



**Our Christian value this week is-**

Peace



**This Week**

Welcome back to the second half term of the school year! This is definitely one of our most event filled times in school and the children have already been very busy settling back into class and getting started with our new units of work. The latest Curriculum Overviews, detailing the work we will cover, will be available on the website by the end of next week. We have started our new class novel, The BFG in English and we will use the book to explore sculpture in our Art this half term too. Our Science focuses on States of Matter, and this week we have been making human particles to represent solids, liquids and gases! Our Maths has been getting trickier, with the Year 3 children adding large numbers across a 10 and the Year 4 children exploring efficient strategies for subtraction.

**Contact**

Class 3 has an Open Door every Tuesday at 3.20pm until 3:40pm – please come along and ask any questions you may have.

If there is an issue with your child, please contact me in the first instance; either catch me on the Lea Road gate in a morning or e-mail me at [r.bolton@leacofe.lancs.sch.uk](mailto:r.bolton@leacofe.lancs.sch.uk)

**Celebration**

**Christian Value** – Joshua for a beautiful piece of Art depicting God as our shepherd



**Class Superstar** – Louie for returning to school with a good attitude to learning – keep it up Louie!

**Writer of the Week-** Sharlyne for trying really hard in her English this week



**Dates and Information for the upcoming half term**

We have an extremely busy half term leading up to Christmas. Here are some key dates and times for your diaries. Reminders will be sent out in due course if appropriate.

- **Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> November until Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> November** – **The Book Fair** will be held in school between **3:15pm and 3:45pm** – Please come along to browse and buy some wonderful books – suitable for all ages, and great Christmas presents – a percentage of all sales will be donated to school so that we can purchase more great reading material for our children!
- **Friday 11<sup>th</sup> November @ 9:15am** – Year 6 leading **Remembrance Service** - all welcome
- **Friday 25<sup>th</sup> November** – **Bend the Rules Day** – details to follow on this fun event!
- **Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> November** – **Parents' Evening** between 3:30pm and 5:30pm
- **Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> November** – **Parents' Evening** between 3:30pm and 5:30pm and 6:00pm and 7:00pm  
(NB - booking sheets will be available in the Entrance Hall from 17<sup>th</sup> November)
- **28<sup>th</sup> and 29<sup>th</sup> November** - **Life Bus** will visit school as part of our Personal, Health, Social Education programme
- **Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> December** – **Non-Uniform Day** in exchange for Tombola Prizes eg unused toiletries, chocolate, sweets, wine, small gift style items
- **Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> December** – **Christmas Fayre** – 3:30pm – 5:30pm – tombola, raffle, craft stall, cake stall, café etc.

If you have any items you wish to sell, or have a small business which you would like to promote, tables are available to rent for the Christmas Fayre at a cost of £10.

Please contact the School Office or Louise (chair of PTA) [daz.louise@btinternet.com](mailto:daz.louise@btinternet.com) if you are interested.