

Dear Parent

I hope that this letter finds you and your families well. I can't believe that we are already approaching half term. It has been a very busy and productive half term.

As seems to be the case in other schools nationally, there have been several positive cases of Covid within our school community this half term. We have therefore responded with re-instating some measures which have included staff wearing face coverings in corridors and limiting contacts in assemblies, breaks and lunch. I appreciate your support in managing this situation and would once again encourage you to be alert to the symptoms (see newsletter) and to get a PCR test if your child or other household member experiences them. The Lateral Flow tests were designed to identify asymptomatic cases and are therefore not as reliable as the PCR test in picking up positive cases. It is so important that we continue to prioritise keeping everyone safe.

I wanted to express my gratitude to the families who attended Mrs Kelly's retirement Mass. It was a lovely evening and was such a great opportunity to properly thank her for all that she has done for the children and community of St Peter's.

I hope that you have found the Parent Consultation meetings useful this week and that this has been a good opportunity to meet with your child's class teacher to discuss how they have settled in and the progress that they are making.

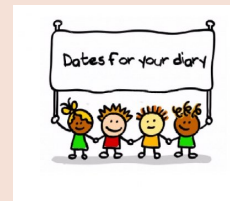
Thank you to our School Council for their work this term, in leading the school on our Harvest collection. Please remember to bring a food item this Friday so that they can be distributed locally.

It was a lovely day last Friday, when the children celebrated 'Forest School's Day' in their woodland colours. All the classes enjoyed activities in Squirrel Wood. The money raised will be used towards funding steps towards us becoming a Forest School. Thank you to the PTFA for their commitment to supporting with this. Katy is working very hard through the course and enhancing her expertise.

It is fitting that during the Season of Creation we think about the role we have as stewards of God's creation. As world leaders meet for the COP26, it is a good time to reflect on the issues that face our environment and how we can all play a positive role. Led by Year 6 we are looking to be inspired by good role models. Next half term we will be choosing new saints for our House teams that represent this ambition.

Kind regards
Mrs Angela Heyes

15 October 21



- * Fri 15 Oct—Own Clothes Day—Harvest
- * Weds 20 Oct—close for half-term
- * 18 Oct-1 Nov Spooky Trail
- * 1 Nov school opens
- * 23 Nov Nasal Flu Vaccinations
- * 3 Dec Christmas Jumper Day
- * Thur 16 Dec Sleeping Beauty Panto, Lowther Pavillion
- * Fri 17 Dec school closes for Christmas break
- * Wed 5 January school re-opens

ARK AFTER SCHOOL CLUB/ BREAKFAST CLUB

Bookings now being taken for next term, please find booking forms attached. Bookings and payment required by Fri 15 Oct.

Payment can be made via the Sco-pay app or by card at the school office.

SCHOOL LIFE

OUR SCHOOL VIRTUES

Compassionate & Loving

At St Peter's we strive to be Stewards of Creation



Christ has no body on earth but yours, not hands but yours, no feet but yours; yours are the eyes through which he looks with compassion on the world; yours are the feet with which he walks to do good; yours are the hands with which he blesses all the world.

St Teresa of Avila



DANCE EVOLUTION

There are still a few places available for the Dance Club starting Mon 1st Nov, 6week class for Y3 & Y4 pupils. See further information on additional attachment

Secondary School Application

The deadline to apply for a secondary school place for Sept 2022 (current Y6 pupils) is 31st October 2021. Please follow the link [HERE](#) to apply.

For those applying for St Bedes, please find attached the Supplementary form for those who wish to apply, these can be emailed directly to the email address below, along with proof of baptism if applicable to:

admissions@stbedeslytham.lancs.sch.uk



Forest School Own Clothes day raised £191.70. Thank you for your contribution to our first forest school fundraising event. More details about the day are to follow and the new outdoor learning name will be announced following the half-term holiday.

School Photos are now available to order on-line

www.tempest-orders.co.uk

Enter your reference number

View your photos, make your selection & check out

Await your delivery

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PHOTOGRAPHY

KIDS OCTOBER CAMP!
@ St. Peter's Primary, Lytham
@ Medlar with Westam Primary

25th - 29th October

To make a booking visit: www.evolutionsportseducation.com

For more info, get in touch:
k.olloman@evolutionsportseducation.com
07590 050935
or drop us a message on our facebook page

Cost
8:30am - 3:30pm £14
8:30am - 5:30pm £18

Poster Maker

EVENTS & FUNDRAISING



A big thank to the PTFA for the new books for the AR scheme. Here are some pictures of Year 2 enjoying their new book.

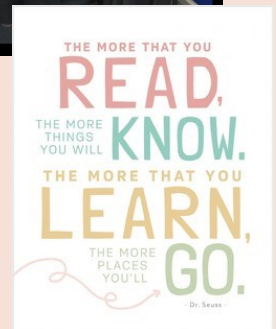


Congratulations to the winner of our
Spooktacular Poster Competition

KS1—Maximo
Guerra—Year 1



KS2—Oliver
Oatridge—Year
6



Harvest Own Clothes Day
FRI 15 OCT

Thank you all for your generous donations today. They will be taken next week to the Fylde Food Bank.



Date for your Diary

3 Dec

Christmas Jumper day



LAST FEW SPOOKY TRAIL BAGS ARE AVAILABLE AT THE SCHOOL OFFICE!!

BOO!

SPOOKY FAMILY TRAIL

The PTFA Witches have hidden spooky clues in the windows of some shops in Lytham. Pick up your hunting pack from school office (from 11th October), full of things to help, some treats, a map and an answer sheet. Solve the clues and return your answer sheet to school by 3rd Nov for your chance to win a family ticket for the Island Cinema.

Be quick, the spooky trail will only appear from 18th Oct and vanish on 1st Nov.

MINIMUM DONATION OF £2.50 PER ENTRY TO BE PAID INTO SCHOOL BY TUESDAY 19TH OCT.

Limited availability - first come, first served.