



# Cop Lane C.E. Primary School

*A welcoming Christian community, committed to one another, giving our very best at all times.*

*'I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me.' Philippians 4:13*

Our Christian Value is: thankfulness



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## Headteacher's Message

It's been another very busy week as we head quickly towards the end of term.

On Tuesday, Adrian Worrell worked with some of our classes to support their learning in History. I know the children all had a fantastic time and got a lot out of the experience.

Coach Dave led the school in an athletics festival on Wednesday. Every class had a slot with him and all had a great time. We got some super shots from the photographer of the children taking part.

Finally, well done to our Y6 children as they received their SATs results this week. We are all extremely proud of them.

Best wishes,

Mr Ian P. Ashmore



## Dates for your Diary



16.07.24– Y1 trip to Brockholes

18.07.24—Y6 Leavers' Worship—2pm

22.07.24—Y6 Pizza Party—6pm

23.07.24-School closes at 2pm for summer

## PTFA News

The Summer Fair is today! See you there!



### Reflection Time

*Do not worry about anything; instead, pray about everything.*

*Philippians 4:6*

This week in our worship, we talked about giving thanks through prayer. Prayer is simply sharing and chatting with God in everyday language and enjoying God's company. We can tell God everything—the things that make us happy and the things that worry us. It is also a chance to say sorry for the wrong things we've done. Remember that God also loves to hear us and thank him for answering our prayers.



This week in our Picture News, we looked at the news that supermarket chain, Asda, has launched fan zones for elderly people to enjoy the UEFA EURO 2024 football tournament (The Euros). The idea came about as new research found that over 1.9 million individuals over 65 will be watching the matches alone. Many other places, where people choose to watch the football, can be very busy, with standing space only. The Nanzone spaces have been specially developed with older people in mind, ensuring they have somewhere enjoyable to watch the matches with others. The children considered the question: "What is loneliness?" Our 'Picture News at Home' can be found on the last page of this newsletter.



## PTFA Fundraisin Challenge

Well done to Reception, who won the fundraising challenge raising £119.72! In 2nd place was Y1 with £77.73 and third place Y4 with £66.31. In total, £320.80 was raised! Well done!

EYFS will be getting their class treat for winning shortly!



## Governor Update

A meeting of the 'Ethos and Distinctiveness Committee' was held on the 8<sup>th</sup> July at 1:00pm. The impact of the meeting was:

- Governors discussed the work done to support Pencott school this year.
- Governors received an evaluation of the school website and its approach to Christian Distinctiveness.
- Governors were delighted to hear that the school has been recognised as a school to share good practice with others.

## Attendance Matters

The NHS Guidance, 'Is my child too ill for school?' has information on the most common illnesses. It can be found here: <https://www.nhs.uk/live-well/is-my-child-too-ill-for-school/>

### Reducing Illness Days



- When a child has a day off we must be notified by a parent or carer as to why. This can be a note or a telephone call. A child returning to school after an unexplained absence will be marked as unauthorised absence until we receive a valid explanation.
- If your child is saying they do not feel well and you are unsure about whether it warrants a day off please send them to school. If they are truly ill we will ring you.
- Use common sense when deciding whether or not your child is too ill to attend school. Ask yourself the following questions:

- Is my child well enough to do the activities of the school day?
- Does my child have a condition that could be passed on to other children or school staff?
- Would I take a day off work if I had this condition?

# FORTHCOMING EVENTS

~~16TH MAY  
DISCO~~

~~JUNE  
FUND-  
RAISIN  
CHALLENGE~~

~~21ST JUNE  
BREAK  
THE  
RULES  
DAY~~

12TH JULY  
SUMMER  
FAIR

PLUS WATCH OUT FOR MORE FRIDAY TREATS!



Our class attendance figures this week are :-

EYFS	100%
YR 1	95.2%
YR 2	95.3%
YR 3	88.7%
YR 4	94.7%
YR 5	96%
YR 6	98.7%



Well done to EYFS this week!!!



**Family Fun day**

# Nature in the Park

**SUNDAY, 28TH JULY  
WITHY GROVE PARK,  
BAMBER BRIDGE  
11AM - 3:30PM**

**Join The Friends of Withy Grove Park for a fun day of getting to know more about the nature in your local area and how you can help look after our eco systems and biodiversity in our parks**

**Bring your family and friends and enjoy a day of outdoor fun and entertainment with....**

**Pond Dipping**

**Nature Trail**

**Face Painter**

**Bug Hunt**

**Worm Charming**

**Inflatables**

**Taz**

**Scavenger Hunt**

**Donkeys**

**Story time**

**BSL signer**



**CLIMATE  
EMERGENCY**

**BAMBER BRIDGE,  
WALTON LE DALE &  
EASTERN PARISHES  
COMMUNITY HUB**



Central Villages Community Hub  
invites you to



# FARINGTON FAMILY & FRIENDS FUN DAY

Lots of your favourites from last year will be there!

Storytime

Crafts

Taz

Donkeys

Inflatables

Friday 16th August 2024 11am-3pm

Farington Park, Stanifield Lane, PR25 4AB

An Inclusive event for all the family!



# THE GREAT BIG SCHOOL UNIFORM POP UP SHOP 2024

In Partnership with TippyToes Babybank



Do you need uniform for September '24?

We have collected clean, wearable, outgrown or unused South Ribble uniforms

All families welcome, all stock is free, we are here to support you & encourage reusing & recycling

## POP UP SHOP WILL BE OPEN

### 10am - 3pm

**Civic Centre, Leyland, PR25 1DH**

**Monday 22nd July - Friday 26th July**

**Monday 29th July - Thursday 1st August**

**South Ribble Family Wellbeing Centre,  
Wilkinson Street, PR5 5BP**

**Monday 5th August - Friday 9 August**

**Monday 12th August - Wednesday 14th August**

Find us on facebook for further details - [www.facebook.com/schoolpopupshopSR](https://www.facebook.com/schoolpopupshopSR)





# **Scarecrow Festival 2024**

**Running from  
Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> to Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> July**

**We hope you will take part in this year's  
Scarecrow festival trail.**

**The Domestic Scarecrow category is  
being voted for by the public. You can  
use the Paper voting slips, which can be  
collected from and completed forms  
returned to The Black Bull Public House  
or The Community Centre on Priory  
Lane, or if you prefer you can use the  
QR code on our  
facebook page:Penwortham in bloom  
2024 and vote online.**

**Please vote for your 1<sup>st</sup> 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup>  
choice.**

**Winners to be announced at the Awards  
evening in September.**

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# TAKEHOME

8th - 14th July



What is loneliness?

Source: Lucy Young.

## In the news this week

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### Things to talk about at home ...

- > Have you been watching the Euros football competition this year? If so, who have you watched with? Who will you watch with? Do you prefer to watch sport and big events with others?
- > Do you think you have to be alone to feel lonely? Is there a time when you have ever felt lonely?

Please note any interesting thoughts or comments

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