



Euxton Church of England Primary School



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Friday 8th November 2024

Dear Parents,

Euxton Superstars!

Congratulations to this week's class Superstars:

Reception: **Emelia**

Year 1: **Beatrice**

Year 2: **Amelia**

Year 3: **Daniel**

Year 4: **Iona**

Year 5: **Charlie**

Year 6: **Ezra**

Well done to you all!

PTFA News

Thank you to everyone who attended our PTFA AGM meeting on Monday evening. We are very pleased to announce that Emma Ratcliffe (Dennis in Y2's mum) will be our new PTFA Chair, working alongside Helen Shaw (PTFA treasurer) and Emma Garbutt (PTFA secretary) and the rest of our wonderful team. We really do have a fantastic team and anyone is welcome to join in or help at any time. The more the merrier!

PTFA Bag2School

Thank you for all your filled bags of clothes for the collection and for supporting our PTFA! We will publish the total raised once we are notified.

PTFA Events

The children had a great time breaking the rules today – thank you for all your support! A total of **£440.00** was raised on the day which is fantastic and such a fun day in school.



Next PTFA event will be the school Christmas Fair on **Saturday 30th November 11am-1pm**. There will be a non-uniform day on **Friday 29th November** for donations of bottles and chocolate.



Anti-bullying Week

Odd Socks Day is part of Anti-Bullying Week! To celebrate that we are all unique, we ask that children wear odd socks to school on **Tuesday 12th November**. Last year over 13,000 schools took part in Odd Socks Day and we were one of them 😊. This day sends an important message to pupils that they should be allowed to be themselves, free

from bullying and helps us celebrate Anti-Bullying Week in a fun and positive way. We would like children to come to school on **Tuesday 12th November** wearing a pair of odd socks to celebrate diversity. All we ask is for a small donation on the day, if possible, to help the charity Anti-Bullying Alliance carry on their important work. Please see the attached Chorley & South Ribble Primary Care Team Newsletter for Autumn 2024 with more information about bullying and useful websites to visit.



Year 2 and 5 Wonder Dome

Next Tuesday **12th November**, Y2 and Y5 will enjoy a visit from the Wonder Dome. They will explore the universe and galaxy and where we fit into it, along with more detail on our solar system, with focus on the motion of the different bodies, including the Earth and Moon system and moon phases. A very exciting experience for all! **(Please note sporty day will be next Friday**

for all children due to the Wonder Dome being in the school hall. School uniform on Tuesday and sporty clothes on Friday).

Nasal Flu Spray

The school health team are in school on Tuesday 12th November to administer the nasal flu spray to the children whose parents have given permission.



School Council Elections in Parliament Week – 18th November

In a couple of weeks, it will be Parliament Week. As part of our learning about the British Value of Democracy, we will hold elections for our new School Council and I hope that many children will aspire to run. The guidelines are; all children except current school councillors from Year 1-Year 5 may run for school council, this means that current school

councillors will not be able to run for election again this year, but can try again next. However, all children in Year 6, including current school councillors, may run for election. Those children who wish to run should give their name to their teacher on **Monday 18th November**, so that ballot papers can be prepared. They will then give a speech to their class on **Friday 22nd November** about why they would like to be considered as a class representative. Voting will take place on the Friday morning and the children with the most votes will be presented with their badges in worship the following week. Please note there will be no celebration worship on **Friday 22nd November** as the hall will be set up as a polling station.

Whole School Panto

We are all going to Blackburn for our annual panto trip on 10th December – oh yes we are! If you still need to pay for this via ParentPay please do so as soon as possible. Thank you!

Online Safety

Attached to today's newsletter is November's Online Safety Newsletter which includes guidance for parents on WhatsApp.

Admissions – Primary and Secondary Places

You can now apply via www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools for school places for next September. Supplementary Faith forms are available in the school office for our school. The closing date for primary school applications is **Primary (Reception in Sept 2025) – Wednesday 15 January 2025.**

Euxton Library

A message from Kath at Euxton library: Any child that comes to Euxton Library between now and the end of November and joins the library will be entered into a draw to win a £10 Book Token. Please also let Kath know that your child attend's Euxton CE Primary School. Good Luck!

Japanese Ju-Jitsu

This club takes place in the Community Centre every Friday for children ages 5-16+ please see attached flyer for more information.

Good Luck to Stanley

On Saturday Stanley from Y6 is taking part in Jingle All the Way Santa walk in aid of Derian House. 1,500 people dressed as Santa walk from Chorley town centre to Rivington Pike and back (approx 15 miles). The link is below if anyone would like to sponsor him. Thank you for supporting and good luck Stanley!

<https://www.facebook.com/share/154cd7wWfa/>

https://www.justgiving.com/page/jingleallthewayviiiiderianhouse?fbclid=IwY2xjawGXbXdleHRuA2F1bQlXMQABHeux2V3GO5Tm4xs0ndsniM-AJaxfA-18-hchXXS_XerrD9RaCBC73eiBqw_aem_MfRUkwaMIXX-91y_cv2-Q

Children in Need



Next **Friday 15th November**, we will support Children in Need by having a sporty day inspired by the Gladiators! Children to come to school in sporty clothes on Friday to take part in an obstacle course using the large apparatus in the school hall. (Please note children to wear **school uniform on Tuesday and sporty clothes on Friday**). We will also watch the Children in Need live stream for schools in the morning after assembly. A **£1** donation is suggested and we will send all donations to this special charity.

Have a lovely weekend.

Best wishes,

Mrs Mairi Ash
Headteacher

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Nihonzaru (5-10yrs) 17:10 to 17:55

Tora (11-15yrs) 18:00 to 18:45

Ryuu (16 yrs +) 18:50 to 19:50

New Students always welcome

Classes held at:

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PR7 6JL

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