



Newsletter 27th January 2023

PUPILS OF THE WEEK



Reception	Rory Harris
Year 1	Leon Leng
Year 2	Eva Wozencroft
Year 3	Poppy Park
Year 4	Nala Coar
Year 5	Edward Marsden
Year 6	Emily Hudson
Kindness Award	Clara Benfield Georgia Phillips

Valentines Disco for

KS2

Thursday 9th February

6.15pm-7.45pm

£2.50 per ticket

Please send the ticket money into school in a sealed envelope with your child's name on.

The Curriculum Overviews for each class for the first half of the spring term are now available on the school website. This document gives you an overview of what your child will be learning this half term.

<https://www.wwb.lancs.sch.uk/>

FRIENDLY REMINDERS



- We are a NUT FREE SCHOOL – please don't send food items into school (snacks or packed lunches) that contain nuts.
- Please ensure that your child wears/brings a waterproof/warm coat to school every day. With the weather being quite unpredictable, we need the children to have their coats ready as we do try and get them outside come rain or shine.
- Year 2 are now doing Forest School sessions on a Thursday afternoon.
- Year 3 and 4 need to enter school through the front, main doors in the morning.
- Friday 3rd February – Cake Sale in school – £1 for 3 cakes – donations appreciated

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Extra-Curricular Clubs

Monday	Lunchtime – Year 6 Art Club with Miss Harper Lunchtime – French Club – Le Club Francais
Tuesday	Multi-Skills with Phil
Wednesday	Choir
Thursday	Musical Theatre 3.20pm-4.20pm Netball Y5 & Y6 – 3.20pm – 4.20pm
Friday	

Millionaire Readers

WOW and well done to these four pupils from Year 4 and Year 6 who are our first Millionaire Readers of this academic year.

These boys have all read over a million words since September and have been recognised for this with their Millionaire certificates.

It's great to see their passion for reading!

I wonder who will be next?



Safeguarding

The Designated Safeguarding Leads for School are:

Mrs White

Mrs Madeley

Mr Stell

Please do not hesitate to contact us if you have any concerns at all about children's welfare.



Just a reminder that our amazing sports coaches will be running a holiday club during the February half term.

Monday 13th to Thursday 16th of February

8.30am to 4.30pm.

£20 per day (sibling discounts available) which is payable in full to secure your child's place.

There are only 30 places per day available so please book early to avoid disappointment.

To book your child's place please text Marie on 07876260671 with your child's name, age, any medical conditions or allergies and the days you'd like to attend.

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Year 2 FOREST SCHOOL

Year 2 had another brilliant Forest School session on Thursday. This week they made bird feeders and used our new metal cups to enjoy some hot chocolate outside!



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Reception Walk and Talk

Reception and Pre-School have been on their 'Walk and Talk' to St Helens church this week. They looked at the font ready for their mock baptism today, as well as looking at the gravestones, the lectern and the gargoyles. They even listened to the bells and looked at the stocks! What a fabulous afternoon 🏰🔔🌿🍀



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Worship with Reverend Wood

We always enjoy our Friday worship with Reverend Wood!

This week we reflected on when Jesus fasted in the wilderness for 40 days. Learning about Jesus's fast can teach us a lot about him, about the importance of time alone with God, and about what we can learn when we step away from physical comfort and embrace difficulty for a period of time.



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Year 4 – Egyptian Hieroglyphic Writing

Year 4 have been busy producing some hieroglyphic writing as part of their Ancient Egyptian topic. Well done Year 4 - these are fantastic and are going to look great on display!



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Learning about Baptism in RECEPTION

On Friday morning, in Reception, Father Christopher came to perform a 'baptism' on baby Alison. We made our classroom into a church. It is his job to welcome babies into God's family and tell everyone their name.



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Amazing Artists in Year 1

What beautiful outcomes from our Year 1 artists! They have been learning all about Monet 🌻🌸



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Old and New Toys

This week, Reception had an exciting visit from Theo's granma (sic) who came from Blackburn Museum to talk to them about being a museum curator as part of their 'people who help us' topic.

They looked at old wooden toys, new plastic versions of the same thing and then created their own cup and ball toy! Their challenge was to beat Jane Austen's score of 30 catches in a row! I wonder if any made it...



CONTACT US



Please always request to speak to your child's class teacher as first point of contact if you have a query or concern. If it cannot be resolved with the teacher, a member of the Senior Leadership Team will aim to make themselves available to you as soon as possible.

School contact details: 01200 422915 or bursar@wwb.lancs.sch.uk

Visit us on the web at [Home | Waddington and West Bradford C.E. Primary School \(www.wwb.lancs.sch.uk\)](#)

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If your child is going home to someone else's house for tea, please can you ensure that you have contacted school to tell us this. Please either ring or email the school office. Please don't email the teachers with this information on the day as they are usually teaching and don't see all emails in time.

From a safeguarding perspective, we must know who children are going home with if it isn't the usual family members picking up.

Thank you for helping us with this.

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Attendance

Week commencing 23rd January 2023

We are aiming for every child/class to have at least 96% attendance

Class	Attendance Percentage
Reception	96.8%
Year 1	83.8%
Year 2	92.3%
Year 3	81.2%
Year 4	97.7%
Year 5	92.0%
Year 6	97.0%

Well done Reception and Years 4 and 6!

Rainbow (House) Team Points

The Rainbow team that has the most points at the end of the half term gets to come in non-uniform the first Friday back after half term.

Week	Winners
W/C 9.1.23	Orange
W/C 16.1.23	Yellow
W/C 23.1.23	Violet

Online Safety

At National Online Safety, we believe in empowering parents, carers and trusted adults with the information to hold an informed conversation about online safety with their children, should they feel it is needed. This guide focuses on one of many issues which we believe trusted adults should be aware of. Please visit www.nationalonlinesafety.com for further guides, hints and tips for adults.

12 Top Tips for BUILDING CYBER RESILIENCE AT HOME

As a society, we're increasingly using technology and tech services in the home. Digital assistants which can adjust the heating or turn lights on and off; streaming services for shows and movies on demand; games consoles; smart speakers; phones; laptops ... the list goes on. As we introduce each new gizmo to our homes, however, we increase the level of threat from cyber criminals. It's essential, therefore, that we learn to become more cyber resilient in relation to the devices and digital services that the people in our household use.

WHAT IS 'CYBER RESILIENCE?'

Cyber resilience focuses on three key areas: reducing the likelihood of a cyber attack gaining access to our accounts, devices or data; reducing the potential impact of a cyber incident; and making the recovery from a cyber attack easier, should we ever fall victim to one.

1. PASSWORDS: LONGER AND LESS PREDICTABLE

The longer, less common and predictable a password is, the more difficult it becomes for cyber criminals to crack. The National Cyber Security Centre's 'three random words' guidelines are ideal for creating a long password which is easy to remember but hard to guess.

2. AVOID RE-USING PASSWORDS

When you use the same password across different logins, your cyber resilience is only as strong as the security of the weakest site or service you've signed up for. If cyber criminals gain access your username and password for one site or service, they'll definitely try them on others.

3. USE A PASSWORD MANAGER

A good way to juggle different passwords for every site or service you use is to have a password manager. This software stores all your passwords for you, so you simply need to remember the master password. LastPass, Dashlane, 1Password and Keeper are all excellent password managers.

4. BACK UP YOUR DATA

Keep a copy of your data using OneDrive, Google Drive or another reputable cloud-based storage solution. If it's extremely important or sensitive information, you could even decide to keep more than one back-up version – by saving it to a removable USB drive or similar device, for example.

5. ENABLE MULTI-FACTOR AUTHENTICATION (MFA)

Multi-factor authentication is where you need access to your phone (to receive a code, for example) or another source to confirm your identity. This makes it far more difficult for cyber criminals to gain entry to your accounts and your data, even if they do manage to get your username and password.

6. CHOOSE RECOVERY QUESTIONS WISELY

Some services let you set 'recovery questions' – such as your birthplace or a pet's name – in case you forget your password. Take care not to use information you might have mentioned (or are likely to in future) on social media. More unpredictable answers make cyber criminals' task far harder.

7. SET UP SECONDARY ACCOUNTS

Some services provide the facility to add secondary accounts, phone numbers and so on to help with potentially recovering your account. Make sure you set these up; they will be vital if you're having trouble logging in or if you're trying to take back control of your account after a cyber attack.

12. STAY SCEPTICAL

Cyber criminals commonly use various methods, including emails, text messages and social media posts. Be cautious of any messages or posts that are out of the ordinary, offer something too good to be true or emphasise urgency – even if they appear to come from someone you know.

11. KEEP HOME DEVICES UPDATED

Download official software updates for your household's mobile phones, laptops, consoles and other internet-enabled devices regularly. Security improvements and fixes are a key feature of these updates – so by ensuring each device is running the latest version, you're making them more secure.

10. CHANGE DEFAULT IOT PASSWORDS

Devices from the 'Internet of Things' (IoT), such as 'smart' home appliances, are often supplied with default passwords. This makes them quicker to set up, but also less secure – criminals can identify these standard passwords more easily, so change them on your IoT devices as soon as possible.

9. CHECK FOR BREACHES

You can check if your personal information has been involved in any known data breaches by entering your email address at www.haveibeenpwned.com (yes, that spelling is correct). It's useful if you're worried about a possible attack – or simply as motivation to review your account security.

8. KEEP HAVING FUN WITH TECH

Consider our tips in relation to the gadgets and online services your household uses. Protect yourself and your family, and don't let the bad guys win; devices are not only integral to modern life but also a lot of fun – so as long as you keep safety and security in mind, don't stop enjoying your tech.

Meet Our Expert

Gary Henderson is the Director of IT at a large boarding school in the UK, having previously taught in schools and colleges in Britain and the Middle East. With a particular interest in digital citizenship and cyber security, he believes it is essential that adults and children alike become more aware of the risks associated with technology, as well as the many benefits.



Source: www.ncsc.gov.uk/collection/top-tips-for-staying-secure-online/three-random-word | <https://haveibeenpwned.com>





FEBRUARY HALF TERM

Monday
Teen full day course (Age 10+)

Tuesday
10.00-12.00 Valentines cupcakes (Family event)
1.00 Outside event at Edisford School, Clitheroe

Wednesday
10.00-11.30 Mini Flavours (Preschool)
1.00-3.00 SEN friendly cupcake making (All welcome)

Thursday
10.00-12.00 Valentines cupcakes (Family event)
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Friday
9.30-12.30 Fun in the kitchen (Age 8 - 12)
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1.00-3.00 Afternoon baking (Age 8-12)

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