



The Cathedral Catholic Primary School, Lancaster, LA1 3BT

Newsletter 21st October 2022

Unlocking potential together in faith and love

Stars of the Week

Rec- Poppy
Year 1- Gelila
Year 2- Holly
Year 3- Eva
Year 4- Katelyn
Year 5- Jennifer
Year 6- Dinsara
Joshua (Last week)

Punctuality and Attendance

Reception- 93.4%
Year 1- 95.2%
Year 2- 92.5%
Year 3- 97.3%
Year 4- 96.3%
Year 5- 98.9%
Year 6- 97.2%
Whole school- 95.2%
Be in the line for quarter to nine!!

End of The Day Routine

PLEASE CAN ALL PARENTS INCLUDING RECEPTION PARENTS WAIT ON THE KEY STAGE PLAYGROUND UNTIL YOUR CHILD'S CLASS ARE ON THE SLOPE. IT IS VERY DIFFICULT TO SEE AND OVERWHELMING FOR THE CHILDREN. ONCE YOU SEE YOUR CHILD'S CLASS PLEASE COME UP TO THE SLOPE. If you arrive later please go to the KS2 playground rather than waiting by the climbing frame. Please help us by following these instructions rather than staff having to direct parents to the correct playground.

Harvest Collection and Celebration

Thank you for your generous donations to our Harvest collection for The Olive Branch – these will be much appreciated by those who will receive them. It was lovely to see so many parents and carers at our Harvest Celebration in the Cathedral. Thank you for making it such a special occasion.

Parents Evening

Thank you to all parents and carers who came to find out about their child's learning and celebrate their achievements. It was great to see so many of you here in school.

Fancy Dress Disco

Please come to our first disco of the year dressed in fancy dress for Halloween or any other character on Thursday 3rd November at 5-5.45pm- Reception and KS1 and 6-7pm for KS2. Please pay on Parent Pay £2.50 for each child which includes a drink and a snack.

Eden Red vouchers

If you are entitled to Free school meals keep an eye out for your Eden Red voucher of £15. This will be emailed to you over half term. It does sometimes go to your junk so please kept a look out in that folder too.

Pre-Loved Uniform

On 10th November the PTA will be holding a Pre loved uniform stall in the hall after school. If you have any washed uniform to donate please bring in by 3rd November.

All Saints Mass – Tuesday 1st November

On Tuesday 1st November, Key Stage 2 children will join the parish for Mass in the Cathedral at 12.15pm to celebrate the feast day of All Saints. You are welcome to join us.

Football WINNERS!

We are the champions!! For 2 years running! Y6 and Y5 won the local school's football tournament on Tuesday against a large number of other local schools. The children were a credit to our school in their sporting attitude. Thank you to parents who came along to cheer them on.

Baby News

We are thrilled to be able to tell you that Mrs Cook is expecting a baby. Baby Cook is due in February 2023.

Year 6 – Secondary School Applications DEADLINE 31st Oct

All parents/carers of Year 6 pupils must complete the online application form for secondary school places for September 2023. This needs to be completed by 31st October and can be found online at <https://www.lancashire.gov.uk/children-education-families/schools/apply-for-a-school-place/starting-secondary-school/>

Half Term Attendance

If your child has achieved 100% attendance you will have had a Parent App notification to say thank you and well done.

We do appreciate that there has been some illness but if your child is below 90% you will have received a letter in your child's book bag. This will result in a meeting after half term in school to discuss ways to improve your child's attendance.

Parish Sacramental Programme: Reconciliation and Holy Communion

There is now a registration form for all parents of children in year 4 and above who wish to receive the sacraments of Reconciliation and Holy Communion next year. This needs to be completed by 30th October. For a copy of the registration form please email Ann-Marie at catechist@lancastercathedral.org.uk or phone 65442, or link My Lord and My God 2022-23.

Lancaster Music Centre at Central Lancaster High School

Lancaster Music Centre is running a singing ensemble and lessons for learning instruments at Central Lancaster High School on Thursdays between 4:00pm and 7:00pm. If you would like further information, see the leaflets opposite.

Poppy Appeal

After half term we will be selling poppy's every day for the British Legion.

Donation for poppies are suggested 50p

Stationery and slap bands £1-£2

Thank you.



Lessons, bands and ensembles for children and young people.

String ensemble 5pm-6pm
Street band 5pm - 6pm
Orchestra for all 6pm - 7pm

Thursday
Central Lancaster High School
4pm - 7pm during term time

Contact Helen Bowden
07966 745033
helen.bowden@lancashire.gov.uk

www.lancashiremusichub.co.uk
www.lancashire.gov.uk



Dates for Your Diary

- November 3rd Fancy dress disco R/KS1 5-5.45pm
KS2 6-7pm
- November 10th Preloved uniform sale school hall 3:15pm
- November 17th Film night 3:15-5:00pm
- December 2nd Own clothes day in exchange for a present for the secrets room
- December 9th Own clothes day in exchange for a bottle
PTA Christmas Fayre
- December 14th Christmas secrets room
- December 15th Whole school carol service 2-3pm in the Cathedral
- December 16th School closes for Christmas 1:30pm