



St Peter's C.E. Primary School

Love, Challenge, Inspire!

'Let your light shine'

Matthew 5:16

Weekly Newsletter

10th November 2023



Welcome to Friday!

Remembrance

Today the whole school paused to commemorate the contribution of British and Commonwealth military and civilian servicemen and women in the two World Wars and later conflicts.

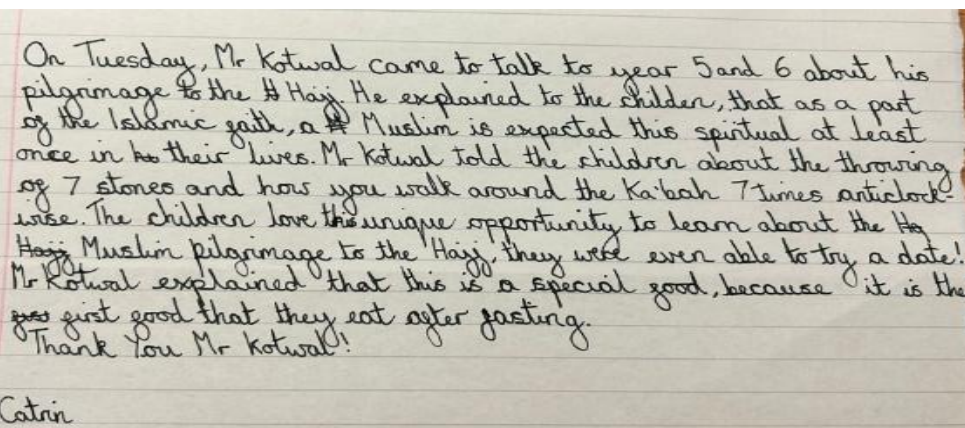
A huge thank you to our children for being so respectful during this time. A further thank you to our community for kindly supported our school Poppy Appeal.

Yoga



On Tuesday and Wednesday the whole school enjoyed participating in yoga sessions.

Pilgrimage Speakers in Year 5 and 6



Mr Kotwal also visited the Infant Classes to speak about his faiths traditions.



On Friday 3rd November Miss Banks who was headteacher when our current headteacher was in School came in to talk to us about pilgrimages. We learnt that Jesus was born in a stable but it has been turned into a Mosque. Also that Miss Banks has been to the places Jesus fed 5000 and turned water into wine. I am sure we all found out something new and over all it was an amazing experience.

Samuel.



School Photograph Day

School Photographs will take place on Wednesday 15th November 2023. Please send children to school in their full school uniform and no PE clothes.

A Note from School Council

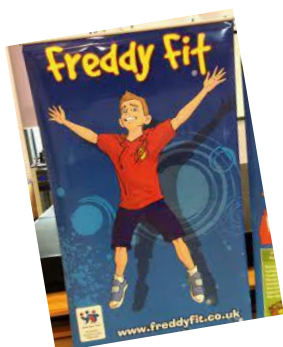


It is Anti-Bullying week from Monday 13th to Friday 17th November 2023. The theme of Anti-Bullying week this year is 'Make a noise about bullying.' We will be thinking about how banter can turn into something more hurtful, and what we can do to stop bullying. Together, we can make a difference and take a stand against bullying.

We are busy planning activities for this week and hope that they will encourage our children to celebrate their uniqueness. On **Tuesday 14th November 2023**, children are invited to wear a kind word. This can be on a badge, necklace or crown; you might have a more creative idea! Children should still wear their school uniform on this day.

Children in Need is on **Friday 17th November 2023**. We will be having a non-uniform day to raise money for Children in Need. All children are invited to wear **their own clothes** on this day. To celebrate, we will be holding a Pudsey Drive for children in the afternoon. There will be collection buckets on the playgrounds before and after school.

Children in Need merchandise will be on sale in school from **Tuesday 14th November 2023**. We will be selling pens, wristbands and badges for £1 each.



Freddy Fit will be returning to school on **Thursday 16th November 2023**.

All children will need to wear their P.E kit on this day.

The School Council and Mrs Taylor

Flu Vaccines

For those children whose parents or carers have agreed for children to have their intra flu vaccines they will take place in school on Thursday 30th November 2023.

Year 6 SATS Evening

A polite reminder that it is our **Year 6 SATS** information evening on Thursday 23rd November 2023 at 5pm in Oak Classroom. Please enter the school building by the main school office.



Since returning to school in September 2023 St Peter's Sports teams have been extremely busy!

FOOTBALL:

We have competed in a boys and girls football league. Each team played really well and won several games, which we haven't done before. The girls' team finished 4th and the boys team a respectable 6th place out of 10! We are tremendously proud of everyone who took part! Well done!



TEN PIN BOWLING:

Last week, we were invited by Panathlon LTD to take part in a ten pin bowling competition. As a team we completed 10 frames and managed to come 2nd. We even received two special individual medals: one for a child who managed to score a strike (only 4 children managed to do this at the event) and one for a child who scored the second highest score of 87! We are very proud of them all as they all did an amazing job representing St Peter's.



PLATINUM AWARD:



For the past 5 years, St Peter's has been awarded with the gold award for PE. We have to provide evidence to support our application each year to achieve this. This year, because of our efforts, commitment to PE and Sport and inclusion in all areas we have been awarded the PLATINUM award, which is the highest award you can be awarded. So thank you to everyone involved, including the parents who allowed their children to compete in the competitions and festivals. Your support really does make a difference.

COMING UP:

This term is really busy for sporting events, training and extra-curricular. In November we are taking part in 3 different inclusion festivals including glow in the dark dodgeball and indoor athletics. In lesson time we have our Level 1 for KS2 and balance bike workshops for Reception. This week we held dance competition auditions with over 30 children taking part. It is now a difficult task choosing a squad that will soon start practising for the forthcoming competition.

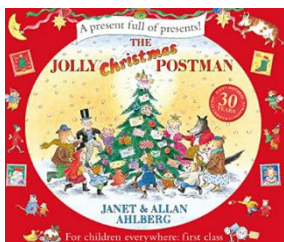
Year 2 Nativity with Year 1 Choir



We might only be in November but we are beginning to prepare for Christmas. If you wish to book tickets for the Year 2 Nativity with Year 1 Choir on Wednesday 13th December at 2pm and 6pm please follow the link:

<https://stpeterschorley.parentseveningsystem.co.uk>

Note due to hall capacity each child in Year 1 and 2 is limited to 2 tickets for each performance.



Reception Jolly Christmas Postman

This year our Reception children are performing the Jolly Christmas Postman on Thursday 21st December at 2pm. No tickets are required to be purchased in advance.

Get Caught Reading



Primary Admissions

Admissions for next year are now open via the LCC website. If you are interested in a place for your 4-year-old for next September, please do get in touch with any questions or to arrange a visit.

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.



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:

Elder Class

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Happy Birthday to all our children who celebrated their birthday this week!

Dahlia
Cedar Class
8 yrs old

THIS WEEKS CLASS ATTENDANCE 06/11/2023 - 10/11/2023 SCHOOL TARGET IS 97%



Reflection Time

Our focus this week in reflection has been remembrance -November is always a significant time of the year when we are surrounded by symbols of sacrifice and love. Remembrance Day reminds us of the sacrifice of so many for the freedoms we enjoy today. For they gave their today for our tomorrow.

We Will Remember Them

"Greater love hath no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends."

John 15:13

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

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November 2023

15th Nov – School Photo Day by John Hunt Photography

16th Nov – Freddy Fit

17th Nov – Children in Need – Pudsey Bear

22nd Nov – Cedar Class to attend Church

23rd Nov – KS2 SATS Meeting for Parents 5pm

27th Nov – Lancashire Day

30th Nov – Flu Vaccination

December 2023

1st Dec – Bring your homemade Christmas Decoration to school

6th Dec – Oak Class to attend Church

8th Dec – Reindeer Course – donation to the Homeless

13th Dec – KS1 Nativity to parents – 2pm and 6pm

18th Dec – Christingle Service at St Peter's Church – Years 2 – 6 attending – Year 6 to lead the service

19th Dec – Infant Christmas Dinner Day

20th Dec – Junior Christmas Dinner Day

21st Dec – St Peter's Penny – 9:30am

21st Dec – EYFS Singalong - 2pm

22nd Dec – Christmas Party Day

22nd Dec – School Closes for Christmas at 2:30pm (4:30pm for Stay Late Club)

January 2024

8th Jan – School re-opens to children

11th Jan – Year 2 and 6 Fire Safety / Road Safety Talk

12th Jan – Class Newsletters go home

15th Jan – Admissions Close for Primary School Children starting in September 2024

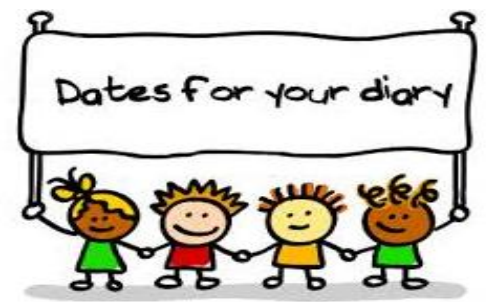
16th Jan – Chris Martin Author in school for Year 5 and 6

17th Jan – Year 6 visit Church

25th Jan – Dogs Trust Workshops

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31st Jan – Chestnut Y5 visiting Church



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Girlguiding

4th Chorley St Peter's Guides and Rainbows would like to invite you to a

Mad Hatter's Tea Party!

Stalls with Stocking Filler & Christmas Present Ideas

Raffle & Disney Quiz

Includes a Drink and Cake

£2 Entry

Don't forget our Mad Hat Competition Prizes for the craziest hats!

...at St Peter's Church Meeting Room, Harpers Lane, Chorley

on Tuesday November 21st 2023 between 6.00pm and 8.00pm!

[February 2024](#)

- 6th Feb – Reception Make and Take Fun Phonics Workshop
- 6th Feb – Safer Internet Day
- 9th Feb – House Winners Non-uniform Day
- 9th Feb – Dojo Tea Party
- 9th Feb – School Closes for February Half Term at usual time
- 20th Feb – School Re-opens for all children
- 28th Feb – Beech Class Visiting Church

[March 2024](#)

- 1st March – Non – Uniform Day bring in a chocolate donation for Easter Bingo
- 6th March – TriKidz Years 1 – 6
- 7th March – TriKidz Years 1 - 6
- 8th March – World Book Day / Spelling Bee – Dress up as a book character
- 13th March – Elder Class visiting Church
- 15th March – Red Nose Day
- 18th March – Assessment Week in school begins
- 20th March – Hawthorn Class visit Church
- 20th March – Parents Evening
- 21st March – Parents Evening
- 22nd March – Non-Uniform Day bring in eggs or chocolate donation for Easter Bingo
- 25th March – Holy Week begins in School
- 27th March – Cedar Class visiting Church
- 27th March – Easter Bingo – 5:15 – 6:30pm
- 28th March – House Winners Non-Uniform Day
- 28th March – Dojo Tea Party

[April 2024](#)

- 15th April – School Re-opens for all children



Dear Parent/Carers.

Invitation to Family:

We would like to invite your child(ren) to our free fun-filled New Year Sports Camp from Tuesday 2nd until Friday 5th January 10am – 2pm at

St Peters Church of England Primary School
Eaves Lane,
Chorley
PR6 0DX

The camp includes a variety of physical activities, team building and play, along with lunch and refreshments, each day we will also deliver food and nutritional education (fun with food) session.

Your school has requested this invitation to your family, and we are pleased to be able to provide a place. To book your child(ren)'s place, please scan the QR code below to gain access to the funded places or see the website.



<https://chorleyssp.camps.classforkids.io/camp/35>

You will receive confirmation of your booking immediately and we will follow up with a reminder and a few more details the week before. Your child(ren) will need a water bottle and to wear appropriate clothing for indoor and outdoor activities. All food will be provided by us, and we will cater for all dietary requirements. If you wish to provide your child with their own lunch, we would be very grateful if you could please avoid:

- Sugary and fizzy drinks.
- Chocolate, sweets, and cake.
- Fast food in children's lunch boxes.

We deliver food education as part of our holiday camps to help inform children of these standards.

Please note our terms and conditions when booking and if you would like to talk to us then please call the office number – 01257449278, message us on What's app 07306403255 or email us on camp@chorleyssp.co.uk

Many thanks

Team Blue @ Chorley School Sports Partnership

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TUESDAY 5TH DECEMBER
TUESDAY 12TH DECEMBER
TUESDAY 19TH DECEMBER
5-7PM

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Booking Required!