



Fortnightly Class 5 Newsletter



Friday 17/10/2025

Your child's learning is very much a partnership between home and school so if you have any concerns at all please telephone the school office, come and see us or contact via email.

Staff Contact Details



Mr Pratley

s.pratley@leacofe.lancs.sch.uk

School Office Tel: 01772 729880

Key Dates



Thursday 23rd October – Harvest Day Children to dress in red, green, yellow, black, white or blue. Please donate £2
Friday 24th October – Break up for half term at 3:15pm.

Tuesday 4th November – Autumn 2 Term begins
6th -11th November - Book fair after school. All parents welcome.
Monday 10th November – Odd Socks Day
Tuesday 11th November – Year 6 Remembrance Service
Tuesday 18th – Parents' Evening 3:30-6pm
Wednesday 19th – Parents' Evening 3:30pm – 5:00pm and 6:00– 7:00pm

Certificate Winners

Last Week

Christian Value – Rosalie for making good choices
Curriculum Award – Bobby for working hard and flourishing.
Star Writer – Rhema for her Pilgrimage writing.



This Week

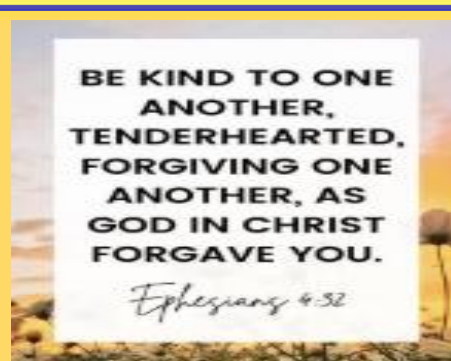
Christian Value – Kobi for being courageous and visiting PNE
Curriculum Award – Sam for great effort in sketching
Star Writer – Harrison for his diary entry about Hajj.

Notices

Next Thursday 23rd October is our Harvest Day. We are asking children to dress up in the colours of the South African flag as we think about those who are living in poverty, especially people in Bloemfontein in South Africa. In Class 5 we will be making some art out of patterned scrap paper or card so do please send this in if you have some. Thank you.

Have you visited the school website?

You will find a wealth of information there, including class targets and much more detail surrounding the curriculum for your child.



Class Open Door

Please feel free to visit me in Year 6 and ask any questions you may have.
Mr Pratley



Monday 3:20pm – 3:40pm

Alternatively, you can email me using the contact details at the top of the page.

Class News

I am writing this having just returned from a fantastic visit and tour of PNE Deepdale Stadium. The children were great ambassadors for the school, listened carefully and were able to answer many of the questions about what they had learnt so far in our PNE Heritage Project. The highlight for most was seeing and sitting inside the PNE dressing room, and noticing how much nicer it was than the away team one! A massive thanks to Mrs Edwards who collected the Scout minibus in her own time to provide free transport.

In other news, we have been focussing our efforts in Maths on learning how to divide by a two-digit number by using the 'chunking' method. This is not straight forward but the children have shown great resilience and have managed to apply this skill to solve multi-step word problems. With the Remembrance Service fast approaching, we have begun to immerse ourselves in Michael Morpurgo's 'War Horse' – a story that begins in 1914.

In Science, we have applied our understanding of inheritance and selective breeding to create some very interesting new cross-breeds of dogs. My favourite was a WestPooTerrier!

Having researched Christian places of pilgrimage in RE, we have looked into the significance of the pilgrimage Muslims make to Mecca. It all sounds very tiring with a lot of walking, but we could see how it would be a very meaningful journey for those who take part.

Not long to go now until the children can have a well-earned rest!

Mr Pratley