



PRESTON BULLETIN



'I have come that they may have life and have it to the full' John 10:10

Friday 21 October 2022

Dear Parents/Carers,

It's the end of another busy week and a busy half term! Hopefully, during the last week or so, you will have all had an opportunity to meet with your child's teacher in order to discuss your child's learning and progress. It has been lovely to host these evenings in school once again. Thank you all for your continued support!

This week, we have had a number of lovely events across the Federation. Owls Class, at Saxlingham, enjoyed their Ancient Greek Day, which was postponed from earlier in the half term. At Preston, we enjoyed a lovely Harvest Service at St. Mary's Church; it was a beautiful Autumnal day, and it was a pleasure to walk through the village with the children, who all conducted themselves impeccably throughout the service. Also at Preston, the children have been busy planting daffodil bulbs for the spring, and it was lovely to watch the older children helping the younger children to complete this task.

On behalf of all the staff, we wish you a happy and restful half term, and look forward to welcoming the children back on Monday 31 October.

Yours sincerely,

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PRESTON STARS OF THE TERM

- Ladybirds: **Amelie** for good team work when sorting objects in Maths.
- Bumblebees: **Logan** for offering answers with enthusiasm.
- Grasshoppers: **Theodore** for including super detail from our book in his representation of Edward's dream
- Caterpillars: **Logan** for be a helpful and supportive classmate who encourages others to try their hardest.
- Dragonflies: **Jake B.** for an amazing piece of printing based on 'migration'



LIVING THE MOTTO

'I persevere with challenging tasks'

- Ladybirds: **Archie**
- Bumblebees: **Cordelia**
- Grasshoppers: **Ronnie**
- Caterpillars: **Ruby-Mae**
- Dragonflies: **Jenson**



FRIDAY AFTERNOON READING SESSIONS

After half term, we are planning to organise some Friday afternoon reading sessions, where parents/carers can drop in to share books with the children. Please keep a look out for dates and further information which we will send out after half term.

AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

Football club: Wednesday 2nd November to Wednesday 7th December (KS2 only)

Multi Sports Club: Friday 4th November - Friday 9th December (all years)

Please contact the Office for more information.

DIARY DATES

Monday 31 October	FOPPs Cake Sale
Wednesday 2 November	South Norfolk Cross Country—Langley School Y2 Pedestrian Training and Reception Road Safety Training
Friday 4th November	Open Morning for Prospective Parents/Carers
Monday 7 November	West End in Schools Workshop—Poetry and Poppies (Years 3-6). A copy of the letter is on the website—we kindly request a voluntary contribution of £5 per child.
Friday 11th November	Meeting for Parents/Carers in Bumblebee and Ladybird Classes regarding Little Wandle (Early Reading and Phonics), 9am



HARVEST SERVICE

On Tuesday, we had a lovely Harvest Service at St. Mary's Church, Tasburgh. The whole school walked down to the church on a beautiful Autumnal day, carrying donations for Norwich Foodbank.

During the service, we sang songs, listened to class and individual performances of poems, and said prayers.

Thank you to everyone who was able to donate to the Food Bank, and to the team at St. Mary's for making us feel so welcome.





It's Fireworks NIGHT

WITH THE FRIENDS OF HEMPSTALL PRIMARY SCHOOL & FLASHfx

Saturday 5th November

HEMPNALL PLAYING FIELD
GATES OPEN 5PM
FIREWORKS BEGIN 7PM



<https://bit.ly/3M9kumw>

BBQ
LICENSED BAR
MULLED WINE
SWEET TREATS
PLEASE NO SPARKLERS!

PRESALE	GATE
ADULT £5	£6
CHILD UNDER 16 £4	£5
FAMILY OF 4 £16	N/A

FRIENDS CAKE SALE

Friends will be holding one of their popular **cake and second-hand uniform sales** on Monday 31 October at the end of school. These are usually excellent fundraisers and popular with the children! Donations of cakes, homemade or shop bought, gratefully received. Please send these into school on the day of the sale.

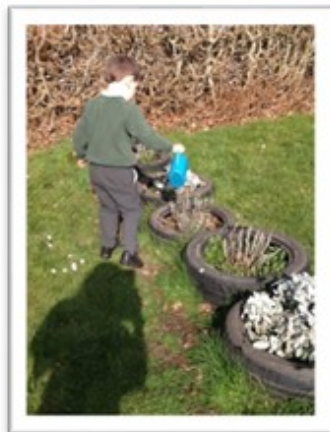




Preston C of E Primary School

Calling prospective parents with children due to start school in September 2023!

Friday 4th November
9.15-11.45am



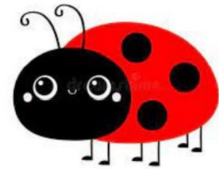
This is a 'drop in' event—there is no need to make an appointment! There will be an opportunity for you to meet the Headteacher and the Early Years Staff. You will also be able to tour the school, see the classrooms and outdoor areas, and find out more about what we can offer in our very special federation of schools! We hope you will be able to join us! **Please contact the School Office for further information.**

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LADYBIRD CLASS NEWS



Ladybirds have been very busy this week! On Tuesday, we joined in with our Harvest Festival celebrations. We walked to the church and for some of us, it was our first visit to St Mary's Church. We enjoyed performing a song with Bumblebees called 'oats and beans and barley grow'. We also wrote our own class prayer.



On Wednesday, Ladybirds planted some daffodil bulbs outside with their Year 6 reading buddies. We are looking forward to seeing them grow in the Spring time!



Our topic this term is 'journeys' and we have been learning the story of 'Naughty Bus'. We have enjoyed exploring different adventures that the Naughty Bus has been on. Year 1s have been making up their own adventures for the Naughty Bus, and written some fantastic sentences to go with their pictures!

Reception children have been labelling a London Bus, using their phonics sounds they have been learning this half term. They have focused on writing the initial sounds in words.





Harvest Festival

**Sunday 16th October
at 11:00 am**

Harvest Lunch

**Sunday 23rd October
12:30 for 1:00pm
at**

The Village Hall

Tickets: £7.50

Children under 12 £5:00

available from Pete Sluman

Tel: 471529

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Sir Isaac Newton Sixth Form

Proudly Present

"Maths In Space"

Open Evening

★ Wednesday 16th November 2022
Hosted at Inspiration Trust Teaching
School Hub, NR1 2RN.
Parking available on site.

Join our expert teachers for an evening
of space themed activities from 16:30 -
18:30. Last entry time is 18:00.

★ Aimed at Key Stage 2 children, siblings of
other ages are welcome to attend.

Visit <https://www.isaac-newtonsixthform.org/outreach> to let us know if you
will be attending. Scan the
QR code for more
details.



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