



Penwortham Primary School 1st December 2023

Reception class have been learning about different types of Celebrations this half term and thinking about their BIG QUESTION: *“Why do we celebrate?”* This week they were joined by Y3 and planned a wedding celebration for Mr and Mrs Helliwell. Thanks to Penwortham United Reform Church for their time and help and to staff and volunteers who attended with the children.

Bags 2 Schools – Thank you to everyone who brought in items for our Bags to school clothing collection which has raised £60.

Thanks to everyone who purchased school photographs. These can still be ordered online via the Tempest Website.

Nativity in KS 1 and reception classes. Ticket booking is now available on school spider. Tickets are restricted to **3 per child** at the current time. Please respect this limit. If additional tickets become available we will release these.

Key Stage 2 have started rehearsals for their shared performance of **‘Lights, Camel, Action’**. Pupils will need to perform on 18th (2pm) and 19th December at 6pm. Please let staff know asap if they are unable to attend on 19th. Tickets for these performances will be available via school spider soon.

Attendance for this week:

Reception: 94%

Year 1: 87.2%

Year 2: 96.4% **Hitting the target Year 2!**

Year 3: 93.4%

Year 4: 97.3% **Well done Year 4 – this week’s winners of the trophy.**

Year 5: 90.2%

Year 6: 93.9%

School Target 96%

Dates for your diary:

Please check regularly as dates and times can change.

November:

December:

5th Full Governing Body meeting

5th December Y6 to priory Academy – science and drama.

6th December Y5 visit to theatre ‘A Christmas Carol’

8th Pantomime theatre group in school and Christmas Jumper Day

11th KS1 and reception Nativity 2pm

12th KS 1 and reception nativity 2pm

13th december Choir at Penwortham Market

18th KS 2 Christmas production 2pm

19th December penwortham Girls’ Orchestra in school

19th KS 2 Christmas production 6pm

20th Christmas Lunch and party day- party clothes!

21st **NO swimming for Y4,5**

21st End of term assembly.

Close @2pm.

School reopens on 8th January 2024

Champions' of Learning

Well done to the following pupils who have excelled in their learning this week:

Reception: Olivia for being a maid of honour at our wedding celebration. Abigail for beautiful singing.

Year 1: Rohan for improving the presentation of his work. Ava for being a super star and learning all her lines for the nativity.

Year 2: Annie for super work in her maths journal. Jack for his readiness to learn and eager contributions.

Year 3: Mason C for being resilient and trying his best. Tafari for being an active learner and always giving 100%.

Year 4: Rupert for writing an informative newspaper report about the Pied Piper. Isla for being her Personal best.

Year 5: Matvii for superb effort in writing. Courtney for being a considerate and helpful classmate.

Year 6: Elodie for linking her previous learning in science to new learning. Edie for outstanding reasoning in maths.

Winning Team this week are Douglas

Christmas Shopping – if you are Christmas shopping online please use the easyfundraising website - Thank you to everyone for raising donations for Penwortham Primary School with #easyfundraising! If you haven't signed up yet, it's easy and completely FREE. 8,100 brands will donate to us when you use easyfundraising to do your everyday online shopping - at no extra cost to you! Every donation you raise makes a difference to us so please sign up & share today.

<https://join.easyfundraising.org.uk/penworthamps/Y2SRH6/at/TSX8RX7z/RTND2/facebook>



Autism Friendly Football



- Fun, friendly, inclusive football for young people with autism
- Increase confidence and independence
- Make new friends
- Primary Aged Children
- Wednesdays 6-7 pm



First Month Free!

Volunteers needed!

**We are also on the lookout for coaches to assist with
the sessions**

For more information contact:
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Or ring/text 07450643090



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LANCASHIRE LINK DROP-IN

CHRISTMAS CRAFTS ON OFFER

COME AND HAVE A CHAT WITH THE ADULT AND/OR
CHILDREN & YOUNG PERSON'S SOCIAL PRESCRIBERS
ABOUT WHAT WE CAN OFFER TO SUPPORT YOU/ YOUR
CHILD'S EMOTIONAL WELLBEING

NEXT **5TH** 3.00-5.00 PM LONGTON LIBRARY,
TUESDAY DEC

- CONFIDENTIAL
ADVICE
- SIGNPOSTING
TO SERVICES





PENWORTHAM
TOWN COUNCIL

Penwortham Christmas Markets

Liverpool Road
Wednesday 13th December 2023
6 - 9pm

Carol Singers
Mulled Wine
Mince Pies
Hot Chocolate
Christmas Gifts
... and so much more!

