

Our Newsletter



4th October 2024

Harold the Giraffe returns!

This week the SCARF team from Coram Life Education returned to visit the whole school and brought back Harold to say hello. It was lovely to see the smiles and listen to the laughter coming down the corridor. All the children enjoyed their session with Harold- who was talking about our bodies, keeping safe and making sure we stay healthy.



Recently we have seen the start of our sporting season, the Year 5/6 boys played their first match a couple of weeks ago, followed by the girls on Thursday, both playing at GCA. We are also looking forward to playing in Garstang's first boys' football league and starting the netball league in a few weeks time. Good luck to all our teams and we will keep you posted on how they are doing.

We are also having our annual Open Day on Tuesday 8th October. Please spread the word especially to those whose children are starting school in September 2025.



Jesus the Teacher

This week we reflect on how Jesus is our teacher, who guides us to make the right choices, even when it is difficult.

John calls Jesus "Teacher".

A teacher is someone who helps us to learn, who inspires and guides us, who shows us how to do things and helps us to be the best we can be.

Jesus came to teach the disciples, and all of us, about God, his Father. He came to show us the way to live our lives to please God and to help us to know God better.

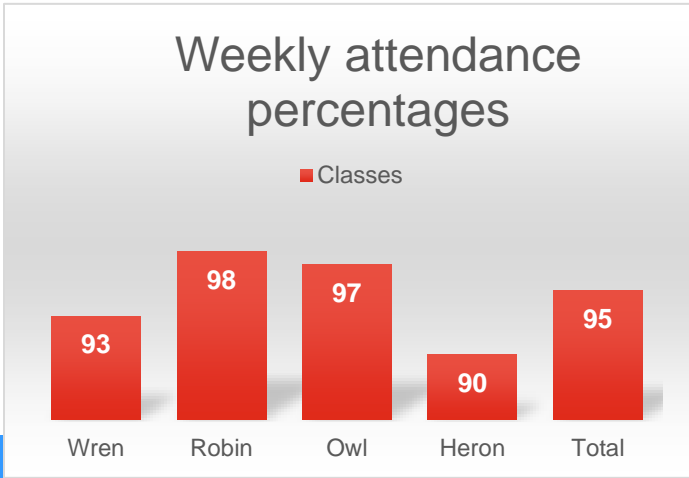
Jesus tells the disciples that anyone who is not against him, who is not Jesus' enemy, is his friend. And Jesus says that anyone who treats people well because they follow him will be loved by him and be rewarded in heaven.

God of life, guide us as we learn and lead us to care for one another as your Son taught us to. Amen.

Upcoming Events

October

- 7th – 11th October- Nursery visits
- 8th October- Open Day for September 2024 intake
- 11th October- Wren Class Mass
- 17th October- PTA Autumn disco
- 18th October- PTA Break the Rules Day
- 18th October- School closes for half term
- 28th October- INSET for staff
- 29th October- School re-opens
- 31st October- Y5/6 Cross Country @ GCA



Admissions

Just a reminder for those children who have a 4th birthday between 1st September 2024 and 31st August 2025 that admissions are now open for a primary place. Please use the link below

For those who are in Year 6, secondary places are also open.

[Lancashire Admissions](#)

November

- 1st November- Year 5/6 Boys football @ Poolfoot
- 4th November- Values assembly- Service
- 7th November- Y 3/4 Glo dodgeball @ GCA
- 8th November- Heron class mass
- 11th-15th November- Anti-bullying week
- 15th November- Owl class mass
- 20th November- Vision Screening Reception
- 21st November- Y5/6 Glo dodgeball @ GCA
- 22nd November- Robin class mass
- Hot Chocolate fundraiser
- 29th November- last day of clubs
- Wren class mass

Blue Badge Awards:

Wren – Katie P

Robin – Malachi W

Owl – Olivia B

Heron – Holly-Mae A

Rising Star Awards (Geography/History):

Wren – Arlo C

Robin – Bodhi F

Owl – Leon C

Heron – Scarlett K

Maths:

Wren – Evie S

Robin - Noah B

Owl – Nelly C

Heron – Noah C