

# Our Newsletter



15<sup>th</sup> November 2024



## Good to be Me!

This week the whole school have been very busy thinking about ourselves and what we need to do to keep ourselves safe. Each class have learnt about relationships within a family and then the older children have learnt about how our body changes. We have also been learning about basic first aid, from how to put on a bandage to CPR and how to phone for help. Heron class have also had a visit from PCSO Pete and listened to his online safety talks. Not forgetting 'Odd Sock Day' on Tuesday to remind us all about celebrating being unique. The amount of children who I spoke to and asked "why are you wearing odd socks?" fell for the joke each time!



## Remembrance Sunday!

This weekend we remembered those who had risked their lives so we can have ours. On Monday our children had a minute silence and a short worship to respect all those who have died in different wars.

One of our Year 5 worship leaders kindly wrote the beautiful worship, which was shared with the rest of the school.

God, it's difficult to see the point of  
wearing a poppy,  
or what difference two minutes'  
silence will make  
when we could be shouting protests.  
But we can recognise a broken life  
being valued, a gift being given,  
and taking two minutes to reflect on  
how much we have.  
We look to the future, not to the past.  
We cannot change what has been  
but do not need to repeat its  
mistakes.  
So as old and young come together  
before you,  
take the very best of our lives;  
bind us into one people of faith  
and help us to share our common  
values,  
love of Jesus and care for each  
other;  
to build dreams,  
and, with your Holy Spirit,  
turn them into reality. Amen

# Upcoming Events

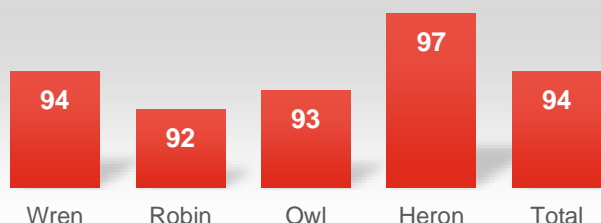
## November

- 11<sup>th</sup>-15<sup>th</sup> November- Anti-bullying week
- 15<sup>th</sup> November- Owl class mass
- 21<sup>st</sup> November- Y5/6 Glo dodgeball @ GCA
- 22<sup>nd</sup> November- Robin class mass  
Hot Chocolate fundraiser
- 29<sup>th</sup> November- last day of clubs  
Wren class mass



## Weekly attendance percentages

■ Classes



## December

- 4<sup>th</sup> December- OLHS Advent service
- 5<sup>th</sup> December- Y5/6 basket ball @ GCA
- 6<sup>th</sup> December- Advent school mass @ 10am
- 8<sup>th</sup> December PTA panto visit
- 9<sup>th</sup> & 10<sup>th</sup> December- Heron bikeability
- 11<sup>th</sup> December- Infant nativity @ 6pm
- 12<sup>th</sup> December- Infant nativity @ 9am
- 16<sup>th</sup> December- Christmas party day
- 17<sup>th</sup> December- Winter Wonderland @ 2.30pm  
Lancaster Singers Carol concert
- 19<sup>th</sup> December- Christmas Jumper Day  
Christmas dinner
- 20<sup>th</sup> December- Carols round the tree  
Close for Christmas @ 1pm

### Blue Badge Awards (Service)

Wren – Albert R

Robin – Bodhi F

Owl – Jake T

Heron – Henry A

### Rising Star Awards (Phonics / Spelling):

Wren – Hannah B

Robin – Sophia F

Owl – Lottie D

Heron – Aden M

### Maths:

Wren – Alfie R

Robin – Isla M

Owl –Maia W

Heron – Jude H

## Admissions

Just a reminder for those children who have a 4<sup>th</sup> birthday between 1<sup>st</sup> September 2024 and 31<sup>st</sup> 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](#)