production company called Tuesday's Child are looking for anyone over the age of 9 and who loves to build to take part in the Channel 4 series – Lego Masters. We have attached further information regarding how to apply.

### **Chelsea FC**

Chelsea FC Foundation along with Farncombe Youth FC have set up an exciting new collaboration this season. As part of this collaboration, we are now seeking female players to be part of Farncombe Yth FC and set up female only teams for the 2018-19 season.

Together with the Premier Leagues women's and girls' project we would like to invite female players from 5 – 16 years old to the inaugural Chelsea FC Foundation & Farncombe Youth FC **GIRLS** only training sessions from 9:00am - 10:00am at Meades Park, Green Lane, Farncombe, Surrey GU7 3TB from Saturday January 13<sup>th</sup> 2018.

These sessions are completely **FREE** giving each player the opportunity to receive regular training by our experienced Chelsea FC Foundation coaches on a weekly basis. These sessions are open to female players of all abilities with the scope to join Farmcombe Youth FC for the 2018-19 season.

### **About the Programme & its Objectives:**

The Premier Leagues project is delivered in partnership with The Football Association, Premier League Girls Football aims to provide opportunities for females to take part in

the sport in a local community setting.

A total of 88 professional clubs run the programme, providing a wide variety of sessions aimed at different audiences, with almost 23,000 women and girls taking part in 2016/17.

Since the programme began in September 2013, over 51,622 women and girls have been involved.

For participants who want to progress in the game clubs create pathways with local community clubs to provide long term participation opportunities, whilst many clubs also deliver elements of the female talent pathway.

**The programme has two main objectives:**

- To increase the number of women and girls playing football on a regular basis
- To increase the opportunities for women and girls to develop skills and confidence and progress within the pathway as a player, coach or official.

To register your child for the free female only training sessions please see the attached flyer.

If you have any further questions or would like any more information please do not hesitate to contact me via the details below.



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## Surrey Arts

Surrey Arts would like to invite all young musicians to come along and try out some of the local ensembles at our open [evening on Wednesday](#) 17th January.

5.15- 6.30pm

South West Winds - Woodwind, brass and percussion players (beginner to grade 4)

Prima - String players (beginner to grade 2)

Opus - String players (grade 2- 4)

6.45 - 8.45pm

South West Surrey Youth Orchestra - Strings, Wind, brass and percussion (grade 5+)

All rehearsals take place at Tillingbourne school and the open rehearsal and first term is free. Expert tutors will be on hand to help, just bring along your instrument! For more information, please contact Alison Harding - [Alison.harding@surreycc.gov.uk](mailto:Alison.harding@surreycc.gov.uk)