

# INSKIP ST. PETER'S C.E. PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

*Learning, Loving and Living with Jesus*

Keep your roots deep in Jesus Christ the Lord, build your lives on him

and always be thankful. *Colossians 2:7*



**Monday 19th October 2020—We break up for half term on Friday at 3.30pm**

The Friends will be having a non-uniform day this **Friday 23rd October** where your child can choose to wear what they would like in **exchange for £1**. All funds will go towards the Friends latest project. Miss Leyland will have a box at the gate to collect your child's £1 as they arrive.

**Friends** have a zoom meeting **this Thursday 22nd October, at 7.00pm** for their AGM. Please contact Claire Nash through school for a zoom invitation if you would like to attend.

## Remembrance Services

We have been invited to **St. Peter's Church Remembrance Service** at **10.45am** on **Sunday 8th November**. We'd love 2 pupils to carry up our 2 school poppy wreaths to the altar in Church during the service and then lay them at the war memorial in the Churchyard. If you'll be attending and your child would like to be involved in this please let Miss Leyland know. COVID-19 control measures are implemented in Church to ensure all services follow government guidelines.



We recognise that during this pandemic many lives are altering. If you find that you are now claiming any of the benefits below, your school aged child/ren will qualify for **free school dinners and other financial help**

The range of benefits which qualify you are:

- Income Support
- Income-based Jobseeker's Allowance
- Income-related Employment and Support Allowance
- Child Tax Credit, not entitled to Working Tax Credit and household income less than £16,190
- Universal Credit with a household income of less than £7,400 a year (after tax and not including any benefits you get)
- Support under Part VI of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
- Guarantee element of State Pension Credit
- Working Tax Credit 'run on' – the payment you receive for a further four weeks after you finish work

If you believe you may qualify click on the link below which will take you to a form which will take no longer than 2 minutes to complete.

<https://www.lancashire.gov.uk/children-education-families/schools/free-school-meals/?page=3>

## School Website

Since being back at school all our children have been doing lots of active learning. Lower School have put up lots of blogs about their classroom adventures. Thank you to all our new Upper School parents for getting involved with our Class Dojo app.

Thank you N.G.K <https://www.inskip.lancs.sch.uk/blog/2020-10-15-14-30-01-a-letter-from-the-author-n-g-k>

### Message from The Friends

Hello from Inskip Friends,

Due to Covid 19, Friends are unable to hold our usual fundraising events. Which is such a shame as our Summer Fayre and Pop up Party, which have been greatly missed, are always so successful and always raise good funds for the school. It's also not looking good for our Christmas Fayre.

So, in an attempt to raise some much-needed funds, you may notice some new ideas this year. One is to start a 'Pre-Loved' School uniform shop. You will today receive an email with an attached PDF listing all the items we currently have available. All items have been washed and individually bagged and labelled. Once again to stick to Covid rules we are offering these items by an order form system, on a 1st come 1st served basis.

We will hopefully be sending this list out to you in the last week of every half term, So you can support our little school before having to go to the shops to buy new. Just email your order through to **inskipfriends@hotmail.com** or text to **07841 195886** (Helen) along with your name and we will get your order to you at school drop off or pick up.

Please keep in mind that all items are 'Pre-Loved' and so may have some signs of previous use. For example, Marks where name tags have been removed or names written on labels.

If you still find that you have to buy new items then please remember to shop via [www.easypfundraising.org.uk](http://www.easypfundraising.org.uk) and choose 'Inskip St Peters PTA' as your cause and we will still benefit from a donation whilst costing you nothing extra at all.

Many Thanks, Inskip School Friends.



### Personal Belongings

**Please could all parents please check their children's uniforms for other peoples clothing as we have had a couple of missing items going a stray. If you do find any items please either return to the parent or ask your child to hand it in to their teacher. Thank you.**

Please try your best to ensure that your child brings everything they need in to school with them when they arrive in the morning, this is to minimise people coming up to school throughout the day.

Please could we ask that ALL clothing is clearly named. Due to COVID we are now unable to hold a lost property box and therefore the clear presence of a name will ensure that your child's items are returned to your child's peg. Name labels are available from Label Planet using the link below (our Friends receive 25% commission to go towards school on all orders).

<https://www.stikins.co.uk/?PARTNER=10509> our school code is 10509.

### Outdoor Kit Reminder

In order to be in line with government guidance that outside sports at school should be prioritised over inside sports, **as many of our PE lessons will be outside as possible.**

It does get very windy and cold in Inskip so please ensure that your child has **thick jogging bottoms and a sweatshirt to wear in their PE kit, these should be black or green.**

If you would like outdoor sports clothing bearing our St Peter's crest please purchase these through Singoli sustainable school wear; email [david@singoli.co.uk](mailto:david@singoli.co.uk) or call 07547 408648.

## **NEW Lunch Menu**

Our children love Mrs Billington's cooking and we always encourage the children to have a healthy lunch and try anything new. We do appreciate that some children who are on packed lunches would like sometimes to have a school meal when their favourite is on the menu. If your child would like to choose a lunch option please ask them to tell their teacher at register time. The children in lower school receive universal free school meals and we always encourage all our children to take a school dinner. Choosing their lunch is an important part of their learning by trying new things and to make independent choices.

We return after half term we will be on week one.

**Please make sure your child knows which meal they will be having that day.**

		Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<b>Week 1</b>	<b>Option 1</b>	Sausage, Mash & Veg	Tomato Meatballs & Spaghetti	Roast Dinner with Potatoes & Veg	Chicken Goujon Wrap	Fish Finger & Chips
	<b>Option 2</b>	Chicken Tikka & Rice	Salmon with New Potatoes & Veg	Pizza, Wedges & Corn on the Cob	Jacket Potato with a choice of fillings	Hot-Dog & Chips
	<b>Dessert</b>	Apple Muffins	Jelly	Shortbread	Cheese & Crackers	Cookies
	<b>Sides</b>	Salad, Bread, Milk, Fruit & Yoghurts	Salad, Bread, Milk, Fruit & Yoghurts	Salad, Bread, Milk, Fruit & Yoghurts	Salad, Bread, Milk, Fruit & Yoghurts	Salad, Bread, Milkshake, Fruit & Yoghurts

<b>Week 2</b>	<b>Option 1</b>	Brunch	Mascarpone Pasta	Roast Dinner with Potatoes &	Spaghetti Bolognese	Fish & Chips
	<b>Option 2</b>	Cheese & Onion Pasties	Pizza, Wedges & Corn on the Cob	Cheese Panini	Jacket Potato with a choice of fillings	Beefburger & Chips
	<b>Dessert</b>	Berry Muffins	Flap Jack	Ice Cream Roll	Oat Cookies	Brownies
	<b>Sides</b>	Salad, Bread, Milk, Fruit & Yoghurts	Salad, Bread, Milk, Fruit & Yoghurts	Salad, Bread, Milk, Fruit & Yoghurts	Salad, Bread, Milk, Fruit & Yoghurts	Salad, Bread, Milk, Fruit & Yoghurts

<b>Week 3</b>	<b>Option 1</b>	Tomato Pasta	Chilli Boats	Roast Dinner with Potatoes &	Chicken Tikka & Rice	Fish Finger & Chips
	<b>Option 2</b>	Meatballs, Mash & Veg	Pizza, Wedges & Corn on the Cob	Jacket Potato with a choice of fillings	BBQ Chicken Wraps	Sausage Roll & Chips
	<b>Dessert</b>	Chocolate Sponge	Jam Sponge	Cookies	Cheese & Crackers	Ice Lollies
	<b>Sides</b>	Salad, Bread, Milk, Fruit & Yoghurts	Salad, Bread, Milk, Fruit & Yoghurts	Salad, Bread, Milk, Fruit & Yoghurts	Salad, Bread, Milk, Fruit & Yoghurts	Salad, Bread, Milk, Fruit & Yoghurts

\*Options are subject to change.

**Lancashire County Council have asked all schools to share information with parents to limit the spread of COVID-19 in our community**

- If you have any concerns or anxieties about what is happening in school, please contact the school in the first instance. The DfE guidance is generalised and you will need to understand how schools have interpreted this in response to their setting
- There are a number of guidance documents for parents on the DfE (Department for Education) website which may help you to understand headline information.
- Please inform your child's school immediately you get a test result.
- Parents should be aware that schools cannot share the personal details of confirmed cases within the school community
- If your child is sent home to isolate from school this also means they have to isolate from all other activities, events, occasions
- All children with confirmed COVID-19 must not return to school; failure to self-isolate in line with national guidance can lead to a fine of £1000 being imposed
- If your child is entitled to FSM and is required to isolate you will be provided with a food parcel from the school kitchen
- Please be a role model for your children in terms of keeping socially distanced from others when collecting/dropping off your child
- Be prepared to have to collect your child from school during each school day as the requirement to isolate can occur at any time; have a back-up plan if you will be in work
- The completion of remote learning is not optional. As a family you need to be prepared for a child to learn at home. They will need a quiet space to work? They may need access to equipment – pens / paper / access to IT.
- In the event of pupils being required to self-isolate, parents are responsible for securing the safe care of their children. Please consider the plans you have to ensure there is an adult at home during the day in this event as there will be limited notification
- It is widely recognised that children cannot socially distance in schools. Schools are securing safe distancing through consistent seating plans, reduced contact between groups, staggered starts and managed break times.
- It is important that young people continue to follow social distancing guidance when out of school and do not congregate in groups or disregard the 2 metre rule
- Consider the impact of possible quarantine on your child's attendance before booking overseas travel.

## Dates for the diary:-

Friday 23rd Oct	School Closes for Autumn Half Term
Friday 30th Oct	Library Van will be in the village
Saturday 31st Oct	Secondary School Applications Close at 23:59
Monday 2nd Nov	School Re-opens
Friday 18th Dec	School Closes for Christmas
Monday 4th Jan	School Re-opens
Friday 15th Jan	Primary School Applications Close at 23:59

## Clubs:-

MONDAY 19th	8:00am—8.50am	Breakfast Club
	<b>3.30pm—4.30pm</b>	<b>Crafts/Construction/Games</b>
TUESDAY 20th	8:00am—8.50am	Breakfast Club
	<b>3.30pm—4.30pm</b>	<b>Tennis with Simon Ardron</b>
WEDNESDAY 21st	8:00am—8.50am	Breakfast Club
	<b>3.30pm—4.30pm</b>	<b>Sports Club</b>
THURSDAY 22nd	8:00am—8.50am	Breakfast Club
	<b>3.30pm—4.30pm</b>	<b>Crafts/Construction/Games</b>
FRIDAY 23rd	8:00am—8.50am	Breakfast Club
	<b>3.30pm—4.30pm</b>	<b>Sports Club</b>

We are so proud of Sian!

During lockdown Mrs Law suggested to the Upper School children that they write stories for entry to a Blue Peter competition, well Sian did and last week a letter of congratulations for her story entitled 'The Magic Eggs' and a Blue Peter badge arrived in the post!



William for 22nd October

Kial for 25th October

### **BirthdaySweets**

Unfortunately, due to COVID, we are **unable** to hand out birthday sweets at this time. We do ask that your child does not bring into school anything other than their school requirements.