

# Euxton Primrose Hill WEDNESDAY WEEKLY

27th November 2024



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"Together We Will Make A Difference."

#### **HEADTEACHER MESSAGE:**

School is beginning to feel and look a lot like Christmas... Matoli's Pizza in partnership with Rivington Trees and Aldi have each very kindly donated a Christmas tree to school. A huge thank you to both companies for this. We cannot wait to see the children's faces when the lights are sparkling. Please do check the dates below for all that is happening in school during the festive season.

We are all very excited for RockKidz being in school this Friday and cannot wait to see everyone's rock outfits!

Have a lovely weekend when it arrives.

Mrs Claire Jones Headteacher

#### THE GREAT PRIMROSE BAUBLE EXCHANGE

All the children will be making and bringing home a lovely festive tree decoration next week. In exchange we are requesting that each child in school donates a bauble or decoration from their tree at home. These will be placed on trees in the upper and lower hall for the whole school community to admire for years to come! Children can bring their offerings into school week commencing Monday 2nd December. We can't wait to see what variety of colours, shapes and designs are donated.



#### UNIFORM POLICY

We kindly remind all parents that, in line with our uniform policy, students are not permitted to wear earrings, spacers, gel nails, or nail polish during the school day. This policy is in place to ensure a safe, distraction-free environment for learning and applies equally to all students. We appreciate your support in helping us maintain these standards. Thank you for your cooperation!

#### **SHOEBOX GIFTS FOR UKRAINE**

With the conflict in Ukraine still continuing, the School Council have decided to support the Chorley and District "Ukraine Unit". They will be sending shoeboxes of toys, toiletries, sweets etc. Please see the attached flyer for further information. Please can you send your filled and wrapped shoeboxes into school from Monday 25th November to Friday 29th November. Many Thanks - The School Council

#### **BELLWAY COMPETITION**

Well done to Grace B in reception who won 1st Prize in the Bellway design a flag competition. Her design was made into a flag which can now be seen at the Bellway development off Runshaw lane and she won £50 of cinema tickets. Congratulations Grace!



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#### **NON-UNIFORM DAY - FESTIVE FAIR**

Friday 6th December is non-uniform day in preparation for our Festive Fair on December 12th - we hope you all have your raffle tickets!

On the non-uniform day can your child please bring in a contribution for the festive fair:

EYFS - Wrapped sweets (Haribo, love hearts etc).

Years 1, 2 & 3 - Bottle of wine

Years 4,5 & 6 - Box of chocolate/selection box/bar of chocolate

#### **ECO CLUB**

Welcome to our new Eco members of 2024. Eco club have come up with many plans we would love to achieve this year. One or our targets is to collect enough plastic bottle tops so that they can be converted into outdoor furniture. Each bottle top allocates us points and the more points the better the item we can acquire. All bottle tops can be brought into school and placed in the box.

Thank you to everyone who turned up to the first Eco Day of the term. It was lovely to see you all and your help is very much appreciated.



#### **CHRISTMAS PERFORMANCES**

Within the next few weeks you will receive tickets home with your child for their class Christmas Performances. Please see details of these tickets below:

UKS2 'Carol of the Bells Festive Concert' 17th December- 1 ticket for each performance.

LKS2 'Carols around the tree' 19th December- 1 ticket for each performance.

Year 2 - 'Everybody loves a baby' 13th December- 2 tickets per family.

Year 1 - 'Festive Sing-a-long' 16th December- 2 tickets per family.

EYFS - 'A Wriggly Nativity' 10th & 11th December- 2 tickets per family.

#### **CANCER RESEARCH UK**

We are attempting to make a super long loomband, it is 50p to guess how long it is. There is a prize for the closest guess. Anyone can enter. There is a teacher entry, an EYFS entry and a KS1 and KS2 entry.

If you would like to enter, please write your name, class and guess on a piece of paper and put it in a sealed envelope along with 50p. Guesses open on the 15th November and close on 16th December.

Thank you - Bea, Sophie and Oliver (Y6)

#### **CHILDRENS UNIVERSITY**

All outstanding children's University passports have now been received and sent home in pupils' bags today. A reminder that all credits can be back dates so pupils will not miss out. If you have any further questions please contact Mrs Swires.

#### SIGNIFICANT CHANGES TO PENALTY NOTICE CHARGES

The DfE have recently announced national charges to penalty notices issues for unauthorised absences in term time, these came into into effect on the 19th August 2024.

- Penalty notices issued for the offence after the 19th of August 2024 will be charged at the new rate of £160.00 however if paid in 21-days this reduces to £80.00.
- Any second penalty notice to the same parent for the same child in a rolling 3-year period will be issued at the rate of £160.00 to be paid within 28-days with no option for a discount.
- Penalty notice threshold is 10-sessions equivalent to 5-days of unauthorised absence in a rolling 10-school week period.
- Maximum of 2-penalty notices may be issued for the same child within a rolling 3-years period, so at the 3rd or subsequent
  offence another course of action will need to be considered such a prosecution or one of the other attendance legal
  interventions.

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### **Pupil Achievements and Celebrations**





YEAR 5 Mont Blanc - Zachary L Olympus - Zachary M

YEAR 1 Ash - April T Cedar - Halle W

YFAR 2

Elm - Macie T

Maple - Arthur K



**House Point Winners** 

YEAR 4 Ben Nevis - Daisy B Snowdon - Isobel R

> Pendle - Daisy W Rivington - Faye J

#### Reminders And To Do

We are a nut free school. Please do not bring any snacks into school which contain nuts, including Nutella products. **OVERDUE** KS2 Pantomime - Payment now overdue. OVERDUE Y2 Pantomime - Payment now overdue. OVERDUE EYFS & Y1 Panto - Payment now overdue. Y5 Hothersall Lodge - 1st payment now overdue. Y6 Boreatton Park - 3rd installment now overdue.

SCHOOL DINNERS OR PACKED LUNCH - CHANGES As per the ParentMail if your child wishes to change from packed lunches to school dinners, or vice-versa, or change their menu choices from January, please inform the school office staff via email office@primrosehill@euxton.lancs.sch.uk or phone by Friday 6th December 2024. We do ask parents/carers to pay one week in advance for school dinners and the weekly charge for school dinners will be £13.75. Thanks!

FRIDAY FAVOURITES AND TOAST - After the Christmas holiday we would like to offer your child the opportunity to enjoy one of the following hot dinners: Pizza and Chips or Fish, Chips and Peas/Beans all accompanied by salad and bread. There will be an assortment of desserts to follow. The cost will be £33.00 for 12 weeks, (Friday 10th January until Friday 4th April) If you would like your child to enjoy this lunch option, then please pay via the payment item '25 FF Spring Term' in ParentPay by Friday 6th December. No late orders will be accepted.

TOAST - If your child would like toast for the full Spring term the cost will be £15.25. The payment item is in ParentPay '25 Toast Spring Term'.



## Dates for the Diary 2024-2025



#### **November**

29th Rock Kidz UK - Dress as Rock stars

2nd Full Governors meeting 6pm

#### December

5th	EYFS & Y1 Pantomime In school- Beauty & the Beas
6th	Non-uniform day (Contribution for Festive Fair)
<b>10th</b>	EYFS Nativity - 2pm
11th	EYFS Nativity - 10am
12th	Christmas jumper day
	Community event - Generations of Primrose Hill
	Carols 1:45pm
	Festive Fair 5:30pm-7pm

13th Y2 Christmas Nativity 2pm
Primrose buds festive session stay & play 9-10:15am

**16th** KS2 Pantomime - Jungle Book - Octagon Theatre Y1 Festive sing-a-long 10am

Y2 Grandparents Afternoon
 17th Y2 Pantomime - Cinderella - King George's Hall
 Y5/6 Carol of the Bells Festive Concert 1:45pm &

6:30pm (Euxton C of E Church)

18th Choir singing at Euxton Library 1:45pm

**19th** LKS2 Christmas Production 'Carols around the

tree' 9am & 2pm

#### January

**9th** Open Day 9:15am - 10:15am \*

#### Primrose Hill Clubs 2024 - 2025 - Autumn 2

Name of Club	Run by	Day	<u>Finish</u>	Collect From
Y6 Homework Club	Miss Burns / Mrs Brockie	Every Wednesday	4:10pm	Office
Choir Y5&6	Mrs Swinburn	Every Wednesday	4pm	Everest
Wellbeing & Mindfulness (KS1)	Mrs Swires	Wednesday Last session 27.11.24	4pm	Office
Dance ClubY4,5,6	Mrs Walsh	Every Thursday	4.10pm	Office

#### Sports Clubs Autumn Term 2 W/C 28/10/24 - W/C 16/12/24

Day	Club	Finish Time	At the end of the
Monday	Y3&4 Sports Hall Athletics	4:30pm	sports clubs, please
Tuesday	Boccia & Kurling KS1 &2	4pm	collect from the main
Wednesday	Dodgeball Y3&4	4:30pm	school entrance.
Thursday	Basketball Y5&6	4:30pm	
Friday	Sports Council	4:30pm	



## Christmas Shoebox Appeal 2024

This Christmas we are sending shoebox parcels of goodies so that people who have lost a lot during the conflict there, can have something for Christmas that might be useful and enjoyable.

If you are able, please consider filling a wrapped shoebox of items and donating it to us at the 'Ukraine Unit' in Chorley town centre.

The box and lid needs to be wrapped separately and closed with a rubber band around it. Please then label it to show if the contents are for a **Girl, Boy, Man, Woman or Soldier**. If it is for a child, please also add an approximate age group the parcel is appropriate for.



#### Contents could include:

gloves, scarf, hat, chocolate, sweets, toy, soap, socks, razor, plasters, compass, matches, candles, heat pads, drink sachets, soup sachets, notepads, pens, etc...perhaps even a letter or Christmas card ©



• If you can't, fill a box, donate what you can and we will fill it up.

Please note, we will be only accepting Shoeboxes in classrooms from Monday 25th Nov to Friday 29th November.



'Ukraine Unit' (The White Hart) Mealhouse Lane, Chorley, PR7 1DZ. Weds 2-4pm & Sats 10am-12

#### DEADLINE:

The deadline is 29th November for Donations through School. If you want to contribute after this time, please take shoeboxes to the Ukraine Unit in Chorley.

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Friday 1st November 2024

Friday 15th November 2024

Friday 13th December 2024

Drinks



Friends

9am - 10.15am in the upper hall





## EUXTON PRIMROSE HILL

Primary School

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# OPEN DAYS

**Monday 23rd September 2024** 

Morning - 9:15am - 10:15am



**Tuesday 15th October 2024** 

Morning - 9:15am - 10:15am



Wednesday 20th November 2024

Afternoon - 1:45pm - 2:45pm



Thursday 9th January 2025 Morning - 9:15am - 10:15am

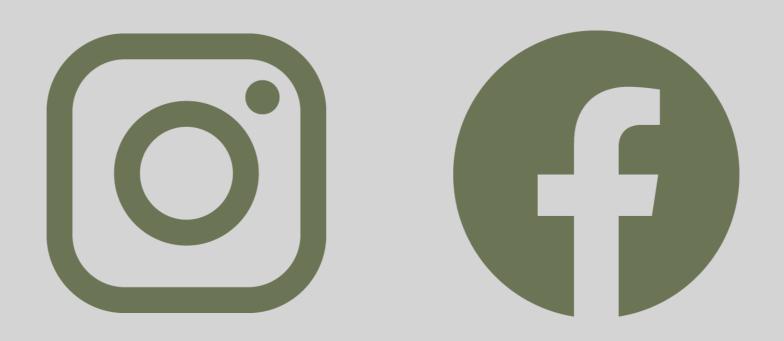
## To book a place please call: 01257 276688



- "Pupils flourish at this warm and welcoming school."
- "Pupils' behaviour across the school is exemplary. Pupils are polite, caring and thoughtful."
- "The school is highly ambitious for all pupils, including those with special educational needs and/or disabilities (SEND)."

Ofsted - July 2024





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LOCATION: GREAT HOUSE LOWER BARN, BL6 7SB

#### DATES

23RD 24TH NOV 30TH 1ST DEC 7TH 8TH DEC 14TH 15TH DEC 21ST 22ND DEC

## FRESHLY CUT NORDMANN FIR TREES WITH A VARIETY OF SIZES TO CHOOSE FROM

To reserve in advance email us: rivingtontrees@gmail.com





## Winter 2024/2025

## Newsletter

FREE until JAN 25



## Understanding the Teenage Brain

Watch this recorded session in your own time, to learn why our teens think, feel and behave very differently from adults and how we can support them.

Thursday 5th Dec

19:00 - 21:00

£24



## Supporting a Child with ADHD

Challenging the stereotypes and giving practical interventions. Clear explanation of the condition in all its forms and extremely useful advice.

## Tuesday 17th Dec

19:00 - 21:00

£24



### **Facing Defiance**

Effective interventions for handling defiant behaviour. ADHD, ODD and PDA relevant as well as regular challenging behaviour. Introduction to the FACE programme -Facing Defiance - 6 week course

## Tuesday 7th Jan

19:00 - 21:00

£24



### **Anxiety-Based School Avoidance**

Understanding and supporting children who are anxious about school.

Steps you can take to help them back into the classroom.

## Thursday 9 Jan

19:00 - 21:00

£24



## AUTISM: Improving Communication

Looking at how small changes in how we communicate with children on the spectrum can lead to big improvements.

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## WINTER TIMETABLE

Talks are delivered online via zoom 7pm to 9pm £24 each
If you can't make the date ask for the link to the
recording, available for 48 hours afterwards
Book online at facefamilyadvice.co.uk
go to the PARENT page

FREE - Decreasing Depression FREE - Anxiety Explained	25 NOV 20 JAN
What is ACT?	26 NOV, 21 JAN
Understanding Addictive Behaviour	28 NOV
Supporting a Child with ADHD	5 DEC, 2 JAN
Understanding Anger	16 DEC, 13 JAN
Facing Defiance	17 DEC, 14 JAN
Supporting Healthy Screen Use	19 DEC, 16 JAN
Anxiety-Based School Avoidance	7 JAN
AUTISM: Improving Communication	9 JAN
Raising Self-Esteem	27 JAN
Supporting Healthy Sleep	28 JAN
Improving Family Communication	4 FEB
Introduction to OCD	18 FEB

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