

Weekly Newsletter

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Welcome back to all our families old and new! It has been wonderful to see so many eager faces return to school.

It has been fantastic to welcome our new Reception children to BIG school and we are very impressed at how well they are settling in.

A brilliant start to a new academic year!

Open Door

We have an **open door policy** where **each Friday** you are welcomed into school to look at your child's books, have an informal chat with the class teacher and share in your child's success. If you have any worries or concerns please always come and see us; we are here to help in any way we can.

Welcome to our new staff

Mrs Anderson our Year 5 class teacher and Assistant SENCO to Mrs Arnaud



Miss Banford our Year 3 class teacher



And congratulations to Mr Towey on securing his new role as
Assistant Headteacher!



A few updates

Diary dates for this term will be issued next week as a paper and electronic copy.



Homework will be given out on Monday and collected in on Friday.

Snacks for Y1-Y6 purchased from the school kitchen are priced as follows; Toast 30p & Juice 35p. These purchases will be charged to ParentPay.

A member of staff is always on the door of KS1 and KS2 each morning, for any messages you would like to pass on to your child's class teacher.

ATTENDANCE

Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
99.1%	100%	100%	98.4%	97.2%	98.3%	99.4%



PENKETH EXPECTATIONS

- Listen
- Do ask asked
- Work well with others
- Be the best we can be

PENKETH POWERS

- Resilience
- Respect
- Kindness
- Responsibility





Children first

Resilience

Pioneering

Meet your Governors



Julie Cahill Chair of Governors



Beccy Purcell Vice Chair of Governors Safeguarding Governor



Jo Hancock



James Parr Curriculum Governor



Olivia McMurray SEND & Behaviour Governor



Rachel Atherton Climate Change Governor



Linda Humphries Health and Safety Governor

Over the next few months the Governors will be contributing to the newsletter to tell you about their roles and how they support and challenge the school.



OTHER AWARDS



Congratulations to:

- Summer Reading Challenge Bookworms; Hayden, Jackson, Tyler & Luke.
- Gymnasts; Phoebe & Mya (Gymnast of the month from Penketh Gymnastics Club) & Alice (Gymnast of the Month from Warrington Gymnastics Club).
- <u>Dance Superstars</u>; Lily & Marcella (Stars of the Week from Abigail Barlow Dance Academy) & **Sophia** (Attendance & Commitment certificate from Shooting Stars Dance Academy).
- <u>Football Superstars</u>; Logan & Arthur (Participation trophies and medals from 1st Kick Football & Whittle Hall Cosmo's JFC).
- Super Swimmer; Sophia ('I Can Swim' certificate and badge).





LUNCH MENU W/C 09/09/24

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Margarita Pizza Rounds, Baked Jacket Wedges & Sweetcorn (V) Jacket Potato with various fillings Doughnut	Roast Turkey, Creamed & Roast Potatoes, Carrots & Broccoli (V sub. available) Jacket Potato with various fillings Fresh Fruit Salad or Yoghurt	Spaghetti Bolognese & garden peas (V sub. available) Chicken Pitta, Veg Rice & Broccoli Jacket Potato with various fillings Arctic Roll or Ice Cream	Oven Baked Fish or Chicken Goujons with Chips, Peas or Baked Beans Jacket Potato with various fillings Homemade Biscuit	Brunch Lunch (Sausage, Beans, Hash Brown, Omelette) (V. sub available) Jacket Potato with various fillings Rasberry Jelly & Fruit