



Coppull St John's C.E. Primary School



Thursday 5th September 2019

'We are growing and learning together in God's Love'

Happy New School Year!

A very warm welcome back to school, especially to our new families joining us for the first time. The children look very smart in their uniform and have settled back in to the school routine very well. They have adjusted to the new classroom arrangements really well.

For our new families; the newsletter gives vital information about your child, their learning and our school. It is our main line of communication with parents. Newsletters are sent via email from 'Teachers2Parents'. Please can we ask that any telephone numbers or email address changes be notified to the office in order to receive information from school? Newsletters are also available to read on the school website.

This term in worship, the children will be thinking about the value 'Generosity'.

'God loves a cheerful giver'

2 Corinthians 9 v7



Baby Barlow

I am delighted to share the wonderful news and tell you that Miss Barlow gave birth to baby Noah Jacob on Friday 2nd August. Both Mum and baby are doing really well. We look forward to seeing them soon.

Roald Dahl's birthday – Friday 13th September

We are inviting children to dress up as their favourite Roald Dahl character and celebrate the world's Number One Storyteller with a 'Dahlicious Dress-Up Day' to support Roald Dahl's Marvellous Children's Charity. By offering a voluntary donation of £1, you can help us fund more Roald Dahl Nurses to help seriously ill children and their families. Class activities throughout the day will focus on the theme of Roald Dahl.

In addition, children can join us in a special Roald Dahl lunch. Please see separate letter coming home tonight with your child.



Sport- ***Gold Level***

I am delighted to report that in the summer term the school was awarded- once again- the **Gold Level in the School Sports Mark**. Congratulations and a big thank you to all the staff and children involved in achieving this award.

Uniform

The children look so smart in their uniform, thank you. Please make sure that every piece of your child's uniform is named.

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Celebration assembly

Please note the change of time for our celebration assembly. This will now be on **Friday at 2.55pm**. All families and friends are welcome to attend our weekly celebration assembly.

Macmillan Coffee Morning- Friday 27th September 10.00am



We would love you to join us for the Macmillan coffee morning from 10.00am in the school hall. Support in the past has been very much appreciated and we would love to run the event once again. Donations of home baked goods would be much appreciated (please include a label with all the ingredients you have used). Please contact school if you are able to bake for the event.

Coffee and a piece of cake will be £2.50 - tickets will be available from the school office from next Thursday. There

will also be a raffle with tickets 20p each.

Family and friends are welcome to attend with you. All proceeds will be donated to Macmillan charity.

Water

A polite reminder, children can bring fresh water into school, to drink throughout the day. Please avoid juice as this is not part of promoting 'healthy eating and drinking'.

Parent Information booklet and Data Collection forms

Please return the data collection forms providing at least two emergency contacts.

Please return the Parent Information booklet so that school is clear on permission regarding what can be shared on public websites such as the school website and Facebook.

Please return both forms by Friday 13th September. Thank you for your continued support, this information is important in ensuring school is compliant in safeguarding your child.

Extra-curricular activities

Look out for letters coming home for your children to attend an after school club week commencing 16th September. The timetable for the autumn term will be as follows:

	during the school day	year group	after school club	year group
Monday			multi sports/ fitness training	All
Tuesday	choir	2-6	computing club	3,4,5,6
Wednesday	recorders	3-6	Zumba (outside provider includes a cost)	All
Thursday			football	3,4,5,6

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Friday	board games	All		
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May Bank Holiday

An Advance notice that the May bank holiday has changed from Monday 4th May to Friday 8th May 2020. School will now be closed on **Friday 8th May**.

Lunches

A polite reminder, children who are now in year 3 will need to pay for school dinners. The price currently is £2.30. Please make cheques payable to LCC. If you think that you may qualify for Free School Meals please telephone Lancashire County Council on 01772 533608/532189.

Lancashire Music Service

We have had notification today from the Music Service that they will commence tuition from next week during the school day.

Clarinet – awaiting confirmation

Guitar and Ukulele will take place on Thursdays.

Lost property

A 'Fitbit' type watch has been handed in at the office. If this belongs to your child, please contact the office. Thank you.

Upcoming dates for your diary	Events
Friday 13 th September	Roald Dahl dressing up day
Wednesday 25 th September	Visiting author
Thursday 26 th September	Harvest
Friday 27 th September from 10.00am	Macmillan Coffee Morning
Wednesday 9 th October	Open Afternoon
Tuesday 15 th October from 3.30pm	'Meet the Teacher'
Thursday 17 th October	Art Exhibition

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