

# Lower Peover CofE (Aided) Primary School

*Whatever you do, work at it with all your heart, as working for the Lord' Colossians 3:23*

*With the Lord by our side, we strive for excellence in everything we do; aiming to achieve highly within our spiritual community. Working together under God's guidance, we endeavour to become the best that we can be in our school, where the Christian faith is taught, experienced, and lived.*



## Weekly Newsletter – Friday 20<sup>th</sup> October 2023



Well done to our Year 4 football team, who played their hearts out and showed great teamwork and resilience, at the inter-school's competition this week.



A big well done to Henry (Y4) who helped other villagers last weekend with a litter pick around Lower Peover. Great work Henry.



Have a lovely half term break.

School reopens for the children on Tuesday 31<sup>st</sup> October

Thank you to the Trustees for the Reception and Year 3 Bibles, these will be handed out to the children after the half term break.

### Parent Consultation Evenings – 2<sup>nd</sup> & 9<sup>th</sup> November 2023

Thank you to all parents who have booked their parents evening appointments. We do have a few parents still to book, if you could please do so as soon as possible – thank you. If you have any issues with the booking system on school spider, please contact the office.

### Nasal Flu Vaccination – Monday 6<sup>th</sup> November 2023

The school nursing team will be in school on Monday 6<sup>th</sup> November to administer the nasal flu vaccine for the children. This is available to all year groups. The letter with the online consent was sent by email on Wednesday this week, which includes the school code that you will need to use. **A reminder that the deadline is 12 noon on Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> November to ensure your child receives the vaccination.** The letter can also be found under the parent letter section of the website.

**Please also complete the online form if you are NOT giving consent, so the nursing team are aware. If no response has been received, your child will not be given the vaccination.**

### Family Woodland Explorers / Cheshire Wildlife Trust

A Family Woodland Explorers morning will be held on Friday 27<sup>th</sup> October from 10.30am to 12.30pm. This is a great opportunity for children and parents to connect with nature, and the season, in the safe setting of Swettenham Valley Nature Reserve. The morning will include hedgehog craft, a short journey to Swettenham Brook to observe freshwater invertebrates and ending with a toasted tasty treat. Please following the link to book.

<https://www.cheshirewildlifetrust.org.uk/events/2023-10-27-family-woodland-explorers>

website: [www.lower-peover-school.co.uk](http://www.lower-peover-school.co.uk)

Facebook: @LowerPeoverCfEPrimarySchool

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## Collective Worship

Each Friday our whole school Collective Worship will be a Praise Assembly where children will share their work. This will alternate by Key Stage and be held in the school hall. Parents are very welcome to attend.

Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> November – Key Stage 1 Praise  
Friday 10<sup>th</sup> November – Key Stage 2 Praise  
Friday 17<sup>th</sup> November – Key Stage 1 Praise  
Friday 24<sup>th</sup> November – Key Stage 2 Praise

### Friday 1<sup>st</sup> December – No Collective Worship

Friday 8<sup>th</sup> December – Key Stage 2 Praise  
Friday 15<sup>th</sup> December – Key Stage 1 Praise

## Accelerated Reader

**Half Termly winner: St David with 1,185,459 words read**

Congratulations to Alfie Y5 on becoming a Word Millionaire with a word count of 1,050,594 words read.

### Reading Certificates

Ready Reader	Ready Reader 2	Ready Reader 3	Ready Reader 4	Ready Reader 5	Ready Reader 6
Hannah Y3	Max Y3	Freddie Y3	Rory Y4	Sebby Y3	Bethany, Ollie & Josh Y3
Phoebe Y4	Thomas Y4			Matthew Y5	Grace, Emelia, Evelyn, Dylan, Florie & Immy Y4
Poppy L Y6	Poppy L Y6				Oisin, Loki, Dasha, Alfie, Megan & Olivia Y5
					Sebastian, Seb, Xander, Jacob B, Hollie & Anna Y6
Ready Reader 7	Ready Reader 8	Ready Reader 9	Ready Reader 10		
Bethany, Ollie & Josh Y3	Bethany Y3	Bethany Y3	Bethany Y3		
Grace, Evelyn, Emelia & Dylan Y4	Evelyn Y4	Evelyn Y4			
Oisin & Dasha Y5	Seb Y6	Seb Y6			
Seb & Xander Y6					

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## Accelerated Reader

On accelerated reader the children start each term with a target of reading 15 minutes daily. The targets are calculated and set by how often the children complete a quiz along with their score. These targets are increased each time by either 5, 10 or 15 minutes, up to a maximum of 60 minutes daily.

The children who have reached a target are:

15 minutes	Y3 – Blake L, Sebby, Freya, Ariana Y4 – Phoebe, Thomas Y5 – Loki Y6 – Hettie, Hollie, Anna
20 minutes	Y3 – Max, Freddie, Hannah Y4 – Florie, Y5 – Matthew, Oisin, Olivia Y6 – Sebastian, Jacob B, Xander
30 minutes	Y4 – Dylan
35 minutes	Y4 – Evelyn, Grace, Emelia Y5 – Dasha, Alfie, Megan Y6 – Seb, Poppy L
45 minutes	Y3 – Ollie Y4 – Evelyn
60 minutes	Y3 – Bethany, Josh

## FLPS

### The Ball

The Ball is now less than a month away. You still have time to purchase tickets, please follow this link.

<https://friends-of-lower-peover-primary-school.sumupstore.com/>

We will be closing ticket sales on the 5th of November to allow time to organise the seating plan.

If you have purchased tickets, please ensure you have completed the google form that was sent to you by email. If you do not complete this, we will assume you have no dietary requirements and no preference on seating.

The link for the google docs form is:

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/13cdNdmxKPY1y2GnmjDJalwSpI2SxXJigMyb2zB9JzUM/edit#response=ACYDBNij39a81kC89UM9Ai9emzvys14H6Oq0m8q4dyfOXCI5jhPCTk4pGWW5dK3je8Sc8ak>

### Christmas Plans

We have an exciting timetable of events in the lead up to Christmas. If you would like to help with the planning of any of the events or support by helping at an event itself, please let your class rep know and they will put you in touch with a member of the FLPS committee.

The events are:

29<sup>th</sup> November - own clothes day in exchange for gift room donations

30<sup>th</sup> November - Wreath making

1st December - Gift Room

1st December - KS2 Pyjama Party

9th December - Breakfast with Santa

## FLPS

### Christmas Jumpers

We are conscious that there is always a lot of expenditure around Christmas time. Therefore, we will be selling children's 2nd hand Christmas jumpers at the end of November through our Facebook page. The cost of the jumpers will be nominal as we want to do our bit for the environment too. Please dig out any outgrown Christmas jumpers to donate if you can. We will be collecting them at school and will confirm the collection dates after half term.

### Spooky Discos - thank you!

We would like to thank everyone who supported the Spooky discos last week. To everyone who made Krispy cakes, spent time to make the hall look so wonderfully spooky or helped on the night thank you so much - every bit of help made such a difference. Thank you to everyone who bought tickets for their children to attend. Not only did the children have an amazing time at the discos but your support meant we could raise more funds for our lovely school to purchase resources.

## Forest School Rota 2023-24

Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> November – Reception

Friday 10<sup>th</sup> November – Year 3

Friday 17<sup>th</sup> November – Year 5

Friday 24<sup>th</sup> November – Year 4

Friday 1<sup>st</sup> December – Year 1

Friday 8<sup>th</sup> December – Year 2

Friday 15<sup>th</sup> December – Reception

To comply with our risk assessment, all children must wear suitable outdoor clothes (long sleeve tops & long trousers/leggings – no football kits) plus, outdoor shoes.

**Please ensure the children have a change of footwear with them.**

**Hair must be tied up.**

**If incorrect clothing is worn, unfortunately, children will be unable to take part in the session.**

## Weekly Attendance

### Winning Year Group – Year 6

Reception: 94.40%

Year 1: 94.00%

Year 2: 96.67%

Year 3: 98.79%

Year 4: 98.64%

Year 5: 95.33%

Year 6: 98.97%

Whole School: 96.68%

## Dates, Events & Information

### Autumn 1 Half Term 2023

- Friday 20<sup>th</sup> October – Last day of term

### Autumn 2 Half Term 2023

- Monday 30<sup>th</sup> October – INSET Day
- Tuesday 31<sup>st</sup> October – First day of term for children
- Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> November – Parent Consultation Evening – Session 1 (4pm – 6.30pm)
- Monday 6<sup>th</sup> November – Nasal Flu vaccine (whole school)
- Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> November – Open Morning Session 3 (9.30am – 11.30am for prospective parents)
- Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> November – Parent Consultation Evening – Session 2 (4pm – 6.30pm)
- Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> November – Year 5 Class assembly & classroom visit (9am)
- Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> November – Whole school non-uniform day & bring a gift in (for gift room FLPS event)
- Friday 1<sup>st</sup> December – Gift Room (FLPS event)
- Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> December – Reception Christmas performance in school hall (9am – straight after morning registration)
- Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> December – Years 1 & 2 Christmas performance in school hall (**Year 1 parents only – 9am**)
- Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> December – Years 1 & 2 Christmas performance in school hall (**Year 2 parents only – 9am**)
- Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> December – Reception parents – Stay & Play (2pm)
- Monday 18<sup>th</sup> December- KS2 Christmas performance in Church (9am - straight after morning registration)
- Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> December – KS2 Christmas performance in Church (9am - straight after morning registration)
- Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> December – Treat Day & Last Day of Term

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## After School Clubs

**Staff Led – Autumn 2 Half Term 2023 (31<sup>st</sup> October to 20<sup>th</sup> December inclusive)**

Day	Club	Number of places	Cost	Staff Member	Autumn 2 Half Term 2023	INFORMATION
Monday	STEM Science	Max. 20	£7.00 per child per week	Skills Club	Years 1 & 2 <b>Running until 11<sup>th</sup> December only</b>	<a href="https://skill-clubs.classforkids.io">https://skill-clubs.classforkids.io</a> bookings live from Monday 2 <sup>nd</sup> October at 8.30pm
Monday	Jewellery	Max. 12	£4.50 per child per week	Miss Haslam	Years 3 & 4	Fully Booked with waiting list
Tuesday	Jewellery	Max. 12	£4.50 per child per week	Miss Haslam	Years 5 & 6	Fully Booked with waiting list
Wednesday	Choir		£10.00 per child	Mrs Maddock	<b>1<sup>st</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup>, 15<sup>th</sup>, 22<sup>nd</sup> &amp; 29<sup>th</sup> November only</b>	For children signed up prior to summer break
Thursday	Lower Peover Band		£72 per term	Mr Stannard	Years 2-6 inclusive	Please contact Mr Stannard directly on <a href="mailto:jstannard@lowerpeover.cheshire.sch.uk">jstannard@lowerpeover.cheshire.sch.uk</a>

**Please note – All clubs will commence the first week back after the half term break unless otherwise detailed.**

**All clubs will run unless you receive a separate communication regarding cancellation**

**Please ensure you have paid on ParentPay to secure your place request(s)**

## Premier Education – Autumn 2023 After School Clubs

The offering from Premier Education will alter slightly for the new academic year, where activities will run for each half term rather than the full term.

AUTUMN 2 HALF TERM (31.10.23 to 19.12.23 inclusive)		
Day	Year Groups	Activity
Monday	3 – 6 inclusive	Basketball
Tuesday	1 & 2	Multi Sports
Thursday	3- 6 inclusive	Handball
Friday	All year groups	Dodgeball

N.B. Places on these clubs are limited to 20 and are allocated on a first come, first served basis as usual.

**All clubs will commence the first week back after the half term break**

The booking system is now live.

<https://www.premier-education.com/parents/venue/courses/7569/?location=lower%20peover>

**All clubs will run unless you receive a separate communication regarding cancellation**