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Dear Parents/Carers

## Update since last newsletter:

- It was great to have 8 past pupils back with us last week for their Work Experience. The Y10s worked their socks off and it was a pleasure to have them in school. They loved being back and seeing everyone. Some of them are now considering a career working with children!
- Y6 had a fabulous day at All Hallows last Friday as part of their final transition to High School. They are all so ready for their next stage in learning! Sports Day for Y6 on Monday was a joy with St Bede crowned as winners overall.
- It was lovely to meet our new Reception parents last Thursday at the Induction Meeting. We do hope you found the meeting beneficial and informative. New parents have now been added to the e-mailing list so you should receive our weekly newsletters every Thursday. Please take the time to read the newsletter each week as it will keep you up to date with the latest information and events taking place in school!
   Don't forget to complete and return the school forms that were handed out on the evening by Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> July. Thank you.
- Year 5 have now completed their playground cycling training! As a safety reminder, cycle helmets must be worn if your child cycles to school.
- Thank you to everyone who came along to the Open Morning on Tuesday it was super to have so many
  parents and Grandparents taking the opportunity to see the school in action. The choir did a brilliant job
  singing for everyone!
- Little Owls had their 3<sup>rd</sup> session on Wednesday with a surprise visit from Fun Bear. Many thanks to Mr and Mrs Sandwell from The Fun Experts for making sure that Fun Bear could be here!
- Thank you to Fr Michael for saying Mass for Key Stage 2 on St Paul and St Peter Feast Day yesterday.

## **PTFA News:**

POP UP CIRCUS! FRIDAY 8<sup>TH</sup> JULY. Tickets are £10.00 per person. Hurry and get your tickets before they all go! The show is open to anyone who would like to come along. Slips available from the office to book your tickets

Refreshments will be available along with a Tombola Stall and Raffle.

- Any donations of bottles and chocolate for the tombola would be greatly appreciated.
- We need a couple of volunteers for the stalls (particularly for the 5pm performance), please let the school
  office know if you can help out. Thank you!

Coming Up:

Y5 Taster Day at All Hallows (letter issued 17<sup>th</sup> June). Children to arrive at 8.50am for a 9am Friday 1<sup>st</sup> July start and collected at 2.30pm. Children are to bring their trainers as there will be a PE session. Monday 4<sup>th</sup> July Y6 Advanced Cycling Course on Monday, Wednesday and Thursday (change of day from Tuesday to Thursday). Your child is to bring their bike and cycle helmet to school. If your child wishes to leave their bicycle in school, please ensure they have a lock (letter issued Monday 27<sup>th</sup> June). Mondav 4th July Last Netball Club 3.15 - 4.15pm. Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> July Y2 visit to Skipton Castle. Full school uniform is to be worn with a waterproof coat. Packed lunches will be provided by the school kitchen for all of the pupils. The children will need to bring their water bottles in a small back pack. If the weather is due to be sunny, please apply a high factor sun cream to your child before they arrive at school and bring a sun hat. Tuesday 5th July Lancashire Games Finals for our Netball Team A at Stanley Park, Blackpool 9.30 am - 3.00 pm. Children who are in the team need to be dropped off at Penwortham Priory Academy at 8.20am as the coach will leave at 8.30am (letter issued to the team Monday 27<sup>th</sup> June). Good Luck Team Oswald! Mrs Cookson and Mrs Jones are accompanying the team. Tuesday 5th July Last Football Club 3.15 – 4.15pm. Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> July Moving up Morning Part 1. All the children will spend some time in their new classroom with their new staff members. Wednesday 6th July Little Owls Session 4 9.15am – 11.15am. Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> July Share the Learning session 2.30- 3pm. A chance for the children to share their learning with their parents. Children will be showing you their books and saying what they are proud of in their learning this year and how much they have improved! Friday 8<sup>th</sup> July Pop Up Circus organised by the PTFA (see above). Please support this event. Huge thanks to Recycling Lives for sponsoring the event. Every penny raised is going towards the new firepit area as part of our Forest School provision. Friday 8<sup>th</sup> July End of Year Reports to go out today for every pupil. Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> July Moving up Morning Part 2. Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> July Little Owls Session Final Session 9.15am – 11.15am. Thursday 14th July Y3 will be completing their Design and Technology project and would like to invite Y3 parents to join them at 2pm for a healthy Afternoon Tea and some active PE. Please complete the slip below if you can come along. Monday 18<sup>th</sup> July Y6 will be performing their Dress Rehearsal of Joseph and his Technicolour Dreamcoat for the school at 1.30pm. Y5 pupils have been invited to be the Joseph choir for the production. Y3 Athletics Club - last one! Monday 18<sup>th</sup> July Monday 18<sup>th</sup> July PTFA Cake Sale on the playground 3.15pm. Tuesday 19th July Y6 production of Joseph performed for parents at 10am 2pm or 6.30pm. Y5 will be the Joseph Choir at all the performances. A letter for tickets for Y5 and Y6 parents will be issued on Monday 4<sup>th</sup> July along with costume requirements. Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> July Reception visit to the Library and picnic in the park (letter to be issued next week). Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> July PTFA Cake Sale on the Playground 3.15pm.

Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> July PTFA Cake Sale on the Playground 3.15pm. Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> July Y6 Leavers Mass 6pm followed by Fish and Chip Supper and party on the field. Details were in the letter sent to Y6 on Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> May). Don't forget orders have to be in by Friday 1st July to secure your fish and chips! Y6 Leavers Assembly 9.15am in the school hall. Y6 Parents most welcome. Following the Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> July Assembly, Y6 will be spending the rest of the day on retreat to Liverpool Cathedral and then onto Crosby Beach for picnic lunch and games on the beach. Reception Stay and Play Session 2-3pm. This session will include singing round the campfire Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> July and toasting marshmallows! (Details and slips next week). Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> July School closes for Summer 1.30 pm. And finally...

Thank you for the feedback we have had regarding the Open Morning. It was a pleasure to have so many of you attending. Watch out for the next one in October!

As always, if you have any queries or concerns, please do get in touch asap and we will do our best to help.

Yours sincerely

B Wood Headteacher

## YEAR 3 DESIGN & TECHNOLOGY PROJECT – THURSDAY 14th JULY 2022 AT 2.00PM

I / We would like to attend Y3 DT Project Afternoon.

Name of Child:	

Number of Adults Attending: .....

Ρ	lease specify	/ any	dietary	requirements	(for	healthy	Afternoon	Теа	):

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