8TH NOVEMBER 2024 NEWSLETTER Penwortham Primary School

Week 10...

Thank you for all of your support at parents evening this week, It was wonderful to see so many of you attend to discuss your child's progress and wellbeing and look through your child's books to see what amazing things they have done so far this year. Thank you for the positive feedback, it is always greatly appreciated.

A spider message was sent out earlier in the week inviting everyone to join us in the remembrance parade and laying a wreath on behalf of the school. For those that are able to join us please meet at St Leonards Church at 9am, the service will begin at 9.15am followed by the parade to the war memorial on Liverpool Road. For the pupils that are able to attend we please ask that they are in school uniform on the day.

Miss Penarski is dusting off her walking shoes on Saturday as she will be taking part of 'Jingle all the Way', a 15mile sponsored walk for Derian House, setting off from Chorley to the top of Rivington Pike and back again all while dressed in a santa outfit! If you would like to sponsor Miss Penarski on this amazing fundraiser please click the link below to go to the just giving page.

https://www.justgiving.com/page/jingleallthewayviiiderianhouse

Our brand new mindfulness suite full of sensory toys, tools and a space to reflect and relax is officially open and hopefully you managed to take a sneak peak at parents evening. Many of our pupils have enjoyed relaxing in our new space already which supports our vision of ensuring our children feel happy on the inside.

Due to the huge success of our new Preschool we have now been granted more places by Lancashire County Council.. please contact our school office - 01772 743321 if you would like to find out more about our excellent provision or come and see the magic of our Preschool to decide if we are the best fit for you and your family.

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In school this week...

In school this week reception class have been learning about bonfire night, making bonfire pictures with tissue paper. The class have also been working in teams in PE to throw bean bags into a hoop, these were then counted how many where in and out and then added them together.

Year 1 have been developing their computing skills this week by making digital art. Looking at the artist Henri Mondrian the children then created a piece of digital art in his style using the shape, line and fill tools on the Paintz app. The children turned into detectives this afternoon after returning to class to find someone had committed crimes to the fruit and vegetables! The class wrote reports and made predictions on who they thought the culprit could be.

Year. 2 have had another busy week from taking photographs in computing using an iPad, learning basic shapes in gymnastics to building dens in forest school.

Year 3 enjoyed their afternoon in forest school on Tuesday, It is wonderful to see the children learning and enjoying the outdoor area.

Year 4 have been working on their drawing with scissors creating some fantastic pieces of artwork.

Year 5 are learning "Queen We Will Rock You" in their weekly brass lesson and have started exploring forces in science.

Year 6 have been investigating how different 'beaks' enable different birds to eat and trying to work out which type of beak is most effective.

Thank you to the wonderful school council team who have been selling poppies throughout the week.



Dates for your Diary:

31.10.24 - PTFA Talent show deadline 01.11.24 - Autumnal Day PTFA 06.11.24 - Parents evening 07.11.24 - Parents evening 10.11.24 - Remembrance Sunday 12.11.24 - Odd socks day 16.11.24 - Mrs Lamberts 200th Parkrun 21.11.24 - 26.11.24 - Scholastic book fair 22.11.24 - Non Uniform (bottle donation) 27.11.24 - Y3 Class assembly 29.11.24 - Non Uniform (chocolate) 29.11.24 - Christmas Markets PTFA 10.12.24 - Y6 Visit to Priory 10.12.24 - KS1 & EYFS Nativity 2pm 11.12.24 - KS1 & EYFS Nativity 9.30am 11.12.24 - Panto in a day (cinderella) 12.12.24 - KS2 Christmas Showcase 2pm 13.12.24 - KS2 Christmas Showcase 9.15am 12.12.24 - Christmas jumper day 12.12.24 - PTFA 'Elfridges' 18.12.24 - Christmas lunch

20.12.24 - School closure 2pm Christmas

23.12.24 - 03.01.24 - HALF TERM

06.01.24 - School reopens

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Our y5 and 6 Girls' football team made a great start to the local 3 week tournament last night with 1 defeat, 1 draw and 1 win!









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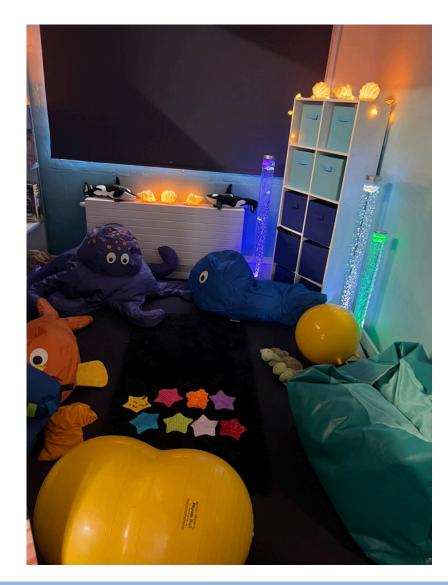
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Miss Penarski all ready for the sponsored charity walk tomorrow



A sneak preview of our incredible under the sea inspired wellness suite



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Photos of the week









































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Photos of the week: Afterschool Club









































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Champions of the Week...

Reception

Sejan - for settling into reception and following routines **Samantha** - being a good team member in PE and helping to keep score.

<u>Year 1</u>

Isla - for fantastic effort in her English and reading this week. **Mia -** for excellent digital art skills in computing & putting 100% effort in always.

<u>Year 2</u>

Harrison - For always demonstrating great focus, eagerness and readiness in all of his learning!

Hettie - for being a kind and caring member of our class - helping others when they have needed her.

<u>Year 3</u>

Leilah - for having a positive attitude towards your learning and having a go at everything asked this week.

Evan - For giving 100% in all your work and doing your best.

Year 4

Hettie - for trying your best in subtraction Jack P - For your outstanding geometric art

<u>Year 5</u>

Emilia for writing a fantastic halloween poem. **Sasha** for his brilliant contributions and debating skills in RE.

Year 6

Myles - for being responsible and proactive in making positive choices for his own learning

Estelle - for excellent effort in using figurative language in her poem.

Penwortham Star of the Week 🕂

Pre School

Amelie - For wowing us with her fantastic Maths and always being ready for Pre School Learning.

Quinn - For amazing enthusiasm and ball control skills in PE, you are a sporting superstar!

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House Cup weekly Winners



Attendance:



