

NEWSLETTER

25/06/21

Congratulations to our Learners of the Week for.....

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| Year R | Well done to Deacon for your amazing effort all week and for being a great role model to your friends | Well done to Hunter for your super shape work – you used fabulous mathematical vocabulary when describing 2D shapes! |
| Year 1 | Well done to ALL OF YEAR 1 for being fantastic on Thursday when they helped Miss. Watson out with finding a new Year 1 teacher for September – they were fantastic! | |
| Year 2 | Well done to Theo K for your determination in Maths! | Well done to Lilly-May for being such a positive role model with her great attitude to learning! |
| Year 3 | Well done to Ruby for great determination with your maths work and improved perseverance! | Well done to Riley for your wonderful work and interest in our Ancient Greek topic, you are learning new facts every day! |
| Year 4 | Well done to Dylan for writing a great next chapter to our class book that included lots of detail! | Well done to Marian for always putting a smile on our faces and having a great sense of humour! |
| Year 5 | Well done to Ellie for your improved attitude to learning! | Well done to Sarah for your fabulous dramatic performances and great writing! |
| Year 6 | Well done to Alishba for being a role model in class and at play time. She puts 100% effort into all lessons, is a great friend and always wants to help others! | Well done to Bailey for working hard in all lessons this week but especially in writing. Her spelling has improved so much and that has been down to her efforts both in and out of school. |

GREAT JOB - YOU have earned 10 dojos!

The school office is open from 8.30am.

Please leave a message on the answer phone before 8.30am.

A member of staff will phone you back when necessary.



New YI teacher

Yesterday we appointed a teacher to cover Miss. Milner's maternity leave next academic year.

Miss. Amy Dexter will be joining us. Miss. Dexter is currently teaching a Year 1 class in a Blackburn school. In September Miss. Dexter will be teaching the current Reception children when they will be Year 1. Miss. Dexter will be in school next Wednesday for Transition Afternoon 3 to meet children, parents and staff.

Transition Afternoon 2

It was great to have the new Reception children in school this Wednesday afternoon – they met Miss. Jackson, Miss. Deen and Miss. Brown outside in the EYFS Outdoor Area and spent time getting to know each other and playing. Our plan for Transition Afternoon 3 is that all children will be in their new classroom for next year. We have carefully planned this to make sure that everyone will stay safe when they move to their new classroom.

Sports Day information for parents

In line with DfE and Lancashire County Council we will be following the advice below about Sports Days:

- unfortunately parents will be unable to attend
- each class will have their own Sports Day with their bubble of children and staff
- each class will be organised in five teams – one team representing each colour/continent of the five Olympic rings
- each team will earn points for their colour/continent

we will take photos of each class' Sports Day – these will be published on each class blog to share with parents

**ALL CHILDREN TO WEAR THEIR P.E. KIT TO SCHOOL ON FRIDAY;
FORECAST LOOKING GOOD SO WATER BOTTLE, HAT & SUN CREAM
WILL BE NEEDED!**



Colne Youth Action Group

On Tuesday afternoon Year 6 met Sarah Cockburn-Price (Director of CYAG - Colne Youth Action Group). She explained all about CYAG and the activities that are currently available.

CYAG is a charity that is providing free, or heavily subsidised activities for the young people living in Colne, Trawden, Laneshaw Bridge and Foulridge or going to school there. You can follow us on Facebook, Instagram and Twitter under the handle @ColneYAG. The core age group for CYAG members is 10-16, though some activities, such as Boxing, are for the over 12s. Joining CYAG costs an amazing £3 per year. You join by filling in a form on our website: www.cyag.org/join or alternatively, the CYAG team brings paper copies to all events. All Year 6 children took a CYAG form home on Tuesday afternoon.

Already, since CYAG began its activities in April, the Neighbourhood Police team has reported a significant drop off in reported anti-social behaviour.

Here is the current CYAG timetable, though do follow the CYAG website or social media, as new activities are being added all the time:

- From Tuesday, 15th June at 5 p.m. at Kay's Boxing Academy, Greenfield Road, CYAG is offering a 10 week boxing taster course for 25 young people over 12 years of age
- From Tuesday 15th June, between 5.30-6.30 p.m., CYAG is offering a three week pizza making course for 12 young people from the Trawden Community Centre Car Park. Again, the young people just have to be CYAG members and should confirm their attendance in advance. On 6th July, this activity will be moved to Laneshaw Bridge Primary School car park
- On Wednesdays at 5 p.m. at the Open Gate Community Garden CYAG is running hour long Horticulture sessions during the growing season. There is currently just one space left for this activity which is teaching young people the skills and knowledge required to grow their own fruit and veg
- On Wednesdays Football is on the MUGA at King George V Playing Fields on Skipton Road. This session is run by Burnley FC in the Community - there is no need to register, or be a member of CYAG
- Friday Night Football at Fisher More is a popular activity, the session runs from 5.45 p.m. to 6.45 p.m. To join this session, you must be a CYAG member
- On Saturdays at noon, CYAG has a few weeks left of its Introduction to Martial Arts Course. There are still spaces available to CYAG members. There are three black belt coaches (Senseis) offering an introduction to Karate, Judo and Ju Jitsu. All equipment is provided by CYAG. The Dojo is at LBS, in Cottontree
- On Saturdays from 1 p.m. at the Pendle Leisure Centre Sports Hall in Colne, CYAG is offering hour long Boot Camp sessions, again with a very experienced instructor. All equipment is provided by Pendle Leisure Trust and CYAG – all the young people need to do is register for the session, be CYAG members and turn up dressed for gym
- We have just finished our eight week Biking session at Park High and are considering where to take a cycling activity next

Do not use a rapid lateral flow test when you have coronavirus

symptoms. Get a PCR test and self-isolate.

Parents can now access lateral flow tests for covid-19 by ordering on the website:

<https://www.gov.uk/order-coronavirus-rapid-lateral-flow-tests>

Order by phone. Call 119. Lines are open 7am to 11pm and calls are free.

You can also:

- [find a pharmacy where you can collect tests](#)
- [find a local site to get tested at](#)
- [find a local site where you can collect tests](#)
- get tests from your employer (if you cannot work from home)

When your child has a positive lateral flow test result, it is essential that you book a PCR test for your child as soon as possible to confirm that the result is positive. Then inform school so we can decide if anyone needs to self-isolate.

When you or your child has symptoms, you and everyone you live with must immediately [self-isolate](#). Do not leave home until you get your test results, except to post a test kit or for a PCR test appointment.

Remember to tell the school office when your child tests positive OR when your family has to self-isolate because of contact with someone who has tested positive.

During term time you can either phone school (during the school day) OR email covid@weststreet.lancs.sch.uk (outside school hours) to let us know. It is essential that all absences and covid test results are reported to the school, not your child's teacher.

THANKS

Hot school meal plan for next week

Children will still have packed lunches on the days when their year group is **not** having hot school meals – these will either be provided at school or brought in from home.

| Week starting Mon 28 th June | Monday | Tuesday | | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday |
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| Year group bubbles | Year 1 | Reception | | Year 1 | ALL YEAR GROUPS | ALL YEAR GROUPS |
| | | Year 2 | | | | |
| | Year 3 | Year 4 | | Year 3 | | |
| | Year 5 | Year 6 | | Year 5 | | |
| Meal options | Brunch OR Tomato & marscapone pasta | Cheese whirl OR Jacket potatoes with filling | | Curry OR Fish fingers | Pizza OR Fishcake | Picnic lunch as today is Sports Day! |



What's happening in June & July?

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| Transition Afternoon 3 | Wednesday 30th June |
| Year 3 visit to Gazegill Farm | Thursday 1st July |
| Sports Day 1 | Friday 2nd July |
| Year 6 visit Whitehough | Monday 5th July |
| Miss. Deen & Miss. Jackson 1:1 meetings with new Reception parents | Wednesday 7th & Thursday 8th July |
| Sports Day 2 | Friday 9th July |
| Children's end of year reports sent home | Friday 9th July |
| Year 6 Leavers' performance | Friday 16th July |
| Last day of this academic year | Friday 16th July Finish at 1.30pm |



