

NEWSLETTER- 7TH OCTOBER 2022

'JESUS IS AT THE HEART OF ALL THAT WE DO'

Dear Parents/Carers

I think we can confidently say we are now in Autumn. All of a sudden the nights seem to be drawing in and we won't even mention the number of layers we are applying to avoid putting on the heating!

This time of year can be tricky, as we leave the long summer days behind and face a what can seem an endless winter.

Today in our Worship we focused on psalm 46:1, which reminded us that God doesn't just say "We can do it!" but instead, "You and I can do it together!". So comforting to know that we are not on out own and together, with God's love and each other's support and strength, we really can do anything. This has really been reflected in all that the children have been achieving in class this week, so many WOW moments, from incredible number recognition and subitising in Reception. Year 1 have been using a number line to help them subtract whilst, Year 2 have worked hard to master counting in threes. I was wowed by the breathtakingly detailed art work, based on buildings, in Year 3. Year 4 having been looking at structures, as part of their art work, and have been incredibly creative making structures that remind them of the Queen-amazing! Watch out Danny Savage, Year 5 have been roving reporters fit for the BBC and I can't even begin to tell you how proud I am of Year 6's writing.

Being a Headteacher really is the best job in the world when you do it together with staff, children and all of you!

Thank you and have a great weekend.

Kindest regards Mrs Cate Gili-Ross



WE ARE Looking to start a termly working party to support the upkeep of our beautiful and extensive grounds. The Working Bee will take place on a Saturday morning each term and all volunteers big and small will be rewarded with a hot drink and a treat. Further info to follow. PLEASE ENSURE YOUR CHILD DOES NOT BRING ANY ITEMS CONTAINING NUTS INTO SCHOOL, IN-CLUDING PESTO,



THANK YOU



- Wed 12 Oct Parents Eve
- Thur 13 Oct Parent Eve
- Tue 18 Oct Y5 London Trip
- Wed 19 Oct Break the Rules Day
- Wed 19 Oct School Closes for half-term break
- Mon 31 Oct School Opens



SCHOOL PHOTOS

You should all have received a letter with a QR code to view your child's school photograph. If you haven't received, please contact the school office for further assistance.

TRIM TRAIL

Please note: The trim trail is out of bounds prior to the school day and is not supervised by staff. Please remind the child

Many thanks



Lytham Candles | G by Grace | Crafty Clarence | Royle Crafts & Gifts | Tropic and many more!



We were fortunate to have Harry Baker visit school last week. Our KS2 children took part in workshops and heard some of his poetry in a special assembly, which we all found very inspiring. There is still an opportunity to order a signed book for £10. You can make a donation of £4 to help cover the cost of his visit, which would be gratefully received. This can be paid via Scopay, under Trips/events. Book orders required by Monday 10th. Thank you to Mr Kidd for organising!

BREAK THE RULES DAY

19th October

WE HAVE A LIST OF RULES WHICH CAN BE BROKEN WITHIN SCHOOL ON THIS DAY ONLY! HOWEVER FOR EACH RULE YOU BREAK YOU WILL

BE FINED 50P

WEAR YOUR OWN CLOTHES

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HAVE CRAZY HAIR

WEAR TRAINERS

WEAR NAIL POLISH

BRING JUICE IN YOUR WATER BOTTLE

BRING A SMALL NAUGHTY TREAT FOR BREAK TIME

TEMPORARY TATTOOS

WEAR FANCY DRESS

YOU CAN BREAK AS MANY RULES AS YOU LIKE BUT REMEMBER IT IS A 50P FINE FOR EVERY RULE BROKEN.

PUT YOUR FINE IN AN ENVELOPE AND PUT IT IN YOUR CLASS CASH COLLECTION JAR



Primary and Secondary School 2023-24 Applications are now open, please follow the link below for further information.

Secondary deadline 31.10.22

Primary deadline 15.01.23

https://www.lancashire.gov.uk/children -education-families/schools/apply-for-a -school-place/





We currently have the following vacancies

• Site Supervisor—Further details <u>HERE</u>

• Cleaner - Further details <u>HERE</u>

FREE SCHOOL MEALS INFORMATION

In preparation for Christmas

DONATE

Jumper Day, the PTFA are having

a Jumper Swap Day. Jumpers will be FREE to collect on the day, but

donations in return are welcome! Bring in any outgrown, clean

jumpers after half term for them

to be included in the swap - drop

off at the Office.

All children in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 are entitled to universal free school meals. However, some families who are on low income and meet a certain criteria, are also eligible for supermarket shopping vouchers during school holidays and free holiday club places. Eligible families will continue to receive free school meals after Year 2.

Some families with children in Key Stage 1 do not claim as they are already getting free school meals, however they are missing out on the other benefits so please double check.

Please click on the link below to see if you are eligible. If you are eligible or have any problems please email Katy (Family Learning Mentor) <u>katy.s@st-peters-pri.lancs.sch.uk</u> so that your shopping vouchers can be emailed to you asap.

https://www.lancashire.gov.uk/children-education-families/schools/free-school-meals/?page=1



Please note, the school will no longer be available as a venue for holiday camps during the school holidays. We are able to signpost you to the following options

