



'Let knowledge be  
grounded in faith'  
18<sup>th</sup> January 2019

# Fabulous Freckleton's NEWS OF THE WEEK



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## School Attendance

The **minimum attendance** level for all primary aged children nationally, is **96%**.

Good attendance is very important so that children have as much opportunity as possible to develop academically and socially. To keep parents informed about their child's attendance, letters & attendance sheets were sent home this week about attendance during the Autumn Term:

**Green** letter = 96%+ attendance

**Yellow** Letter = 92-95% attendance

**Red** Letter = <92% attendance

**Congratulations to every child who got a GREEN letter - this is FANTASTIC!**

**Thank you** to parents & carers for your co-operation in this important matter.

If you would like to discuss your child's attendance or require help or advice on parenting issues, please contact Mrs Armitage, our Family Learning Mentor, at school.

On Wednesday we were able to reward 88 children for their **exceptional** attendance (99%+) with Bronze, Silver & Gold Attendance stickers!



Congratulations to the 20 children who received their BRONZE award stickers, these children have only missed two sessions of school in the Autumn Term.



Congratulations to the 17 children who received their SILVER award stickers, these children have only missed one session of school in the Autumn Term.



Congratulations to the 51 children who received their GOLD award stickers for 100% Attendance in the Autumn Term.

WORLD  
BOOK  
DAY

### Advance Notice: WORLD BOOK DAY 2019 Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> March

**9.15am** Children are invited to dress up as their favourite book character and take part in a Costume Parade; parents are warmly invited to watch this in the school hall.

**Tchoukball Club** Mondays afterschool with Premier Sport so why not join one of the fastest growing sportiung phenomenon! Not sure what it is? Check out:  
<http://www.tchoukball.org.uk/> or  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=FxjaZ6WARwk>

Baking Club has had exceptional demand and although we could offer an additional two places, it is now FULL.  
Apologies for any disappointment.

**IMPORTANT EXTRA-CURRICULAR CLUB INFORMATION**  
Clubs start next week on Monday 21<sup>st</sup> January and finish on Friday 29<sup>th</sup> March, this term there is **NO** break before and after the half-term holiday.



### PARKING MATTERS

**POLITE REMINDER** Please do not park your cars across the back entrance of school or use the Kitchen Driveway when picking up and dropping off children for school, Freckles or Wraparound. **This is the access for all emergency vehicles and must be kept clear.** Some drivers have also blocked access to private garages, the wide pavement by the library and the entrance to Richardson Close causing issues with pedestrians. The PCSOs will be checking this area next week and we thank you for your co-operation in this matter.

**Years 1 to 6** Please send your child to school with a strong carrier bag on Monday so that we can send home their work from last academic year.



## The Lunchtime Top Table Stars for this week are:

**Y6:** Amy Foster **Y5:** Charlie Hartley **Y4:** Charlie Longshaw **Y3:** Layla Harrison



### Found Property... Have YOU lost it?

We have had an number of items left in the school, please check the box in the school foyer entrance to see if any of these items belong to your child. Please note that the school is not liable for any property brought into school that is subsequently lost or left in school; LCC legal Team state that it is your parental responsibility to check that your child comes home from school with all clothing that you have provided them with. However we do try to help return items to their rightful owners if they are found strewn around school and try and teach your child about personal responsibility. Thank you

*PS. Thank you for your help, last week's missing coat has now been found!*

## Dates for your diary



**Friday 25<sup>th</sup> January** 3pm Celebration of Work Assembly to include Year 5 Performance Poetry, parents and carers welcome

**Friday 1<sup>st</sup> February** 3pm Celebration of Work Assembly to include Reception Class Performance Poetry, parents and carers welcome

**Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> February**

2.30pm Safer Internet Day Assembly where classes will be feeding back all their online safety learning; all parents and carers welcome

**Friday 8<sup>th</sup> February** 3pm Celebration of Work Assembly, parents and carers welcome

**Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> February** 9.30am School Eucharist at Holy Trinity Church, all welcome

**Friday 15<sup>th</sup> February** 3pm Celebration of Work Assembly to include Year 4 Performance Poetry, parents and carers welcome; Interim Reports for Years 1 to 6 classes coming home tonight; School closes for the half-term holiday, 3.25pm for Infants and 3.20pm for Juniors

**Monday 25<sup>th</sup> February** School opens, including Wraparound & Freckles, for the second half of the Spring Term 8.55am for Juniors and 9.00am for Infants. Please remember these are our official school times though we have an open door policy whereby we open our doors 10 minutes prior to this to help children settle into school quickly and aid liaison with class teachers, especially in our Infant Classes.

**Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> February** Spring Parents Evening Day 1 (10 minute appointments)

**Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> February to Friday 1<sup>st</sup> March** Year 6 Robinwood Residential

**Monday 4<sup>th</sup> March** Spring Parents Evening Day 2 (10 minute appointments)

**Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> March** **WORLD BOOK DAY** 9.15am Book Character Costume Parade; parents are warmly invited to watch this in the school hall.

**Friday 8<sup>th</sup> March** 2.45pm Year 1 Class Assembly & Celebration of Work, parents and carers welcome

**Friday 15<sup>th</sup> March** 2.45pm Year 6 Robinwood Assembly & Celebration of Work, parents and carers welcome

**Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> March** 5pm Sing together Concert at King Georges Hall, Blackburn

## House Point Totals for this week!



Balderstone  
164



Hillock  
189



Marsh  
209



Naze  
149

## Freckleton's Shining Stars

*'Shine like stars in the world' Philippians 2:15*

**Freckles**



Jayden  
Postles

**Reception**



Freddie  
Jackson

**Year 1**



Fionn Kerr

**Year 2**



Purdie  
Sumner

**Year 3**



Aiden  
Bagnall

**Year 4**



Helena Ford

**Year 5**



Luca Pickup

**Year 6**



Sophie  
Hindle