



# St Peter's C.E. Primary School

Love, Challenge, Inspire!

*'Let your light shine'* Matthew 5:16

## Weekly Newsletter

13<sup>th</sup> September 2024



### Education Sunday

Education Sunday was held at St Peter's Church on Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> September 2024 with Bishop Philip leading the service. It was a fantastic way to start the new academic year to bringing the whole community together. As part of the service Bishop Philip blessed our children's book bags and prayed for our school as we embark on the new academic year. A huge thank you to the children, parents, governors and staff who joined us on Sunday. A special thank you to Annie, Freya and Lucas who read readings and prayers beautifully within the service and to all the children who sang 'What about love' to the congregation. Bishop Philip praised all our children for their participation in the service as it was a wonderful morning of Worship.



### Settling into new classes



## Holiday Postcards!

We have had a busy couple of weeks and it has been fantastic to receive some exciting post. Before the summer holidays, we set everyone a challenge to write and send a postcard sharing your holiday adventures! It has been wonderful to hear all about your holiday adventures from the UK and beyond. What an incredible way to share the summer of 2024!



## Get Caught Reading Summer 2024!

A huge thank you for some of your get caught reading photographs! Many of you have been snapped reading in some extraordinary places! Ali and Mrs Malik visited Pakistan, Alasdair high up in Wansfell, Mrs Jones sat peacefully by the waters end, Freya and Lucas and Miss Stephens in France - in the water!!! Mrs Little on her cruise! Mrs Rypel in Northumberland. Mrs Tillotson (Miss Blackburn) at her wedding!!

Reading really can be done anywhere! If you have other photographs, please send them to Mrs Tillotson (Miss Blackburn) on dojo! We would love to see them and add them to our library wall!



## Class Newsletters

This week your child will bring home their Class Newsletter. This Newsletter will share with you important information about what your child will be learning during the Autumn Term. If you have any questions regarding the Newsletter please do not hesitate to ask your child's class teacher

## School Website

Currently no updates are going on our school website as a web team is working hard to make our school a new website. Fingers crossed it will be ready very soon and we apologise for any inconvenience.

## ASDA CASHPOT FOR SCHOOLS!

Parentkind have teamed up with Asda to bring us a fantastic offer.

Simply go onto your ASDA Rewards App (or download it if you haven't already done so), click on the Cashpot for Schools banner and select St Peter's Primary School, Eaves Lane, PR6 0DX as your chosen school.

Asda will add £1 to your chosen school's Cashpot for everyone who just opts in, they don't have to do a shop at Asda to receive this donation (so why not get all your friends and family signed up).

Once the first person has shopped and scanned their Rewards app, Asda will donate £50 to the school's Cashpot – our school has already achieved this milestone!

Asda will continue to donate 0.5% of the value of all future shops to our school so all you have to do is opt in, shop and scan!

All schools are in need of support for vital equipment to help make your children's education as fruitful as possible so any support which you can give is always extremely welcome!

### Jewellery and Hair

We have spotted quite a few children have had their ears pierced during the summer break. Please can we remind you that no earrings can be worn for school except for clear plastic spacers. Any children who have recently had their ears pierced and are unable to immediately change their earrings must ensure they are covered with plasters until they can be changed. Please make sure that your child does not attend school wearing any jewellery including necklaces and bracelets. Also if your child has long hair it must be tied up for school. These rules are for your child's safety.

### Labelling

Please can we kindly ask that all school uniform is clearly labelled especially school jumpers.

### NUT FREE

With immediate effect, we are now a NUT FREE school due to having some children with severe nut allergies. Please DO NOT send any foods containing nuts into school. Thank you for your cooperation.

### School Dinner Money

Please can you kindly ensure that all dinner money is paid in advance (the week before) and ensure that your Parent Pay account stays in credit.



**CASHPOT FOR SCHOOLS**

**Cashpot for Schools is our mission to support primary schools across the UK.**

Every time you shop with Asda Rewards from 2nd September to 30th November, we will donate 0.5% of your total spend to a primary school of your choice. Plus, Asda will pop £1 into your school's Cashpot every time someone opts in.

Even more, Asda will get your school started with a further £50. To redeem this, make sure to shop & scan and remind your school to sign up with Parentkind.

For more info, please see our **Terms & Conditions**.

You won't give up any of your own earnings, and your Cashpot will continue to grow! **Shop. Scan. We donate!**



## Harvest



At a time when it's needed most, we are launching a whole school harvest appeal. As a whole school we are on a mission to support our local charities in helping to support our local community. From Monday 16<sup>th</sup> September until Friday 4<sup>th</sup> October we would like children to bring into school tinned foods. The tins will be displayed on the school stage so all children can see they are an important part of a whole school mission. If you wish to send tins in earlier, we will be happy to accept them!

## Science in a Bag

Today each class has been enjoying taking part in our Science in a Bag experiments. We are sure your child will enjoy telling you about their class experiments. Photographs will be on next week's newsletter.

## Admissions

We are just saying hello to our new starters and it is time to think about September 2025! Admissions for next year is 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 us with any questions or to arrange a visit and a tour of school with Miss Brown. Please follow the link to apply: [Apply for a school place - Lancashire County Council](#)

## High School Open Evenings

High School Open Events are currently advertised as follows:

Wellfield: Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> September from 4.30pm to 7.30 pm

Albany: Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> September 2024 - times TBC

Southlands: Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> October 2024 from 4 -7 pm

Parklands: Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> October 2024 – time TBC

St Michael's: Thursday 12 September 5:30-8 pm, Friday 13 September 9:30 am-12 noon and Thursday 10 October 9:30 am-12 noon

Holy Cross: Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> October from 6pm



### 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.

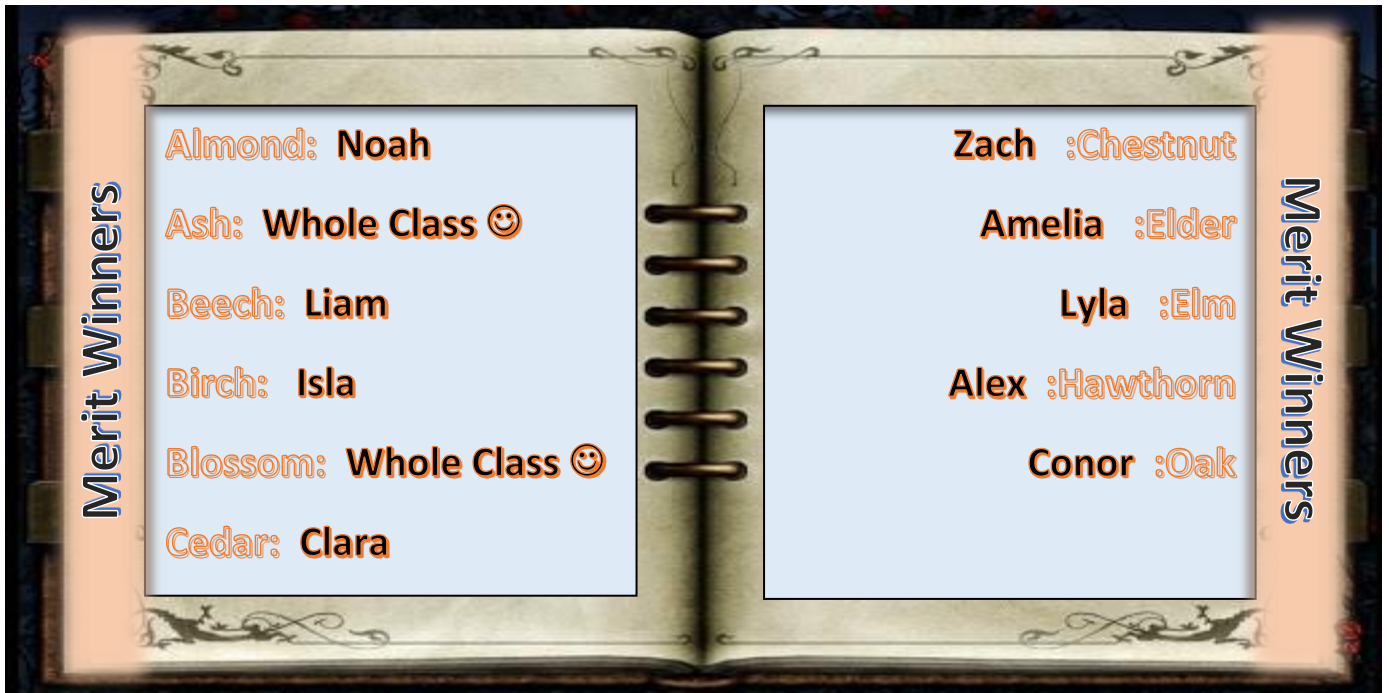


## Residential

Prior to the Summer holidays letters went out regarding our Year 5 Residential and Year 6 Summer Residential. If you wish for your child to participate please ensure you book their place on Parent Pay.

## 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:

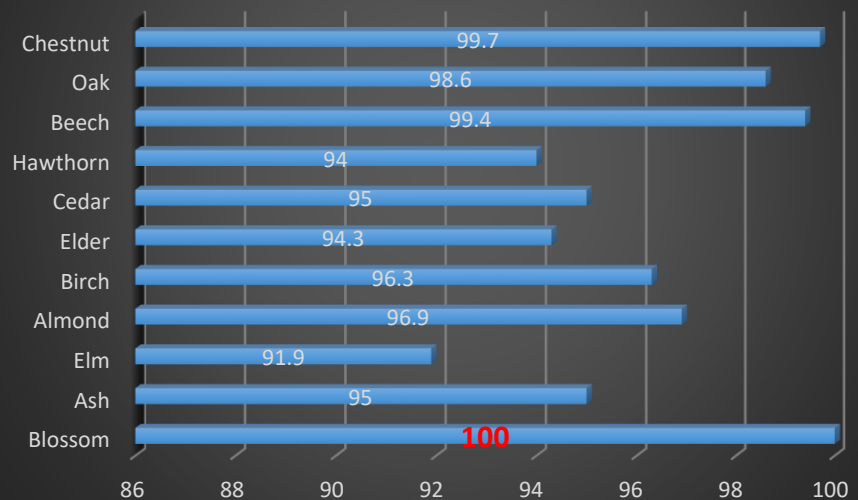


### ATTENDANCE SUPERSTARS

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

**Blossom  
Class**  
😊

### This weeks Class Attendance 09/09/24 To 13/09/2024 SCHOOL TARGET IS 97%



# Reflection Time

As we begin a new year, we start with our value of thankfulness. We are thankful our new school year, thankful for our school family and thankful for those who will help us this new school year. We should give thanks to God for those people who help us because they will, no matter how big or small, allow us to let our light shine.

'Every time I think of you, I give thanks to my God.'

Philippians 1:3

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'



## September 2024

25<sup>th</sup> Sep – Chestnut Year 5 visiting Church

## October 2024

1<sup>st</sup> Oct – Year 1 Phonics Meeting to Parents – 3:20pm and 5pm

8<sup>th</sup> Oct – Reception Reading Breakfast

9<sup>th</sup> Oct – Beech Class visiting Church

11<sup>th</sup> Oct – M & M Productions in School

15<sup>th</sup> Oct – Parents Evening

16<sup>th</sup> Oct – Parents Evening

17<sup>th</sup> Oct – Year 6 to visit Kirkham Grammar School

18<sup>th</sup> Oct – Dojo Tea Party

18<sup>th</sup> Oct – House Winners non-uniform day

18<sup>th</sup> Oct – School breaks up for Half Term

29<sup>th</sup> Oct – School Re-opens after Half Term

## November 2024

6<sup>th</sup> Nov – Elder Class visiting Church

12<sup>th</sup> Nov – Reception Number Morning

14<sup>th</sup> Nov – Beech, Chestnut, Oak – Chester Roman Trip

21<sup>st</sup> Nov – KS2 SATS Evening for Parents – 5pm

27<sup>th</sup> Nov – Hawthorn Class visiting Church

## December 2024

2<sup>nd</sup> Dec – Bring to school homemade Christmas tree decoration

4<sup>th</sup> Dec – Cedar Class visiting Church

4<sup>th</sup> Dec – Resilience TriKidz for Years 4, 5 and 6

11<sup>th</sup> Dec – KS1 Nativity to Parents – 2pm and 6pm

13<sup>th</sup> Dec – Elf Run – Donations to the Homeless

16<sup>th</sup> Dec – Christingle Service – Years 2,3,4,5 and 6 to attend at 2pm

17<sup>th</sup> Dec – Infant Christmas Lunch

18<sup>th</sup> Dec – Junior Christmas Lunch

18<sup>th</sup> Dec – Reception Singalong to Parents

18<sup>th</sup> Dec - Oak and Chestnut Year 6 visiting Church

19<sup>th</sup> Dec – St Peter's Penny

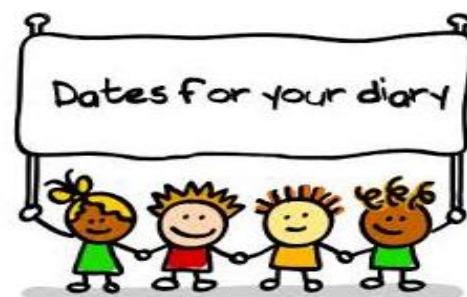
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20<sup>th</sup> Dec – Christmas Party Day

20<sup>th</sup> Dec – School Closes for Christmas Holidays at 2:30pm

20<sup>th</sup> Dec – Stay Late Club Closes at 4:30pm




# Chorley Football Development

At Southlands High School (Sports Hall)  
Clover Road, Chorley, PR7 2NJ  
Starting on Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> September 2024

In association with First Kick Football

School years - Rec & Year 1	5:45pm - 6:30pm
School years - Year 2 and 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, starting 26<sup>th</sup> September, 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 and trophies awarded for various categories.

ALL PLAYERS WILL RECEIVE A TROPHY & A 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.



**Dan**  
TO BOOK PLEASE TELEPHONE  
**01772 428 086 or 07514 316 534**



We cannot guarantee that the course will run in consecutive weeks.  
Please note we have a strict no refund policy once the course has been booked.



# Open Evening

**Thursday 19th September 2024**  
4.30pm-7.30pm

Join us for our September Open Evening!

This is a fantastic opportunity to explore our vibrant school, meet our wonderful students and dedicated staff, and get a true sense of the Wellfield community.

Mr Lewis welcomes visits by appointment at other times for a tour of the school.

To book your tour of Wellfield, please contact our friendly office staff via telephone or email.

**Tel: 01772 421303**  
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enquiries@wellfieldacademy.org

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**Wellfield Academy**




We invite parents/carers and their children to attend our

# OPEN EVENING

**THURSDAY 3rd OCTOBER**  
4PM TO 7PM

We will also be hosting coffee mornings for prospective parents and carers to come and see the school in action.

To register your interest please contact the school.  
e: [mail@southlands.lancs.sch.uk](mailto:mail@southlands.lancs.sch.uk)  
t: 01257 414455  
Clover Road, Chorley, PR7 2NJ





**St Michael's Church of England High School**  
*A Church of England Academy*



# Open Evening



The Headteacher, governors and staff warmly invite prospective parents, carers and pupils to

## OPEN EVENING

**Thursday 12th September 2024**  
from 5.30pm to 8.00pm

The Headteacher will address parents at 5.40pm, 6.20pm and 7.00pm

The school will be open for prospective parents, carers and pupils to visit on  
**Friday 13th September 9.30am – 12.00 noon**  
**Thursday 10th October 9.30am – 12.00 noon**

Astley Road, Chorley, Lancashire. PR7 1RS  
T: 01257 264740  
E: [admin@saint-michaels.lancs.sch.uk](mailto:admin@saint-michaels.lancs.sch.uk)  
[www.saint-michaels.com](http://www.saint-michaels.com)  
Headteacher: Mrs J Jenks B.Soc.Sci Hons PGCE





Please can we politely ask parents/carers, to be respectful of our neighbours and not block driveways.

**Thank you.**

Growing in Body, Mind and Spirit