



St Peter's C.E. Primary School

Love, Challenge, Inspire!

'Let your light shine' Matthew 5:16

Weekly Newsletter

26th April 2024



Happy Friday! It has been another busy week at St Peter's!

Mrs Dowson's Farm

This week was our Year One and Year Two school trip. The children all thoroughly enjoyed their visit to Mrs Dowson's Farm. The children enjoyed meeting the farm animals and learning about them, playing in the recently refurbished wooden play barn and finally learning about ice-cream. Of course you couldn't learn about making ice-cream without trying it. A huge thank you for the parents support with the trip and for all the volunteers who kindly gave up their time to allow the trip to be possible.



Many more photos can be found on our school website.

Cook Stars

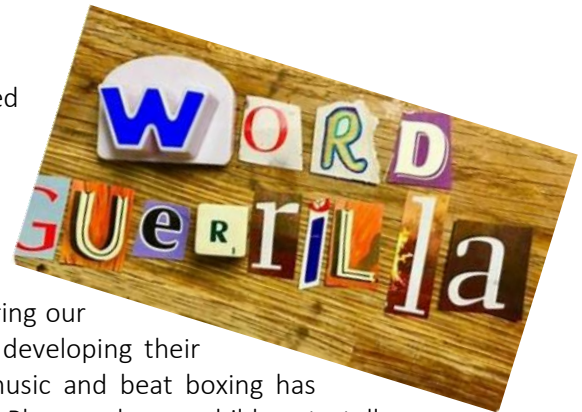
The children thoroughly enjoyed their second Cook Stars cookery club experience. The children all made their very own chocolate chip sponge cake. If next half term your child would like to attend Cook Stars further information is available by sending a dojo to Miss Walsh or speak with her any morning on the Infant Yard. New dishes will be created so children can enrol for a second half term.



'Word Guerrilla'



This week we have been joined in school by 'Word Guerrilla'. He has delivered spoken word poetry, performance workshops to each class. We have loved every second of having him in school empowering our children's language skills and developing their knowledge of words. Using music and beat boxing has inspired our children to write. Please ask your children to tell you more about their 'Word Guerrilla' workshop. To see the 'Word Guerrilla' in action visit his website: www.wordguerrilla.com



Riddles and Rhymes

This week each class has performed on stage their very own riddle, rhyme or poem. It has been wonderful listening to the children recite their class poems and each new poem learnt builds each child's individual bank of poetry. Please ask your child to recite their poem to you.

Bushcraft Year 5 Trip

A huge thank you to the parents and carers who attended the Bushcraft meeting. If you missed the meeting Mrs Brocken has kindly emailed all parents and carers a link to the recording. If you have any further questions please do not hesitate to contact school.

[A Note from the School Council](#)

[Heart month](#)

A little reminder that the donation bins are still available at the front of school if you wish to donate to the Heart Foundation. You can donate clothes, accessories, shoes, handbags, books, CDs, DVDs, Bric-a-brac and children's toys.



Year 6 Leavers Hoodies

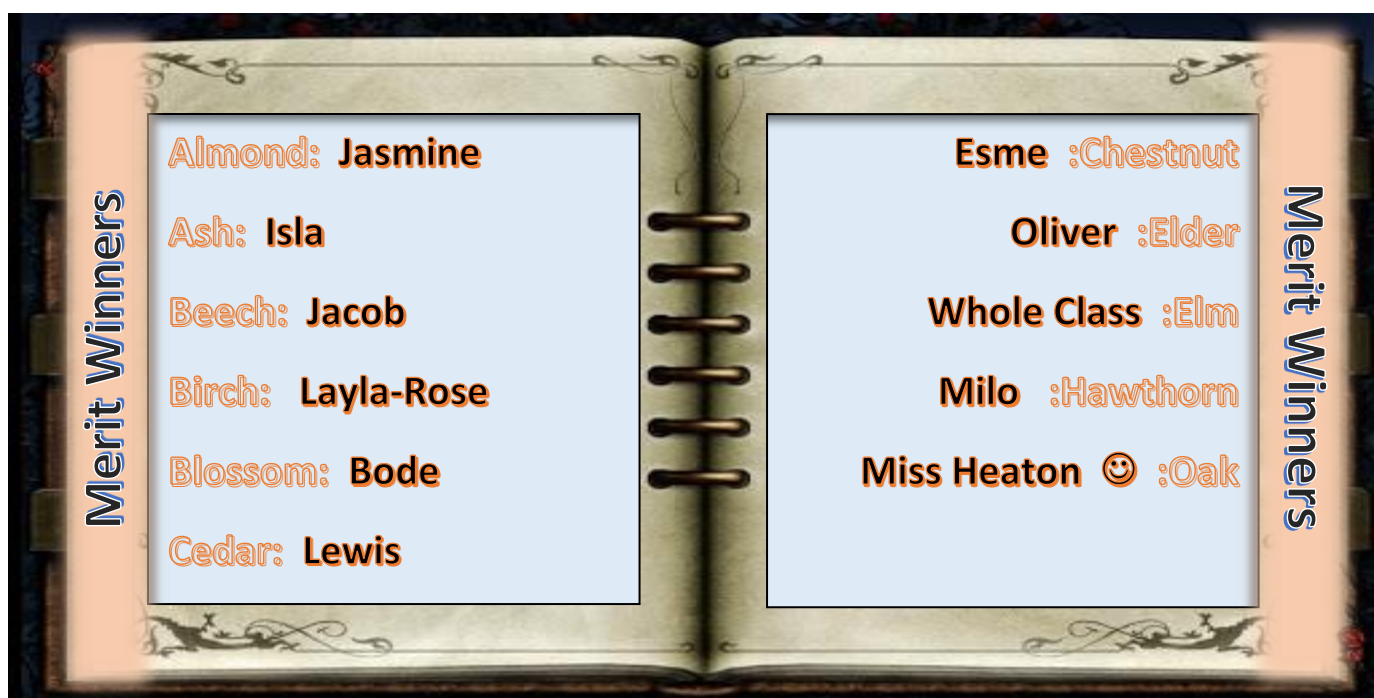
Following the success of Year 6 Leavers Hoodies last year we have decided to offer these again this year. All the Year 6 children's first names will be included in the number 24. You can order one on Parent Pay for £17.50.



Orders close on Friday 24th May 2024.

Merit Winners

Every week one child from each class gets their name in the 'Golden Book' for excellent effort and hard work. This week, the children who received a merit certificate are:



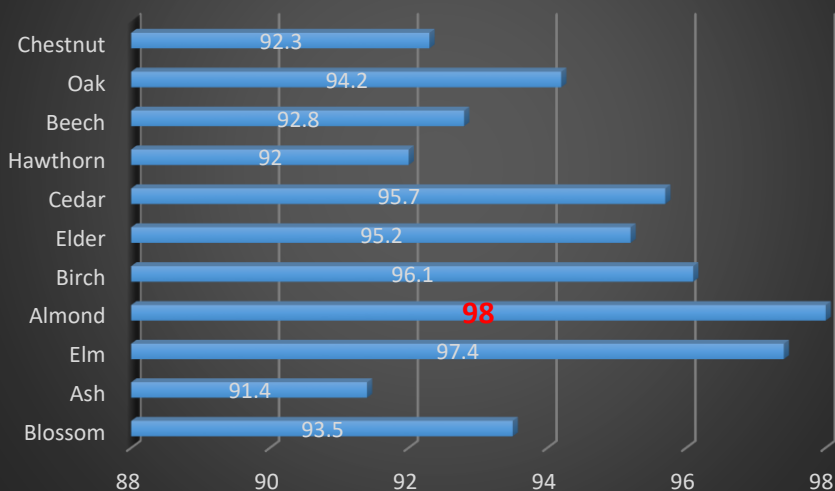
ATTENDANCE SUPERSTARS

This week's winner(s) of the attendance fiver for best overall attendance are:

**Almond
Class**



THIS WEEKS CLASS ATTENDANCE 22/04/2024 - 26/04/2024 SCHOOL TARGET IS 97%





Reading Rucksack *"I'm wondering what to read next."*

Matilda, Roald Dahl

The Reading Bears are looking forward to going on new adventures. Don't forget to share a photograph with us.



Reflection Time

Our value of friendship has been a focus of reflection this week. Friendship was written in the Bible over 200 years ago by St Paul. St Paul wanted to teach people that the best way to live in friendship to encourage one another rather than being critical and negative.

Friendship is a true gift and one where we can celebrate one another and encourage each other to be the best we can be.

"Encourage one another and build one another up!"

1 Thessalonians 5 - 11

Wishing you all a wonderful weekend!

Take care and stay safe and remember you are always in my thoughts and prayers.

Kind regards

Miss Brown

'Let your light shine'



April 2024

29th April – Dance Finals in Blackpool

30th April – Konflux Theatre in school

May 2024

1st May – Lower KS2 Trip to Tatton Park

6th May – School Closed for Bank Holiday

7th May – Almond Class Worship

8th May – Elder Class to visit Church

13th May – KS2 SATS Week

21st May – Elm Class Worship

22nd May – Hawthorn Class to visit School

24th May – School Closes for Half Term

June 2024

4th June – School Reopens for the Summer Term

4th June – Year 1 Phonics Assessments Begin

4th June – Year 4 Times Table Assessments Begin

5th June – Cedar Class to visit Church

10th June – Year 5 Bushcraft Residential

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17th June – Year 5 and 6 Faith Trail Trip

17th June – Assessment Week Begins

19th June – Chestnut Year 5 to visit Church

21st June – Junior Sports Day – AM

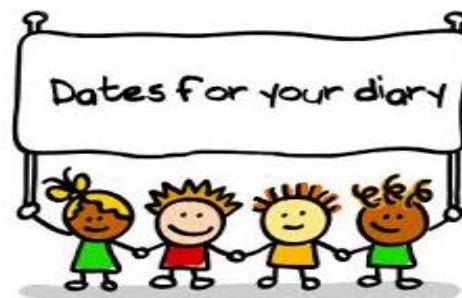
21st June – Infant Sports Day – PM

21st June – Choir Finals in Blackburn

26th June – Winmarleigh Year 6 PGL Residential

27th June – Winmarleigh Year 6 PGL Residential

28th June – Winmarleigh Year 6 PGL Residential



Chorley Football



Development

At Southlands High School (Sports Hall)

Clover Rd, Chorley, PR7 2NJ

Starting on Thursday 9th May 2024

In association with First Kick Football



School years - Reception & Year 1

5:45pm - 6:30pm

School years - Year 2 & Year 3

6:30pm - 7:30pm

School years - Year 4, Year 5 & Year 6

7:30pm - 8:30pm

Dear parents,

Places are now available to join a new 12-week football course every Thursday at Southlands High School, which is open to both boys and girls.

Our courses teach children correct football techniques by FA qualified coaches who have full DBS (CRB) clearance to work with children. The structure for the course is 'FUN through Football', building confidence for total beginners and moving onto more complex sessions for experienced players.

We provide a ball per player for the majority of our drills ensuring children get more touches of the ball and improve quicker than conventional coaching where children are waiting around to have a turn. The sessions are held in the fantastic sports hall so trainers should be worn. Players are also advised to bring a still drink for the session.

The club has links to local junior teams of which players will be able to play for at the weekend. Players who show advanced ability on the course will be recommended for trials at professional academies. Players who have previously attended courses are currently playing for Blackburn Rovers, Preston North End, Manchester United, Liverpool, Blackpool, Everton, Burnley, Bolton, Oldham, Rochdale and Wigan.

The cost of the course is just £6.25 per week, which is payable in two instalments. The first payment of £25 is due when booking your child on and the second payment of £50 due at the first session. Parents are encouraged to watch the sessions but are welcome to leave children, as every session is fully supervised.

****NEW TOURNAMENT FORMAT****

Every four weeks we have a tournament in order for the children to put their new-found skills into practice with medals awarded at the end of the course for various categories.

ALL PLAYERS WILL RECEIVE A TROPHY AND MEDAL at the presentation, which is held on the final week of the course. Additional trophies will also be awarded in each group from categories including: Best Attitude, Star Player, Most Improved Player, Most Promising Player and Hardest Working Player.

To book a place for your child please telephone the number below as soon as possible as a high response is expected.

Daniel

TO BOOK PLEASE TELEPHONE

01772 428 086 or 07514 316534

We cannot be held responsible for loss or damage to property or clothing
Please note we have a strict no refund policy once the course has been booked



[July 2024](#)

3rd July – Stepping Back in Time Sessions

3rd July – Year 6 to visit Church

5th July – Moving Up Hour

10th July – Almond Class to visit Church

10th July – Year 6 End of Year Production – 2pm

10th July – Year 6 End of Year Production – 6pm

15th July – Year 6 Leavers Service – 2pm in Church

16th July – Blossom and Ash Classes Worship – 9am

17th July – Birch Class Year 2's to visit Church

17th July – Leaver's Lunch

19th July – School Closes for Summer – 2:30pm

19th July – After School Closes at 4:30pm for Summer

Pop at St Peter's
An afternoon of
Music and dancing

with
LA BAMBA
(SOUNDS OF THE 60'S)

PLUS
PAUL DEE
(Compere and entertainer)

St. Peter's Church
Harper Lane, Chorley PR6 0HP
Saturday 18th May from 3pm

Includes Hot Pot!

★ Small donation at the door ★