

'A Caring Christian Family Where We Grow Together'

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Dear Parent/Carer,

Children In Need Rickshaw Challenge – Monday 11th November 2019

As you may be aware the Rickshaw Challenge will be passing directly outside Bunbury Primary School on Monday 11th November. We have been notified by the organisers that the cyclists are expected to arrive at approximately 2.47pm. They would also like as many spectators as possible to line the road outside school to support the team and cheer them on. As we do not want the children to miss out on this fantastic opportunity, we have taken the decision to unofficially close school at 2.30pm. In doing this, we ask for as many parent/carers as possible, to collect their child/ren from the rear of school at 2.30pm, then line along School Lane outside school ready for the Rickshaw and convoy. If you are travelling by car, following school collection we ask for all vehicles to be removed from School lane, alleviating traffic congestion in good time for the cyclist's arrival. We appreciate an earlier collection may not be possible for all parent/carers. Therefore, staff members will escort and supervise those remaining pupils to the front of school to see the Rickshaw and cyclists pass by. However, they will remain on school grounds. Due to the nature of the event, delays may be possible. With this in mind, we will be tracking the team's progress throughout the day and will update you via text accordingly. If you are notified of a delay whereby the Rickshaw Challenge will pass through Bunbury later than 3.30pm, school will not close early. We will close at the normal time and collection will also be at the normal time. Again you will receive a text notification if this is the case.

Please follow the link below for more information about the Rickshaw Challenge <u>https://www.bbcchildreninneed.co.uk/shows/the-rickshaw-challenge-2019/</u>

Press/Social Media Coverage

The Rickshaw challenge has been well documented and we expect some media/press coverage. We, ourselves would also like record the event via social media. If you do not want your child to be included in potential photographs or publications, please inform <u>admin</u> by the **deadline of 12pm on Monday 11**th **November**.

In addition to this we will also be supporting Children In Need on Friday 15th November with an own clothes day. We would like children to come to school dressed in their own clothes with a £1 donation. This year, in honour of Pudsey, children can wear a spotty accessory, this can be a sock, a top, or maybe even a whole outfit!

Thank you for your continued support.

N M Badger

