

Penwortham Priory Post



Say Hello To Priory's 2023 Intake!

This week we welcomed our new intake of pupils and their parents as they begin their journey at Priory.

On Tuesday evening, Mr Eastham introduced key staff and Priory's policies to parents in the Assembly Hall. Meanwhile, the new pupils met their Head of Year, Mrs Farley, in the Auditorio where Year 7 Noah and Lainie spoke confidently about their first year experiences. The evening was an opportunity for us to get to know our new families and for them to pick up essential information about uniform, transport etc and ask questions about the transition from primary school.

On Wednesday, our new pupils returned to spend their first full day at Priory to sample lessons, navigate their way around and find out more about their new school.

Before experiencing lessons in PE, History and Science, the full intake met in the Assembly Hall for 'getting to know you' activities and pupil bingo!

Mrs Farley reacquainted herself with the year group which she had already met in their primary schools and said,

"It was great to have everyone together for their induction day. There were a few nerves but I think by the time they had even finished the first set of activities the majority felt a lot more comfortable. It was great to see the excitement on their faces and I'm sure they will all settle well in to their new surroundings in September, and of course we have Summer School before then which has been really well received and I know they are really looking forward to!"

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Key Dates

Diary Dates

Did you know that the term dates for this academic year, as well as the following year, are available to view and download from our website?

www.priory.lancs.sch.uk/parents/termdates

Tues, 11 July

Year 7 Maths trip (invited pupils only)

14 -17 July

Paris trip
(Back in school Tues, 18 July)

Thurs, 20 July

Last day of term
Early lunch followed by school closure at 1.10pm

21-23 August

Summer School (new intake only)

Thurs, 24 August

GCSE results day

Tues, 5 September

First day of Autumn term

Weds, 20 September

Learning for Life Day 1
Early lunch followed by school closure at 1.10pm

Thurs, 21 September

INSET school closed

OPEN EVENING

Thurs, 21 September
4pm - 8pm
Booking not needed

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Prior to leaving at the end of their induction day, our Year 7 helpers took their younger peers on a tour, taking in the sites of our beautiful gardens, the Hex and the Technology block, sports facilities and everything in between.

Thank you to our helpers and Year 10 ambassadors who supported both events : Owen B, Lucy B, Aisha B, Olivia B, Caitlin B, Jamie C, Amelie C, Theo C, Grace D, Cameron H, Megan H, Katie H, Abi M, Martha McA, Lily McM, Preston McM, Jess M, Lucas R, Sharin S-R, Lewis T and Final W.

And to our Year 7, 8 and 9 helpers: Lilly H, Kelsey-Rae D, Excellence I, Jacob R, Solange P, Emily A, Nicole M, Ossian H, Will B, Lily E, Reese L, Naeem K, Esa B, Eliza G, Zara W, Alexis G, Daniel McC, Bobby B, Christopher C, Ellie-May S.

Parents who have registered their child for Summer School should have received our plans and arrangements for 21-23 August and these can also be found on our website at >> www.priory.lancs.sch.uk/about-priory/transition/summer-school. Contact Miss Ackers with any queries b.ackers@priory.lancs.sch.uk

Pupils that attended on Wednesday have been given a 'first day arrangements' letter which can also be downloaded at www.priory.lancs.sch.uk/about-priory/transition. In the meantime we look forward to seeing all our new Year 7 pupils in school from Tuesday, 5 September.



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We asked our current Year 7s what nuggets of advice they would give to the Year 6s ...

Our Year 7s are close to completing their first year at Priory and all admitted that, while they were nervous before they came into school, they have relished their first year here. You will get a warm welcome at Priory!

A selection of Year 7s talked about their first year at secondary school and how they found it. They also had this advice...

Finn, who went to Whitefield Primary School, said: "I have enjoyed my first year. I did well on a spelling test recently! I like sports the best. I play football and enjoy boxing."

Naeem advised, "I really enjoy English and if you don't act yourself, you don't know what true friends you're going to make!"

Noah, who went to Broad Oak Primary School, said: "All the older pupils have been really nice and helped us settle in. I attend Chess Club and am a librarian."

Wren, who went to Middleforth CoE Primary School, said: "There are more lessons and you move around a lot more than primary school but there is nothing to be scared of coming to Priory."

Esa added, "I really enjoy PE and don't be scared to do what you want to do, not what you think other people will like."

Josh, who attended Little Hoole Primary School, said: "I did find it a bit hard at first as it's not like primary school but I have settled in now. I play basketball."

Merdi, who went to Kingsfold Primary School, said: "My favourite subject is PE. The main difference is the technology lessons, I enjoy them."

Excellence offered, "If you're interested in PE there are lots of fun activities like football and basketball."

Shivam said, "I enjoy maths and don't follow what other people say, follow your dreams"

Mrs Farley
Transition Manager & Head of year 7



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A Picnic at Priory



Friday, 30 June was the date set in the calendar for a whole school 70th Anniversary celebration picnic and sponsored walk - but it wasn't to be.

The day was to commence with a sponsored walk in the morning followed by a picnic event on the school field for the remainder of the day. There was to be traditional games and activities, music through the decades and a whole school photo - all topped off with a picnic lunch. Pupils were also to get a free ice cream!

Unfortunately, persistent rain meant we had to cancel our plans but the Mrs Dowson's Farm Park ice cream and fruit sorbet didn't dampen the spirits of these Year 7 and Year 8 classes on the day.

700 cartons delivered - one for each of us!

Assistant Principal, Mr Gee said,

"We had to take the difficult decision to postpone the sponsored walk and picnic. The walk will happen at a later date, before the end of the academic year, and we will choose a date when we know we have a day of dry weather, even if this is with 24 hours' notice."

We also hope to have an afternoon of the planned activities on another date and will let pupils and parents know accordingly.



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Holiday Activities and Food Scheme (HAF)

Book now for Summer Holiday!

South Ribble Borough Council's HAF aims to provide healthy food and fun activities for children aged 4 to 16 who are eligible for benefit-related Free School Meals.

There are 6 weeks of amazing activities ready to book now, including football, gymnastics, multi-sports, boxing skills, circus skills, forest school and inflatable play zone.

If your child does not receive benefit-related Free School Meals, but would still like to take part, please see website for details.

<https://southribble.gov.uk/haf>

Last Chance For Tickets!

70th Anniversary Summer Raffle

The raffle will be drawn by Mr Eastham during the interval at next Wednesday's Summer Arts Evening.

Tickets can be purchased for cash at the event on 12 July or via SCOPay (www.scopay.com/login) before 3pm that day.

For further information and to see the prizes on offer, please see poster below or visit the school website at

www.priory.lancs.sch.uk/fundraising-priory/70th-anniversary-raffle

Thank you for your support!



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Priory's Eco Committee Meet Their Primary Counterparts



The Eco Committee had a very informative visit to Whitefield Primary School to meet their Eco Ambassadors last week. Led by Science Teacher, Mrs Massey, the group talked about the projects they have set up and had a tour of their grounds.

Whilst at the school the Committee also looked at the areas they have left to re-wild and where they grow fruit and vegetables.

Mrs Massey said, *"It was great to hear that the young people are so enthusiastic and well informed about their local environment. Our pupils asked them great questions and spoke about the projects we have been working on."*

In the new academic year, the team at Whitefield Primary School will visit Priory and we plan to continue to share ideas and projects as well as raise awareness of the importance of caring for our planet.



Food Bank Donations Gratefully Received

As we reach the end of the term, we are asking staff and pupils to bring in food to be donated to the Penwortham Food Bank. They are currently experiencing a high level of demand, and this often increases as the school holidays start.



Donations should be taken to Mrs Massey's room, SC1, before form, break or lunch. If each member of the school community brings in just one item it will make a huge difference. Pupils will be rewarded citizenship points towards their Priory+ award.

Donations will be dropped off at the food bank on Friday, 14 July so any items will be gratefully received before then.

Mrs Massey
Teacher of Science



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Priory Pupils Enjoy A European Adventure

At the end of June, forty-four pupils set off for Paris and Bruges accompanied by Mr Watters, Miss Makinson, Mrs Elliott, Mrs Whalley, Mr Faulkner and Mr Kenrick.

All the group had their purple hoodies especially produced for the trip which included visits to Disneyland Paris, the Eiffel Tower, the Montparnasse Tower, Vimy Tunnels, Tyne Cot Cemetery, Menin Gate and Vimy Ridge Memorial. They also enjoyed a trip along the Seine in a Bateaux Mouches and stopped by at a chocolaterie in Belgium.

Here's Miss Makinson's daily blog of their trip...

Day 1

Day 1 of Paris has been a success. We have arrived safely, and spent the day in Disneyland Paris.

The students are tired and ready for a good rest after an early start, ready to start all again in Paris tomorrow!

Day 2

The last full day in France saw a day trip enjoying the sights and sounds of Paris.

We started with the Sacre-Coeur, before a walk around Notre Dame. After lunch in the Latin Quarter, we headed to Montparnasse for a 360 degree view of this beautiful city. Once finished, we headed for a boat trip down the Seine. After disembarking, there was a whistle-stop visit to the Eiffel Tower and the Arc de Triomphe before eating in Monte Carlo.

A thoroughly enjoyable day in the 32 degree heat! Onwards to Belgium.

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Day 3

Arrived in Belgium safely and explored the beautiful city of Bruges in the afternoon. Our evening has been spent playing bingo and hearing stories of the First World War ahead of tomorrow's trip to Ypres.

Day 4

A historical day in Belgium. The pupils began the day with a visit to the world famous Flanders Field Museum in Ypres where they had a superb interactive experience of WW1 followed by a trip to Leonidas chocolate shop where so many gorgeous bargains were had. The parents will have to be into the bags quickly if they fancy their share!

Pupils then visited Hill 62 and experienced the conditions on the Western Front, exploring the trench systems. After lunch the pupils visited Tyne Cot, the largest commonwealth war graves cemetery. After dinner we headed back into Ypres to take part in the Menin Gate ceremony; the pupils were a credit to Priory.

Everyone is now packed and ready for the journey home tomorrow.

More photos can be viewed on the school website at >> www.priory.lancs.sch.uk/news/2023-06-25-paris-belgium-june-2023-the-daily-journal



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Chilli Challenge Winners

Well done to our latest Chilli Challenge winners.

W/e 7 July

Year 7 Phoebe G (H5)

Year 8 Navah T (ref Mrs Lawe)

Year 9 Imogen H (R5)

Year 10 Macie T (R5)

These pupils will receive their chilli tokens on Monday to claim their free breaktime snack from the dining room.

Winners get to jump to the front of the queue and can choose anything they wish from the breaktime menu.

There is now a new challenge on top of the postboxes (and next page) which will run until the end of term. Don't forget to reference the persist lists (see above). The lists are displayed above the postboxes and all the answers come from the lists.

This is also an interhouse competition and the leaders will be those with the most individual entries. There'll be an interhouse prize at the end of the year. Again, no change, but there are only four points between Douglas and Ribble.

1st **Calder** | 2nd **Douglas** | 3rd **Ribble** | 4th **Hodder**

How does it work?

Here's a reminder of how the challenge works:

The challenges vary in complexity and all of them reference something called the persist lists. These are 30 words from maths and 30 words from English that we would like the pupils to persist in knowing how to spell and understand.

The challenges are set on paper that pupils can find above a special postbox that is in their dining room area. They take a paper challenge, reference the two persist lists that are displayed beside each postbox, and then have a go at answering all three questions. They put their names, forms and house on the piece of paper, and then post their answers into the boxes.

Every Thursday at the end of school, Mrs Cowell empties the boxes and selects a random winner for each year group. She will also count how many entries per house have been made, irrespective of whether their answers are correct or not, and she will tot up that score too.

The winners are awarded each Friday morning and given a red plastic chilli shaped token. They take this to the front of the queue in the Bistro (Year 10 & 11) or Restaurant (Year 7, 8 & 9) that Friday breaktime and can exchange it for a snack such as toast, fruit, a drink, hash browns, etc.

The interhouse element is a year long competition to see who will have the most entries per house and there will be a trophy presented at the end of the summer.

Mrs Cowell
Vice Principal

English persist list

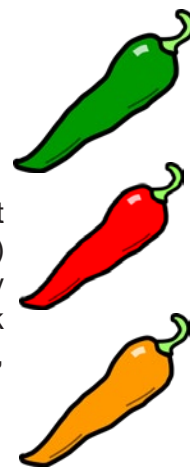
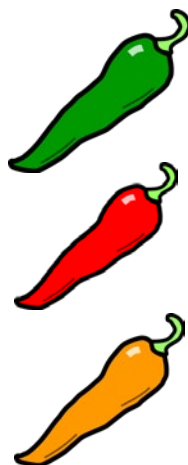


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| Aggressive | Embarrassed | Rhythm |
| Because | Enjambement | Separate |
| Believe | Hyperbole | Successful |
| Caesura | Implies | Tension |
| Colloquial | Mischievous | Unnecessary |
| Connotation | Necessary | Weather |
| Definitely | Onomatopoeia | Weird |
| Disappear | Receive | Whether |
| Divide | Responsibility | Withhold |

Maths persist list



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| Alternate | Forty | Quadrilateral |
| Angle | Height | Rhombus |
| Approximately | Isosceles | Scalene |
| Chord | Metre | Similar |
| Circumference | Median | Simultaneous |
| Column | Ninth | Symmetry |
| Correlation | Parallel | Tessellation |
| Discrete | Perimeter | Translation |
| Enlargement | Perpendicular | Trapezium |
| Fibonacci | Prism | Triangle |



Lost and Found: Are These Yours?



The message about bringing a water bottle has certainly got through but our pupils need to remember to put their names on them!

Lost and found property is located in the Pastoral office with the exception of PE kit which is kept by the PE Department. Valuables will be stored securely by the Pastoral office (see Mr Shipton) until their owner can be identified. It is also worth checking with the school office as items may be handed in there before they are moved to the Pastoral office.

We cannot over-emphasise the importance of marking all property with your child's name, including ties, stationery and water bottles - this month's collection is testament to that!

All unclaimed lost property is added to the uniform bank, given to charity or is disposed of after each end of term.





Mr Shipton
Pastoral Manager



Chilli Challenge

Dates 7th – 20th July



| Name | Year | Tutor Group |
|---|---|---|
| <p>Which English PERSIST list word does the image below represent:</p>  <p>ANSWER: _____</p>  | <p>General knowledge:</p> <p>What date was the summer solstice?</p> <p>ANSWER: _____</p>  | <p>With reference to the Maths PERSIST word APPROXIMATELY, give the approximate value of:</p> $\frac{21 \times 3.86}{0.207}$ <p>ANSWER: _____</p>  |

To be in with a chance of winning a free breaktime snack put completed challenges into the chilli challenge postbox for your year group.



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Mrs Elliott's Cool Readers Club

Here's what our Cool Readers Club is all about...

These are our reading stars put forward by their English teacher. We interview them about their current book, what they like reading about and what they like to do when they're not reading.

Introducing, Maisie...

Multi-talented Maisie is one of our Cool Readers while plotting a future in interior design.

Year 7 Maisie is currently reading 'Love is a Revolution' by Renee Watson.

"I have only read a bit of it so far but it's a romance, it's about a girl living with her aunt and uncle and, even though she isn't really interested, her cousin persuades her to go to environment meetings.

"She has met a boy and is going on dates. That's as far as I have got but it's good so far.

"I like all kinds of books, I like reading a mixture of books.

"My favourite subject is art and I would like to be an Interior Designer, it's something I am just interested in.



"I attend Crochet Club at school as I like learning new skills and I sometimes go to Art Club."

Maisie's AR teacher, Miss Nicholls, added, "Maise has been a delight to have in Accelerated Reader this year and always has her head in a different book!"

Mrs Elliott
English Teacher & Chief Librarian

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Summer Arts Evening

Wednesday, 12th July from 6.30pm

JOIN US NEXT WEDNESDAY for a delightful evening of Music, Drama and Dance...

This year we have a combination of singing, dancing, a Drama monologue, musical theatre pieces, solo and ensemble musicians with several contributors performing at Priory for the very last time, having been stalwarts of school productions and more, during their 5 years with us.

Tickets are £3 each and are available via SCOPay or cash on the door. Under 5s are free of charge.

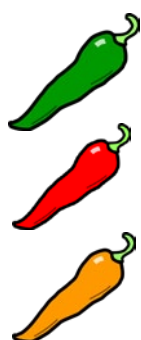
The event starts at 6.30pm and will take place in the Auditorio. This year's GCSE Artwork will also be on display in DR1.

Raffle Tickets and Prize Draw: Mr Eastham will also be drawing the winners of our 70th Anniversary Summer Raffle during the interval so there's still time to get your tickets!

SCOPay >> <https://www.scopay.com/login>



Chilli Challenge: What you said



Last month, we asked pupils for their feedback on the Chilli Challenge. As a result of this, Mrs Cowell has made a few changes to the competition. Pupils can now...

- Jump the queue to collect their prize at break
- Choose anything they want from the full breaktime menu, even sausage/bacon sandwiches!
- There is one English, one Maths puzzle and now a new general knowledge question
- If they haven't time to complete the challenge in school hours, it will be included in the newsletter so it can be printed out, filled in and put in their year group postbox the next day.

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Priory Pupils Take Bronze in Edge Hill University Maths Challenge



REPORT BY MR HENSHAW, ASSISTANT HEAD OF MATHS

Three Year 9 students got involved a few months ago in the Edge Hill University Maths Challenge - a national competition open to all secondary schools.

Abbie, Jane and Agnes were given a problem about prime numbers which they had to solve and then create a poster displaying their solution. They passed this stage which took them onto Stage 2. In Stage 2 they were sent another problem to do with triangle constructions. Again, the team solved the problem and submitted their solution in the form of a poster.

Following the success of these two rounds, we were invited into Edge Hill University for the final. For the final, the team had to present their poster to a panel of the university's experts and explain their solution in great detail.

Assistant Head of Maths, Mr Henshaw said, *"There were only twelve schools that made it through to the finals with one school travelling as far as from Southampton!"*

"Just being invited to Edge Hill for the final was a fantastic achievement but the team of three girls managed to come in third place on the day out of the twelve schools. They won a MENSA

book, an Amazon gift voucher and received a certificate."



"I was lucky enough to be able to watch them with their presentation and they were confident, clear, eloquent and did Priory incredibly proud. They handled the grilling (questions) from the panel really well and the feedback they got from the judges was excellent. A great achievement."

The PGCE Mathematics Course Leader at Edge Hill University added, Martin Picket added *"Congratulations to all the pupils on their fantastic engagement and super presentations. It was fabulous to see such positive attitudes and a love for mathematics. Judging was extremely tough as presentations were of such a high standard."*

Well done to Year 9 Jane W, Agnes K and Abbie S.

Mr Henshaw
Assistant Head of Maths

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Priory's Gardens Judged for Elite Regional Award

It was a busy day on Tuesday when we also welcomed judges from North West in Bloom. The school was being shortlisted for the RHS It's Your Neighbourhood 'Neighbourhood' category by judges, Mr Pendleton and Mrs Clark. Priory's gardener, Mr Farron, and Principal, Mr Eastham, took pride in showing the pair around the estate, explaining its development and how our gardens impact on the school community.

Part of the judging criteria meant that we had to demonstrate our environmental and sustainability initiatives. Science teacher Mrs Massey joined the party to discuss the work of the Eco Committee whilst Head of Technology, Mrs Lawe spoke about our practical curriculum links and showed them the bird boxes made by Key Stage 4 pupils.

Mr Pendleton said, "The judges from Royal Horticultural Society (RHS) North West in Bloom Support visited the school today and were very impressed indeed. We were shown round by Mr Farron, the Headteacher and some of the staff who are involved in this fantastic school. The outdoor areas are really exceptional and a credit to everyone involved. We don't think we have seen a secondary school in the NW with such outstanding grounds which are used very effectively as a cross curriculum resource. The outdoor areas are a delight, valued, respected and appreciated by pupils, staff and visitors to the school. Well done indeed keep up the great work."



From Primary to Priory: The PE Department



Over four days last week Priory's PE department had sports sessions with every single pupil at Whitefield Primary School as part of their Sports Week.

With the Year 11s now having moved on, this meant the department had more time to build links with local primary schools. The support offered to Whitefield Primary last week included full year groups coming into school for trampolining, running Zumba classes for Key Stage One and Reception, and circuit training sessions at the school.

Head of PE & Sport, Mr Bullock, said, "Our pupils have been outstanding ambassadors for Priory; with Whitefield pupils appreciating the support offered and their staff being blown away by how good our pupils are."

The following pupils are to be congratulated for their efforts in maintaining the positive image of Priory in the local community.

Circuits: Alex W, Bobby B, Josh B, Finlay K, Aaron W, Oliver L, Sam D, Junaid Q, Louis H, Charlie W, Sam R, Felix D, Zain K. | **Trampolining:** Sophia S, Eloise G, Jane W, Abbie S. | **Zumba:** Keira H, Emily A, Daisy-May W, Issy T, Millie D, Kelsey R-D, Alexis G



On Thursday, PE teacher Miss Beesley took a group of Year 7 & 8 girls to Whitefield Primary School for some fun Zumba sessions.

Miss Beesley said, "The girls did a fab job helping to teach the routines of 'Don't you worry' and 'Waka Waka' to Reception and Key Stage One pupils. It was lovely sunny weather outside and even other teachers and pupils joined in at break time, shimmying and shaking to the beat!"



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Year 8 Take in The Wonders of Windermere

REPORT BY MR METCALFE, HEAD OF HUMANITIES

It's that time of year again where the Geography department take Year 8 to Bowness on Windermere to carry out enquiry fieldwork.

Following successful completion of the Tourism topic in class, the students travelled to Bowness over two dates to study the impacts of tourism in a honeypot site. A honeypot site is an area of tourist interest that attracts visitors from all around the world, and this can bring with it both opportunity and challenge.



The students decided upon hypotheses before the fieldwork day, designing enquiry questions and suitable methods of investigation to try and prove or disprove their assumptions. The main hypotheses that were tested were:

- 1) Most people in the area of Bowness on Windermere would be tourists and that they would travel from both national and international regions
- 2) The land use of Bowness on Windermere is designed for tourism

The students on both visit days were exceptional in their work ethic. Students listened carefully to Mr Watters as he explored further study with them such as glaciation and economic activity. They then had the opportunity to carry out their methods and record their results.

Since returning to school, classes have been writing up their fieldwork study and looking at the conclusions and evaluations of the study, suggesting how to improve the study to ensure the results are both more accurate and reliable.

Both days were truly successful and once the investigation work was complete, we took a boat cruise around Lake Windermere where we were able to absorb the magnificent scenery of The Lake District and listen to a commentary all about the local area. Many of the tourists on the boat were very complimentary about the Priory Standard displayed by our students. Well done.

A special thanks to Mr Eccles, Mrs Kursitis, Mrs Qadri (not least for providing us with the best homemade samosas I have ever tasted!!), Mrs Saunders, Mrs Eastham and ... of course, Mr Watters on his last ever Lake District fieldwork.

Which leads me into a great opportunity to thank Mr Watters for all the hard work and dedication to Geography trips over the many years and for furnishing me with not only a professional insight into how to run successful and enjoyable visits, but for his knowledge and wisdom of all the places we have visited. A truly magnificent educator.

Mr Metcalfe, Head of Humanities



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PRESTON YOUTH ZONE

Join our Young People's Development Group

Preston Youth Zone is a brand new youth charity set to transform the lives of thousands of young people. Located in the heart of Preston, on the corner of Crooked Lane and Tithebarn Street, it will be a safe, inspiring and affordable place for young people to access activities, opportunities and support from highly skilled youth workers and volunteers.

Preston Youth Zone is committed to ensuring the Youth Zone will be a space for young people, designed by young people.

Prior to opening the Youth Zone, we bring together a group of local young people, called the Young People's Development Group (YPDG) who meet regularly to play a key role in the development of the Youth Zone.

From branding to staff interviews, they will be involved in many aspects of development as well as having the opportunity to attend residential trips to London and beyond, take part in activities and visit our existing Youth Zones across the Country.



If you would like to be part of Preston Youth Zone's YPDG, come along to one of these sessions:

Thursday 6 July 6pm-8pm - Room A, Preston Town Hall, Lancaster Road, Preston

Thursday 13 July 6pm-8pm - Room A, Preston Town Hall, Lancaster Road, Preston

Thursday 20 July 6pm-7.30pm - The University of Central Lancashire, Livesey House

Thursday 27 July 6pm-8pm - Room A, Preston Town Hall, Lancaster Road, Preston

RSVP to Sean Greaves, Community Engagement Manager: Sean.Greaves@onsideyouthzones.org or 07511 906145

FIND OUT MORE ABOUT PRESTON YOUTH ZONE:
onsideyouthzones.org/youth-zones/preston-youth-zone/



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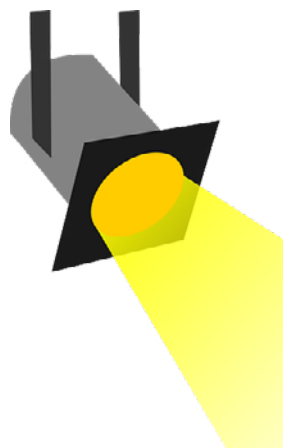
Have your say in developing Preston's new Youth Zone

Onside, the company behind the proposed new Youth Zone, are looking to form a Young People's Development Group. A group of approximately 15 – 20 young people, that will have their say on behalf of their peers, to shape big decisions on what it should look and feel like.

The group will have loads of opportunities to put their stamp on it and make some key decisions on how Preston's Youth Zone will look such as choosing the branding, the name, internal colour schemes, and have a say about what it will offer to the city's young people.

They are looking for people between the ages of 14 to 19, but happy to welcome younger volunteers with a passion for contributing to the project.

The first drop-in session is on 6 July at the Town Hall, details of which can be found on the flyer opposite.



Pupils In The Spotlight

Would you like to tell us about your child's achievements whether it's in sport, charity events, public speaking, drama, environmental issues, maths challenges or anything else? Maybe even someone who has overcome adversity and doesn't mind talking about it? (we like those stories!)

If this is you, please get in touch with your child's form tutor / head of year or contact the Communications Manager, Mrs Yates, via email at:

j.yates@priority.lancs.sch.uk

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VOLUNTARY & COMMUNITY

Penwortham Community Centre
Kingsfold Drive, Penwortham PR1 9EQ



MONDAY

'Penwortham Luncheon Club' followed by a game of bingo
11am-2pm | every other Monday | 01772 750533

'Singing for the Brain' - Alzheimer's Society
10am-12noon, appointment only | tel: 01772 788700

TUESDAY

Penwortham Care and Share Clothes and Toy Bank
11am-12noon | last Tuesday of the month (collection arranged too)
Linda Harrington 07765197615 | email: harringtonlindsey10@gmail.com

Pilates Class for Beginners | 10-11am
5 weeks course at £25 | Contact Celia on 07597556397

WEDNESDAY

Exercise Class | 10-11am | £3.50 per class
tel: Julie on 07908419816

Art Club | 1-3pm
tel: Linda Woollard on 01772 745981 | email: woollard2@gmail.com

Ivy Home Birthing Classes | 6-7.30pm
tel: Julie on 07415231127 or email homebirth.team@lthtr.nhs.uk

Rhythm Dance | 6.30-9.15pm | dance classes for various ages
tel: Maisie on 07849867201 | email: maisieaeccles@icloud.com

THURSDAY

Ladies Group | 2-3.30pm | first Thursday of the month
tel: Helen or Penny on 07851130584

Pilates Class for Beginners | 7-8pm
5 weeks course at £25 | Contact Celia on 07597556397

FRIDAY

Penwortham Food Bank | 9am-12noon
No referral needed

Time 4 Craft Group | 1-3pm

Linus Quilting Group | 10am-4pm | 2nd & 4th Friday of the month
tel: Loretta on 07817048139

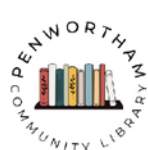
The next Town Council Meeting will be at 7pm on
Tuesday 4th July at Penwortham Community Centre.
Come and have your say on local issues.

Contact: Daniel Guise on 01772 750533 or email
daniel@penworthamtowncouncil.gov.uk

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Penwortham Community Library

Open every Tuesday, Wednesday
and Thursday from 10am-4pm.

Come in for a brew, a chat and a good book!

Priory Lane Community Centre
Priory Lane, Penwortham PR1 0AR

MONDAY

Pilates Class for Beginners | 10-11am
5 weeks course at £25 | Contact: Celia on 07597556397

Double R Arts Youth Theatre | 4-10pm
tel: Rachel or Beth on 07743076499
Email: coordinator@double-r-arts.org.uk

Townwomen's Guild | 2-4pm
3rd Monday of the month | Contact: Mary Ray on 01772 741262

TUESDAY

Zumba Gold, suitable for all ages and abilities | 10-11am
tel: Ann on 07974313032 | www.annsmithzumba.com

PM Dance Class | 6-10pm | email: pmsdance@hotmail.co.uk
tel: Peter and Viv Mounsey on 01772 752522

Poetry Club, second Tuesday of the month | 7pm
tel: Tim on 07923246935

WEDNESDAY

Talkin' Tables | 10.30-11.30am
Along and ask for Marjorie Hayward or Christine Owens

Knit and Natter | 2-3.30pm
tel: Mary on 01772 752013

First Class Learning (Maths & English Tuition) | 4-7pm
Visit: www.firstclasslearning.co.uk/penwortham

Sarah Swirled Belly Dance | 6.30-9.30pm
www.sarahswirledbellydance.com

Book Club, second Wednesday of the month | 2-3.30pm
Email: Gill at gillleal@hotmail.co.uk

Bloom Baby Classes
10am: 6-15 months old & 11am: 0-6 months old
tel: 07505266375 or Email: prestoncentral@babybloomclasses.com

Table Top Games Club | 7-10pm | every other Wednesday
Email: penworthamtabletopgaming@gmail.com

THURSDAY

Hartbeeps Baby and Toddler Classes | 10am-2pm
Email: Laura.Dewhurst@Hartbeeps.com

Ukulele Group | 10-11.30am
Email: alison.wright05@gmail.com | £2 per session

Line Dancing | 11.30am-12.30pm (beginners) | 1-3pm (advanced)
tel: Chris on 07780711827 | £5 per class

Sewing Classes | 2-4pm and 6.45-8.45pm
tel: Jan 07866514243 | email: jan@thehellers.uk
Facebook & Instagram: Pin, Cut, Sew with Jan

Meditation Class | 6.30-7.30pm
Email: dwoolton@gmail.com

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