

## 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 busy week with lots of things going on in school. On Tuesday, we hosted the Lancashire Music Bus for the day. The children had a great experience and we are very grateful to the PTFA for funding the visit.

On Thursday, we were visited by South Ribble Borough Council sports coaches as part of the 'Dance from the Heart' Roadshow. The children had a great time performing the dance that they have been learning in school. Thank you to Mrs Bell for organisig.

This week, we were accredited two further Lancashire equality badges. The school was awarded the disability and holistic diversity badge. This celebrated the fantastic work the school does. The school has achieved all 6 badges and will soon be awarded the Lancashire Equality Mark. A big thank you to the staff team for all their hard work.

Finally, don't forget the PTFA Rise and Shine jog is next Tuesday morning. Further details have been sent to parents.

Best wishes,

Mr Ian P. Ashmore



#### **PTFA News**

PTFA 'Rise and Shine Rainbow Run' on the 1st July 2025! See P6



### **Dates for your Diary**



01.07.25—PTFA Rise and Shine Rainbow Jog

01.07.25-Y4 Ministry of the Word

> 01.07.25-Y6 Leavers' Service at Blackburn Cathedral

04.07.25 Non-uniform day: Bring a Bottle for the Cop Lane Live event

08.07.25-Y3 Ministry of the Word

11.07.25—Governors' Cop Lane Live Event—3:30pm— 5:30pm

16.07.25-18.07.25-Y6 at **Borwick Hall** 

22.07.25-Y6 Leavers' worship for parents at 2pm, followed by a pizza party at 3:30pm

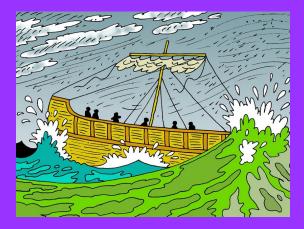
23.07.25—school closes for summer at 2pm

#### Reflection Time

'The Lord is my strength and my shield; my heart trusts in him, and I am helped. Therefore my heart greatly rejoices, and with my song I praise him.

Psalm 28:7

This week in worship, our theme was 'thankfulness in the Bible". On Monday, we heard the story of St Paul when he was shipwrecked. Paul put his trust in God and God promised to keep him safe throughout the storm. Just like Paul, we can trust God when things get tough. We might not be in a real storm, but we all have hard days. God promises to be with us and help us through. We talked about being thankful that God is with us.





This week in our Picture News, we discussed the news that nearly 140 years after it sank, a team of divers has identified the wreck of a ship, called the SS Nantes, off the coast of Devon, in southwest England. The ship sank in 1888, after crashing into another boat. The shipwreck could finally be named when a diver found a plate with the ship's company logo (or crest) on it. The children considered the question: "Why do people explore the past?"

Our 'Picture News at Home' can be found on the last page of this newsletter.

































### **Governor Update**

A meeting of the 'Ethos and Distinctiveness Committee' was held on the 23rd June 2025 at 1:00pm. The impact of the meeting was:

- Governors evaluated the current church distinctiveness SIP and discussed priorities for next year including developing theological, sociological and philosophical questioning.
- Governors were updated on the WRIST Church school project and their visits.
- Governors discussed SIAMs and the self-evaluation document.



## **BUTTERFLY ART** CHALLENGE

Sponsored by St Catherine's In the frame and Penwortham's Kingsfold library

If you are of primary school age and enjoy drawing and painting, why not enter our challenge to create a beautiful butterfly design. Your entry might become one of three chosen for our 'On the Cards' butterfly greetings cards, celebrating 40 years of St Catherine's Hospice

- · Just submit your original design, on A4 paper, with your name, age and school attended, to Kingsfold library, by 4.00pm on Monday 30th June.
- Please tell us with your entry what inspired you to create your design.
- · Judging to take place during a special appearance by volunteers of St Catherine's 'In the Frame' and 'On the Cards' from 2.00 to 7.00pm on Tuesday 1st July. Town Mayor Clr Adams will be on hand to help make the final choice, with those selected announced at 6.30pm.
- See artists and card creators in action between 2.00pm and 5.00pm, followed at 5.30 by the story behind 'In the Frame', as told by its originator Peter Frankish.







































# **Autism Training**

Oliver House, a specialist autism school, are offering free training to any parents. There will be nine courses:

15th September 2025 Parent led session about 3 case studies

13th October 2025 ADHD and Autism

10th November 2025 Social communication challenges

8th December 2025 Girls with autism and masking

19th January 2026 Sensory challenges in autism

23rd February 2026 Social anxiety and isolation

23<sup>rd</sup> March 2026 PDA evening slot 6.30pm-8.30pm

27th April 2026 Executive functioning difficulties

8th June 2026 Challenging behaviour and autism

The courses will run from 10am to 12 noon and there are 80 places on each course- Except the 23rd of March which is an evening session.

Tea & coffee will be provided

Please note that if you wish to attend you must book on the courses. Please contact Jenny Powell at Oliver House School on 01257 220011 to book.

Venue: Valley Church, Fourfields, Bamber Bridge, Preston, PR5 6GS

































SPONSORSHIP FORMS WERE HANDED OUT ON WEDNESDAY THIS WEEK. IF YOU NEED ANOTHER ONE PLEASE CONTACT THE OFFICE

## **Summer Term Ministry of the Word Dates**

Ministry of the Word Services are at Penwortham St Mary's Church from approx. 9:30am until 10:10am. Parents are welcome to join us.

> 1st July 2025 = Y4 8th July 2025 = Y3











































































































































## In the news this week

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

- Talk to others at home and discuss what you think it would feel like to discover a missing shipwreck.
- If you could explore one mystery from the past, what would it be and why?
- Do you believe it's important to learn about the past? Why? What do others at home say?

Please note any interesting thoughts or comments

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