

Weekly Newsletter

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WhatsApp & On-line Safety

Please be aware as we move towards the holidays, to still keep an eye on your children's phone. It is important that parents and carers check messages, on line content and sites that pupils are using and set up parental controls if possible. If they say their friend's parents don't check their phones it isn't true!!The majority of our parents monitor phone usage, as this is the safest way to keep your child safe on-line, alongside educating pupils regarding E-safety. Thank you.

Award Assembly

As next week is a 4-day week and our wonderful Year 6 children will have their final assembly on Thursday 18th July, our weekly Award Assembly will be held on Wednesday 17th July. Please ensure that your child brings in any trophies/awards by Wednesday morning at the latest, so that we have time to include all their achievements in the final newsletter.

STARS OF THE WEEK

- Reception: Bodhi Year 1: Olive Year 2: Alfie
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- Year 4: James
- Year 5: Thomas
- Year 6: Olivia



ATTENDANCE							
Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6	
95.1%	99.2%	98.7%	97.4%	94.9%	97.6%	95.3%	



OUR LEARNING

In Reception...Reception have been very busy practising for their class assembly on Monday morning. We performed it to Key Stage One on Thursday afternoon who described it as 'The Reception Musical' - we are very excited! Alongside our practising, we have been painting with watercolours, looking at the hour and minute hand on an analogue clock and writing special cards for our teachers!

In Year 1... This week, the children have been reflecting on another fantastic year at Penketh. They have been practising hard for their Celebration Assembly this week, which they performed brilliantly with confidence and enthusiasm! Well done to all of our Year 1 superstars, we could not be prouder of you all! **In Year 2...**We have had an incredible week and loved performing in our amazing Celebration Assembly. We are all so proud of ourselves. We have also loved spending two amazing days with our new teacher, Miss Banford. One of our favourite parts was enjoying juice and biscuits whilst we chatted together. What a treat!

In Year 3...In Design Technology, we have sewn pencil cases (thank you to all our helpers) and have constructed money boxes. In English we have written non-chronological reports about rivers. Mrs Clarke was super proud of how we all performed in our Celebration Assembly.

In Year 5...we have enjoyed learning about food miles this week in Geography, attempting to measure how far food has travelled before it reaches the consumer. This is a good way of looking at the environmental impact of foods and their ingredients, thinking about where food has come from and what environmental effects this has had. **In Year 4...** Another fabulous week performing our end of year assembly. It was lovely to be able to remind the pupils of all their fantastic moments in Year 4. To share this with parents and carers was really special. We are still working hard on sewing our tote bags... PLEASE HELP US! If you can spare an hour in an afternoon from 1:20 we would love to see you!

In Year 6...This week in Science, Year 6 made a periscope using mirrors and also a shadow theatre using torches. The children enjoyed their last school disco on Monday evening and are busy rehearsing for their Leavers Assembly next week. Tissues at the ready!



OTHER AWARDS



Congratulations to:

- Football Superstars; Kayleigh (Season Participation and Players Player of the Season trophies from Matthiola Under 10's Rockets), Oliver (participation medals for reaching the final of the Warrington Junior Football League tournament with Eagle JFC), Dennis (Season Participation medal from his football team), Owen (Most Improved Player of the Season and Participation trophies from Eagle JFC Roma Under 9's), William (Season Participation and Parents Player of the Season trophies from Eagle Roma Under 9's), Eve (Season Participation trophies from Whittle Hall JFC U11's and Eagle Barca U11's JFC and Most Improved Player trophy from Eagle Barca U11's), Heidi & Eve (AFC Knowsley Girls Tournament 2024 Europa Cup Winners trophy with team Whittle Hall JFC U11's Madrid), Annie (2nd place medal in tournament with Whittle Hall Wolves JFC), Jude (1st place medal in tournament with Matthiola Rangers JFC), Hugo and Charlie (First Kick tournament Winners certificates).
- Super Swimmers; Oliver (Level 3), Kayden (Water Safety Level 1) and James (Level 2).
- Warrington Wolves Season Ticket Winner—Hugo, who went to see the Wolves take on Leeds Rhinos.
- Logan and Sophia, who were awarded Influence and First Aid badges from their Rainbow pack.
- Vivi, who received Star of the Week from Sarah Royle School of Dance.



READERS OF THE WEEK

- **Reception: Harley**
- Year 1: Jude
- Year 2: Georgiana
- Year 3: Reggie
- Year 4: Jeremy
- Year 5: Hazel
- Year 6: Owen



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MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Margarita Pizza Rounds, Baked Jacket Wedges & Sweetcorn (V)	Roast Turkey, Creamed & Roast Potatoes, Carrots & Broccoli (V sub. available)	Spaghetti Bolognese & garden peas (V sub. available) Chicken Pitta, Veg	Oven Baked Fish or Chicken Goujons with Chips, Peas or Baked Beans	Brunch Lunch (Sausage, Beans, Hash Brown, Omelette) (V. sub available)
Jacket Potato with various fillings Doughnut	Jacket Potato with various fillings Fresh Fruit Salad or Yoghurt	Rice & Broccoli Jacket Potato with various fillings Arctic Roll or Ice	Jacket Potato with various fillings Homemade Biscuit	Jacket Potato with various fillings Rasberry Jelly & Fruit
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Monday 15th July: 9:00-10:00 Reception Class assembly and Certificates of Achievement

Monday 15th July to Tuesday 16th July: Penketh Primary Transition days (Children will spend two days with their new class teacher in preparation for September 2024)

Monday 15th July to Tuesday 16th July: New Reception children 2024 - Home visits (Miss Horton and Mrs Williams)

Thursday 18th July: Year 6 leavers assembly 1:30pm

Thursday 18th July: School Closes at 2.30pm

Have a lovely summer!