

#### **Weekly Newsletter**

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#### **Everest Fundraiser**

A huge thank you to Mrs Pawar, who hiked to the Everest Base camp yesterday to raise funds for our school playground. Follow the link to her justgiving page below if you would like to make a donation.

What an amazing achievement!

Warrington EBC 2025 - Team fundraising for PENKETH
COUNTY PRIMARY SCHOOL PTA is fundraising for
PENKETH COUNTY PRIMARY SCHOOL PTA



#### Hello Yellow Friday 10th October

Last Friday our children wore yellow accessories, took part in special activities and raised £161 for the Young Minds charity!



### STARS OF THE WEEK



#### **Congratulations to:**

**Reception: Bobby** 

Year 1: Elodie

Year 2: Lucy

Year 3: Reuben

Year 4: Eleanor

Year 5: Fearne

Year 6: Eva







## **ATTENDANCE**



Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
97.8%	100%	86.9%	90.8%	97.8%	94.3%	99.3%



### OUR LEARNING

In Reception... Reception made us so proud in the Harvest Assembly on Thursday morning! They sang their little hearts out and joined in beautifully. We have had a very busy week, learning about Rosa Parks for Black History Month. We have also been practising our sound, talk and blending with our new phonemes, h,b,f and I! We hope you have a wonderful Autumn half-term break Reception!

In Year 1...What a fantastic week to finish our first half-term in Year 1! In Forest School, the children enjoyed lighting a fire and eating brioche buns. In English, we have finished our Old Bear stories; the children are very proud of the work they have produced! In Maths, we have begun to look at how to write an addition sentence. In Computing, we have considered people who we trust when we feel worried about something online. We were also so proud when we performed our Harvest Assembly for lots of our grown ups! Thank you to everyone who came to watch, we had so much fun!

In Year 2... This week in Maths, we have learnt that addition is commutative and enjoyed recalling number bonds to 10. In English, we have analysed our class text and picked out key writing features that we are going to include in our own pieces. In History, we have learnt about the life of Mary Seacole and discovered some of her amazing achievements. We loved performing our Harvest Assembly to you all - it was so much fun!

In Year 3... This week in Year 3, we have worked incredibly hard and made a great start to our assessments; well done Year 3! In English, we have created our trap explanations which have been so lovely to read! We have consolidated our spelling work in this week's spelling lessons and worked hard to remember the rule rhymes. In Spanish, we have learnt about counting in Spanish and worked hard as a team to beat Miss Banford. We enjoyed performing in our Harvest Festival and sang beautifully. Have a lovely break!

In Year 4... Already a half term completed! This week we have been creating double page spreads about digestion, learning about Roman numerals and negative numbers. Our singing at the Harvest Festival was the best yet and Mrs Clarke was very proud of us. We can't wait to see what the next half term will bring!

In Year 5...What a busy week! Alongside practising our Harvest songs and recorders, we have been writing formal mission logs as if we have gone to the moon. We looked at negative numbers in Maths, and discussed the question, 'Why is it sometimes difficult to do the right thing?' in RE.

In Year 6... This week Year 6 have finished their final pieces of writing about Rose Blanche and we have been blown away with what they have produced. This work has dovetailed beautifully with our WW1 and WW2 History learning. In Maths, we have completed our assessment papers, with great progress evident! We enjoyed performing our version of 'Wonderwall', at our Harvest Festival, which we have been practising with Mrs Anderson. A really great first half term for our children; we are so proud! Enjoy your break!



# **OTHER AWARDS**



#### **Congratulations to:**

- Incredible Dancers; Isla, Logan, Esmea and Lily R (Stars of the Week from Abigail Barlow Dance Academy).
- Football and Rugby Hero; James (Player of the Match from Latchford Giants ARLFC), Georgia (Tournament Winners 2025 with Matthiola Lions JFC), Evie (Player of the Match from Bruche Athletic JFC), Jude (Man of the Match from Matthiola JFC), Arslan (Top Defender and Man of the Match medals from Crosfields ARLFC) and Mya (Trainer of the Week from Matthiola Lions JFC).
- Super Swimmers; Cameron (Level 3) and Sofia (20 Metres).
- Outstanding Gymnasts; Isla and Natasha (both Stars of the Week from Gymfinity Kids Clubs) and Georgia, who was awarded WGC 5C's Programme certificate for Commitment.
- Amazing Scout; Daniel, who was presented with Beaver of the Week!
- **Kristy,** who achieved 20 competencies in Grade 4 in Ice Skating from Planet Ice.
- Our incredible Year 3 & 4 Football Team who won, 4-1, against Bruche Primary School last Friday.







## Mega Mathematicians

Rec: Charlie Year 4: Alfie

Year 1: Eddie Year 5: Alice

Year 2: Scarlett Year 6: Phoebe

Year 3: Caleb



### REMARKABLE READERS

Rec: Isabella Year 4: Jonas

Year 1: Natasha Year 5: Benjamin

Year 2: Zayaan Year 6: George

Year 3: Logan



# **LUNCH MENU W/C 03/11/25**

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Vegetarian Sausage Roll, Herby Diced Potatoes and Baked Beans or Vegetables	Pork or Vegetarian Sausage, Yorkshire Pudding, Mash with Vegetables and Gravy	Pasta Bake with Vegetables Cheese or Cheese and Ham Panini with	Chicken Goujons, Fish Fingers or Quorn Nuggets and Chips with Vegetables or	BBQ Chicken or Quorn, Potato Wedges and Sweetcorn
Macaroni Cheese with Vegetables	Jacket Potato with various fillings	Salad	Baked Beans	Jacket Potato with various fillings
Cooks Choice Dessert	Cooks Choice Dessert	Cooks Choice Dessert	Cooks Choice Dessert	Cooks Choice Dessert

# DIARY DATES

Monday 3rd November: SCHOOL OPENS.

Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> November – Friday 7<sup>th</sup> November: School Assessment Week.

Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> November: Reception Intake 2026/27 Open Morning 9.30am -10.30am.

Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> November: Annual Penketh Fireworks Display.

Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> November: Flu Immunisations (Reception to Year 6) Nasal vaccination

**Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> November:** Penketh Powers and World Kindness Day – we'd like our whole community to get involved in acts of kindness. Links with our Anti Bullying focus.

Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> November: Reception Intake 2026/27 Open Afternoon 1.30 – 2.30pm.