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# Baines' Weekly News: Generosity 10th October 2025

2 Corinthians 9:6-8 - 'Each of you should give what you have decided in your heart to give, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver.'

**Stars of the Week:** Very well done to all of the children who have gone 'ABOVE and BEYOND' in their classes and at lunchtime this week!

	Star of the Week	Star Reader	Lunchtime Award		Star of the Week	Star Reader	Lunchtime Award
Toddlers	Dolcie-mae	Ezra					
Pre-School	Oluwayanmi fe	Shakaina		3TS	Alfie C	Harry D	Remi W
RMS				3VB	Macie	Isaac	Alice
RRW				4JB	Ethan G	Noah W	Kallion F
R/1FB	Lacey B	Mylo M	Lachlan S	4JP	Cason S	Jacob C	Marshall O'D
1BE	Renly	Christopher	Max	5SN	Florence B	Phoebe T	Alfie B
1WW	Charlie	Olivia	Corey	5RF	Evie W	Henry K	Skyla P
2CH	Stanley O'D	Rylee L	Isabelle S-G	6BR	James E	Penelope C	Joel C
2SC	Isabelle	Arabella	Jakub	6KP	Amelia H	Lila-Jade H	Lola T

## School events this week:

- On Wednesday 8th October, the **Author Jen Carney** visited the pupils of 3VB and 3TS. The pupils enjoyed listening to a range of stories.
- On Wednesday 8th October, pupils in Year 4,5 and 6 had a virtual STEM session **'Walking Amongst Giants'**
- On Thursday 9th October, **4JP Class Assembly** took place in the Main Hall at 9:05am. Parents and Carers of 4JP enjoyed the Assembly on **Generosity** and the importance of being kind.



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### **Coming up:**

- On **Monday 13th October**, Open Morning will take place in school at 10:00 - 11:30am. Parents and Carers from the community are welcome to attend.
- On **Tuesday 14th October**, the PSCO will be visiting our Reception pupils.
- On **Tuesday 14th October**, the EYFS Art Exhibition will take place in the main hall at 3:30pm until 4:00pm
- On **Thursday 16th October**, 4JB Class Assembly will be held in the main hall at 9:05am. Parents and Carers of 4JB are welcome to attend.
- On **Friday 17th October**, school is fundraising to raise money for the Lily Foundation in memory of Aria. Aria was a member of the family of one of our Baines' pupils, who sadly died when she was 1 year old from mitochondrial disease. We are asking all pupils to wear a little bit of purple and bring in £1 for the Lily Foundation. On the day, pupils can wear items such as purple hair bobbles, headbands, purple socks, a purple t-shirt with their school uniform skirt or trousers, to help us raise money for this important cause





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### Attendance:

- The children are working hard to improve their attendance. This week's whole school attendance was 96%. This continues to be an excellent start to the school year. Please be reminded that we are unable to authorise any holidays during the school term.

### St Paul's Church Events:

The Parent and Toddler group meet during term time every Tuesday from 10:00 to 11:30am. It costs £1.50. Please contact the church office for more information or alternatively you are welcome to turn up on the day.

# Eco-Day Harvest Celebration

**Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> October 2025**  
**Service at 10am**  
**With guests: Baines School Choir**

**Followed by FREE activities 11.30am to 1.30pm**

Planting	Refreshments inc. Veggie Soup	Litter picking
Recycling Arts & Crafts	Prayer activities	

**St Paul's, Honister Avenue**



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Celebrating kinship families, love and community



**Kinship Care Week**  
6-12 October 2025



#### What is Kinship Care Week?

Kinship Care Week is a national week of awareness, recognition, and celebration of kinship families across England and Wales.

It's a time to shine a light on the vital role of kinship carers, those raising a child of family or a friend, who provide **over 141,000 children in England and Wales** with loving and stable homes.

The grandparents, aunts, uncles, siblings, and family friends who step up in extraordinary ways to keep children connected to their family, roots and community.

As well as being a celebration of all kinship families, Kinship Care Week is an opportunity to raise awareness of their family's unique needs.

Kinship carers have to **overcome complex systems with limited support**, all while ensuring their child feels safe and loved.

**We are Kinship.** The leading kinship care charity in England and Wales. We're here for kinship carers – friends or family who step up to raise a child when their parents aren't able to.

**We support, advise and inform kinship carers.** Connecting them so they feel empowered.

**Together, let's commit to change for kinship families.**

#### Peer Support Sessions in 2026 will be held on:

- 8th January
- 5th February
- 5th March
- 16th April

More dates to follow

**Venue:**  
Fylde Coast Health and Social Centre Career Academy, Back of Bickerstaffe House, Weaver Walk, Blackpool FY1 3AH  
**Time:**  
10 am - 12 pm

#### KINSHIP CELEBRATION DAY

Thursday 9th October - 11am - 2.30pm Solaris Centre

(Please contact - [SGOsupportservices@blackpool.gov.uk](mailto:SGOsupportservices@blackpool.gov.uk) to confirm numbers for food)

#### CHRISTMAS QUIZ

Thursday 4th December - 10am - 12pm  
Fylde Coast Health and Social Centre Career Academy, Back of Bickerstaffe House,

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for Kinship Care Week 2025 by  
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