

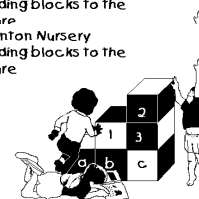


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Newsletter

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Newsletter Number 3 - 22nd September 2017

Our Christian Value for this half term is - Service

Dear Parents

We are all looking forward to the Family Fun Day tomorrow. I would like to ask as many parents, carers, family and friends to come along. The Friends of Cronton have worked very hard to put the day together and would very much appreciate your support. Let's hope the weather is kind for it!

I would like to welcome all our new children who have started in our Nursery classes this week. We look forward to getting to know each other better over the coming weeks / months.

Football After School Club

Please note football after school club is cancelled on Monday - Mr Noblett is unavailable.

School Council

The winners of the School Council Elections as voted for by their classmates are:

Year 6	Evie McLean & Max Chesters
Year 5	Klevis Dilaveri & Jessica Sutton
Year 4	Ava Probin & Ashton Houlihan
Year 3	Jack Jones & Ellie Schulz
Year 2	Noah Doran & Katie Devin
Year 1	Emily Poland & Cian Dimelow
Reception	Emma Darby & Charlie Ellinson (Year 6 representatives)

Prefects

Our new Year 6 Prefects for the Autumn term are:

Library Prefects:	Emma Darby, Lola Lawson, Sally-Ann Chesters, Ben Allen, Charlie Ellinson, Sophie Pitt & Jessica Devin
Hall / Worship Prefects:	Evie McLean & Alastair Hewitt
Register Prefect:	Naina Randev
Corridor Prefects:	Jackson Wright, Daniel Matthews, Jessica McGlynn & Rachel Ryan
Message Prefects:	Evan Eastwood & Oliver Stankevitch

Peer Mentors

Our new Year 6 Peer Mentors are: Ben Allen, Sally-Ann Chesters, Emma Darby, Jessica Devin, Charlie Ellinson, Harry Jones, Lola Lawson, Hugo McIver, Harrison Morris, Sophie Pitt, Emily Prenga and Cameron Williamson.

Infant Milk

Milk money is £1.50 for the year payable for all Reception, Year 1 & Year 2 children. If you are unable to pay via Parentpay (we are aware of the minimum payment of £1.50), please send your £1.50 in as soon

as possible in an envelope marked with your child's name and 'Milk Money' and send it into the school office. If you don't have a ParentPay Login in please contact Mrs Hooks in the school office.

NSPCC

The NSPCC's *Speak Out Stay Safe* programme is visiting our school on Friday 20th October to help us make sure our pupils have the knowledge and understanding they need to stay safe from abuse. Please see the letter regarding this on our website and Facebook pages.

Facebook

Acting on advice from the Authority IT section, due to security issues we now have a brand new Facebook group. Please look out for the group with no profile picture or group picture. There are 2 old groups which are currently being deleted so please do not use those pages. But please be patient with us (Mrs Felton) - we are still learning how to manage it. Thanks.

Friends of Cronton

Please note all parents are automatically part of the Friends of Cronton - we love to see new friends as well as our old friends!

Fun Day Meeting - thank you to everyone who came along to our volunteers meeting on Wednesday - it was very productive and great to see so many join us.

Family Fun Day - tomorrow is the big day - our first Family Fun Day from 11am - 3pm. Please try to come along to support our new venture - we have lots of fun events planned - fun inflatables, food/refreshments, tombola, crafts, face painting, beat the goalie, a bake off (see below), beer tent, raffle, and lots more. Admission is £1 per adult - children go free.

Non uniform Days - Thank you to everyone for all your kind donations of bottles received today. Your generosity over the last 3 weeks is very much appreciated.

Bake Off - we are looking forward to seeing all your culinary skills with the bake-off tomorrow. Mrs Thomson, Rev Ray & Mrs Jones will be judging your efforts. All home-made cakes will need to be brought in by 12 for judging purposes. It would be greatly appreciated if cakes could be donated to the Fun Day for us to sell. But if you wish to take your cake home again please let us know when you drop it off. Hopefully no soggy bottoms for our judges.

Facebook - Please note we have a Facebook page called Friends of Cronton CoE Primary, keeping parents up to date with events organised by the Friends. Have a look and give us a 'like' or a message.

Contact - if you wish to speak to any of the committee please leave a note in the school office and we will get back to you.

European Day of Languages - Tuesday 26th September

Next Tuesday - 26th September - we will be celebrating the European Day of Languages. Each class will be studying a European country and taking part in activities linked to that country. On that day the children may, if they wish, come dressed in either colours from that countries flag **OR** the national costume of the country they are studying or even the football kit if they have one. Parents do not need to go and buy these items especially - it is only if you have them. There are no costs involved in this day.

The classes will be studying:

Nursery - Spain

Year 2 - Germany

Year 5 - Greece

Reception - France

Year 3 - Sweden

Year 6 - Holland

Year 1 - Ireland

Year 4 - Italy

Vacancies

We currently have a vacancy for a Mid Day Supervisor. Please see our Facebook Page or Website for details. Please email Mrs Felton for an application forms and Job Description - eileen.felton@knowsley.gov.uk

Parentpay

Nursery - Year 2 parents please note when paying for any items via ParentPay, when you have logged in please click on "Pay Other Items", which will bring up any payments that are outstanding for your child for you to pay. Please do not click on "Pay Lunches". Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Class Worships

All class Worships start at 9:05am in the school hall. Parents from each class are invited to attend their child's worship and stay for a cup of tea or coffee afterwards

Year 6 - this will take place on Wednesday 27th September.

Year 5 - this will take place on Wednesday 22nd November.

Little Angels Club

We are now running our Little Angels Club. The club has proved really popular we now have just a few places left. If you have or look after a child under 3 years old bring them along to our Little Angels Club held in our Nursery every Wednesday from 9:30 - 10:30am, where they can enjoy exploring all areas of our nursery. Please see ask in Nursery for more details.

Reception Welcome Service

On Sunday - 1st October we will be having a special Church Service to officially welcome all our Reception children. Our Year 5 children are our "Gardeners" who look after a Reception child known as their "Seedling" so our "Gardeners" will also be attending the Service to help introduce their "Seedling". Letters will be sent from both classes nearer the time to explain more about the Service and their child's role in it. All our Reception and Year 5 parents are invited to come along to the service which starts at 10:30 am.

All children should be in school by 10:20am at the latest, wearing their school uniform please.

Special Lunch Day

Advance notice that on Thursday 5th October we will be having a special lunch day which all the children are invited to. The lunch that day will cost £1 (juniors - infants don't pay) and will consist of a party box - sandwich, vegetarian sausage roll, packet of crisps, cake or biscuit and a drink.

Harvest - ACE

Juniors (Years 3 - 6) - Our Harvest service will take place on Sunday 15th October at 10.30am in the school hall. It is the only church service of the year that we expect our junior children to attend. If your child can not attend the service please could you inform their class teacher in writing as soon as possible as we will soon begin rehearsals and allocating parts! All junior children need to be in school by 10:20am in their school uniform.

This Harvest we are supporting the charity ACE (Africa's Children in Education), our on-going project, raising funds to help a school in Tanzania. Please check out their web site for more details: acecharity.uk or the link on our school's blog.

We are supporting them in raising funds to build a well for the school, helping them become self sufficient with water.

Infants (Nursery, Reception, Years 1 & 2) - On Friday 13th October our infants will be having their Harvest Festival at 2:30pm - all infant parents are welcome to attend. Further details will be sent nearer the time.

Rebound Dance

The show will be on Tuesday 14th November 2017 at St Helens Theatre Royal. More details will be sent nearer the time.

Website

Please return all Acceptable Use Policy slips on Monday - we really need these back.

All junior children now know how to comment on blogs, create their own blogs and contribute to discussion pages. This year we are trying to encourage children, and parents, to contribute to our school website. If you have lost your username and / or password please let me know. Thanks for your support. Mrs Edwards.

Secondary & Reception Admissions - September 2018

The admission process for both High schools and Reception Class is now open. Parents / carers must complete the application form from the council in which they live regardless of which school they wish to apply to. We have sent booklets to our Knowsley residents, if you did not receive one please call in the school office. Alternatively, you can apply on-line at www.knowsley.gov.uk/schooladmissions.

If you live in any other borough, i.e. Halton, you will need to contact that relevant council direct.

This means:

- **Knowsley Residents** - If you live in the borough of Knowsley you must only complete a Knowsley application form. You can apply by either application booklet from the school office or apply direct online at www.knowsley.gov.uk/schooladmissions. Parents need to list the schools they wish to be considered for in order of preference on the application form. If you complete a paper application form please return the application form to the school office.
- **Halton & other Borough Residents** - If you live in Halton or any other Borough to Knowsley you must only complete an application form and return it to your home Borough Council, or go online and complete a form there. Parents need to list the schools they wish to be considered for in order of preference. If you wish to apply for your child to attend this school please name our school in your list of preferences.

Secondary Admission - The closing date for applications is **Tuesday 31st October 2017**.

Reception Admission - The closing date for applications is **Monday 15th January 2018**.

Dinner Money (£9.50 per week / £1.90 per day)

If you have lost your log in details please speak to Mrs Hooks in the school office. If you have any problems logging in please click on the 'help & support' section on the main page of the website. For those parents who wish to pay termly, lunches up to the October half term will cost £38.00 (20 days x £1.90). If you know that your child will be absent during this period you should deduct £1.90 for each day's absence.

Please remember if your child wishes to stay for school lunch they must stay for the week; they are unable to alternate between school dinners and packed lunches in the same week.

After School Clubs

Please do not include payments for any after school clubs in Parentpay

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Fit and Fun 8:15am - 8:45am Years 3 - 6 (spaces available)	Choir 3:20pm - 4:20pm Years 3-6 (spaces available)	Dance Club 3:20 - 4:30 Juniors (this club is FULL)	Jujitsu 3:20 - 4:20 Years 3-5 (this club is FULL)	
Football 3.20pm - 4.20pm Years 5 & 6 (this club is FULL)				

Next Week / Future Up and Coming Events

Please note other events may be going ahead in individual classes - your child's Class Teacher will inform you directly of these:

Week Beginning 23rd September - 1st October

- Saturday 23rd** - Family Fun Day - 11:00am - 3:00pm
- Monday 25th** - Sue & Ron from ACE will be visiting our school
- Tuesday 26th** - European Day of Languages
- Wednesday 27th** - Year 6 class worship
- Thursday 28th** - Everton Football Fun Festival 12:30 - 3:00pm at St Edmund Arrowsmith
- Friday 29th** - CLC in school all day
- Sunday 1st** - Reception Welcome Service in Church at 10:30am

Star Badge Awards and Reader / Writer of the week

Well done to all the children who received Star Badge Awards or Reader / Writer of the Week this week:

CLASS	STAR BADGE WINNERS	READER / WRITER OF THE WEEK
Year 6	Jack Seed Rowan Cook	Evie McLean
Year 5	Michael Almond Lois Smith	
Year 4	Louis Simcott Sophie Welsh	Isabelle Ward
Year 3	James Chua Bethany Evans	Evie Higginson
Year 2	Jess Burbury Joseph Talbot	Amelia Mansfield
Year 1	Holly Jenkins James McGinty	Jacob Millward
Reception	Thomas Vale-Kelly Harriet Gould	

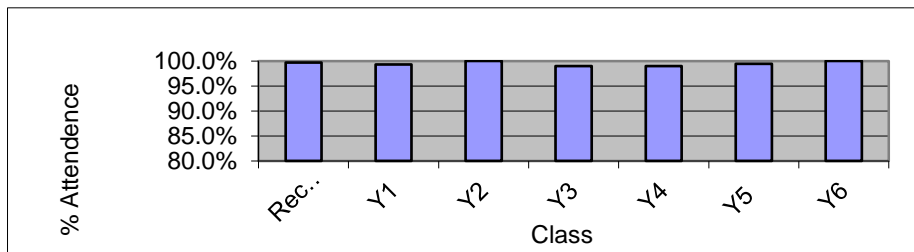
Lunchtime Awards:

This week's winners are:

- Reception** - Sophie Denson
- Year 1** - Jacob Millward
- Year 2** - Nylah Simcott
- Year 3** - Rosie Reynolds
- Year 4** - Leila Parry
- Year 5** - Robin Crone
- Year 6** - Evie McLean

Attendance

Every week we publish a chart of individual class attendance. The winners for week ending 22nd September - 1st place - Year 2 and Year 6 with 100%, 2nd place - Reception with 99.7%, 3rd place Year 5 with 99.4%. Well done everyone.



Please try to ensure your child is in school as much as is possible, unless of course they are ill. A reminder that if your child is going to be absent from school you must ring school at 8:30 on the first morning they are absent, and this must be followed up with a letter explaining the absence on their return to school.

Outside Clubs, Events or Leaflets

Runcorn Hockey Club is looking for male and female members to join a mixed club. Players of all abilities - beginners to former players - are invited to come along to have a go. They meet every Tuesday from 7-8:00pm at The Heath School, Clifton Road, Runcorn, WA7 4SY. For more information please ring Lisa on 07843 012550 or email RHCBBackToHockey@outlook.com

The school does not endorse any of the above events, clubs or companies we are merely passing on information.

Church News

Every year a number of adults from Widnes are confirmed. If you are interested and would like to know more please phone the Parish Office. 0151 423 4311.

Services here at the Mission will be at 10:30am unless otherwise stated below.

Families are always welcome to come to church in the school on the dates listed below. Please note there is a service of Morning Prayer every first Sunday of the Month

Services during September

24th September - Holy Communion and Baptism

Services during October

1st - Reception Welcome Service

8th - Cafe Style Worship and Harvest Lunch

15th - School Harvest Service

22nd - Holy Communion

29th - Team Service here at Cronton Mission

Rev Lyn and Lay Reader Lesley Wright are available each Monday afternoon between 1:00 - 4:00pm if you would like to meet with them.

Any enquiries about Baptisms or Pastoral Care please contact the East Widnes Team Administrator on 0151 423 4311

Best Wishes
Mrs S Thomson
 Headteacher



**Cronton CE Primary School
 After School Clubs Permission Slips.**

Child's Name _____ Class _____ (Years 3-6 only)

I give permission for my child to attend _____ Club.

My Child has the following medical conditions:

Signed _____ (Parent/Guardian)

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Parental Comment Slip

I wish to make the following comment(s)

Signed: (Optional) _____ Date _____