



# Euxton Church of England Primary School

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In our Christian family, we all SHINE in the light of Jesus.

Friday 26<sup>th</sup> September 2025

Dear Parents,

## **Euxton Superstars!**

Congratulations to this week's class Superstars:

Reception: Vinnie

Year 1: Ada

Year 2: Harry B

Year 3: Amelia

Year 4: Iris

Year 5: Archie

Year 6: Theodore

Well done to you all!

## **Celebration Assembly**

Next week there will be no Celebration Assembly on Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> October as the school are going to virtually attend the Picture News 'Our Black History Month' live assembly to explore this year's theme, 'Standing Firm in Power and Pride'.

Celebration Assembly will be back as usual on Friday 10<sup>th</sup> October. Birthdays from the 2 weeks will be celebrated at this assembly.

## **Girls and Boys Football Tournaments**

### **Girls**

Mr Westwell reports that our girls football team continued their league fixtures this week with three more games. They came away with a mixture of results; a draw in the first game, an enjoyable win in the second and a tough defeat in their final game against a very good team. Yet again, the girls put in some attacking and defensive displays to be proud of as they get used to working together more and more.

### **Boys**

Mr Astle reports that we had another two fantastic matches yesterday!

In the first match, against a very strong team, we narrowly lost 1-0. We played absolutely amazingly. Unfortunately, they just played better! Some strong defending by Noah and James, alongside some fantastic goalkeeping by Jack, ensured the scorecard stayed very even.

In the second match, we secured a fantastic 1-0 victory, which, if we are honest, could have been many more! The opponent goalkeeper played fantastically, saving shots from Charlie, Leo and Noah (who almost managed to score from the halfway line!)

Next week, we have our last two matches, and we will find out if we have made it into the finals - wish us luck!

## **Nasal Flu Spray**

The school health team are in school on 11<sup>th</sup> November to administer the nasal flu spray to all children whose parents have given permission. The link to give permission has been sent to all parents again via email this week. Please respond asap – the link closes on 5<sup>th</sup> October. If you don't want your child to have the nasal spray, please complete the section in the link.

### **Online Safety Parent Session**

Please follow the below link to access the parent/carer session scheduled for **Wednesday 1st Oct 2025 – 4pm – 4.45pm**.

[https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting\\_NzMxNjhZGMtNjRiMC00NmMyLWlxYjktMGEyYTAyZDVIMzRh%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22id%22%3a%22dcdb1ea5-3b10-49a2-bf8f-5fd59edcd762%22%2c%22oid%22%3a%225772fa8f-9814-4199-aef2-9195804f833e%22%7d](https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_NzMxNjhZGMtNjRiMC00NmMyLWlxYjktMGEyYTAyZDVIMzRh%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22id%22%3a%22dcdb1ea5-3b10-49a2-bf8f-5fd59edcd762%22%2c%22oid%22%3a%225772fa8f-9814-4199-aef2-9195804f833e%22%7d)

Attendees do not need to register, they simply click on the link at the above time to access the session. **Cameras and voice/audio will be switched off for all attendees.** Attendees can ask questions by typing in the Q&A box, but this will be explained during the session.

**The event will be streamed using Teams. Attendees can watch the live event in:**

- **Teams app—desktop (Windows or Mac) or mobile.** (The Teams app is free to download if attendees would like to do that beforehand).
- **If you don't have Teams you can access it via one of the following browsers - Google Chrome, Microsoft Edge or Firefox.**

As a reminder, this session (and all our virtual sessions) will be recorded and will be subsequently shared so if you can't make the live session you can watch it back at a time that is convenient to you.

### **Harvest Worship**

Next week, **Y3** will be leading our Harvest worship for the whole school will take place on **Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> September**. Donations for the foodbank are welcome. Please only bring into school non-perishable items such as rice, pasta, tinned vegetables, baked beans, soups, cereals. Thank you for your support.

**Y3** parents and grandparents are all invited to attend Y3's class worship on **Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> October at 9.05am**.

### **Staff Vacancy**

We are looking to recruit an experienced teaching assistant to join our KS1 team. If you know of anyone who may be interested in joining our staff team please share and signpost to the vacancy information on our school website. Thank you.



### **Eco Success**

Great news - we are now officially an Eco-School! Mr Astle shares these words with us all. 'Last year, our Eco Energy Savers, from Years 3 and 4, came together with a mission: save energy, save money, save the planet. We worked hard, creating an Eco Code, completing a 24-page questionnaire, and spreading the word on saving energy! As a school, we all came together to ensure that classroom doors stayed closed to save on heating, and that lights were turned off when the classroom was not in use - these small steps are proven to save £££s on energy bills. I am unbelievably

proud of our Eco Energy Savers, and the feedback we received from our application was truly incredible! Just a few pieces of feedback are written below - please take a moment to celebrate this with us!'

***Greatest Overall Success:*** Empowering all pupils to act as Eco-Monitors, ensuring doors remain closed, and lights remain off. This will make a lasting difference by reducing energy use.

***We also loved:*** We loved to hear how your Y4 class completed a unit on Fast Fashion, and how it can negatively impact the environment. We were inspired by your three-year eco plan, showing your commitment to meaningful and sustainable change. Great effort!

***Next year, why not try:*** Your application truly impressed our team. Our only advice is to continue building on your wonderful achievements this year and follow your Eco Plan. Great Work.

Our Eco Energy Savers will continue again this year. As promised, Y5 and Y6 will lead our Eco Group, and I have full confidence that they will be just as successful as Y3 and Y4 last year. Thank you to Mr Astle for his work and enthusiasm working alongside the Eco Energy Savers.

### **PTFA Lucky Numbers**

Congratulations to Gareth Jones (Iona and Wilbur's dad) whose name was pulled out of the hat in Celebration Worship this morning. £20 on it's way home to you!

### **High School Open Evenings**

Please see below many of the local secondary schools Open Evenings information:

**Parklands High School – Thursday 2nd October**

**Balshaw's High School – Thursday 2nd October 5.30-8.30pm**

**St Michaels CE High School – Open Day 9<sup>th</sup> October 9.30am-12pm**

**Holy Cross High School – Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> October 4.30-7pm (last entry 6.30pm)**

Please check the school website before a visit as some have booking systems on there. Should any parents wish to take their child round schools during the school day then please just let us know. We fully appreciate it's a big decision and we are happy to help in any way we can.

### **Dates ahead:**

**Friday 10<sup>th</sup> October** – World Mental Health Day – non-uniform day, children to wear something blue to support Lancashire Mind charity. Donations of £1 will be gratefully received (see flyer).

**Monday 20<sup>th</sup> October** - Parent's Evening from 2.30pm

**Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> October, 10:00am** – Open day - if you would like to attend, please complete the sign-up form found on the front page of our school website.

**Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> October** – end of half term. School closes at 3.30pm. After school club on as usual.

**Friday 24<sup>th</sup> October** – school closed for staff training INSET day.

**Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> November, 10.00am** – Open Day

### **Fundraising Raffle & Bracelets**



Autumn Raffle tickets will be sold by school parents before and after school next week on Monday, Wednesday and Friday. All proceeds will be donated to Emilia's Go Fund Me to support her accessing life-saving medical treatment. A list of amazing prizes is attached to the newsletter. Thank you to everyone who has generously donated prizes and helped to organise fundraising events.



Mimi Bracelets made and sold by two of our Y6 girls will be on sale at break and lunchtime in the playground next Thursday. The bracelets have Mimi spelt out in beads as you can see from the photos as this is Emilia's nickname. £5 per bracelet with all proceeds going to Emilia's Go Fund Me page. Cash only please. The girls have made lots of these bracelets but of course they may run out on Thursday. If they do, they will arrange another day to sell them once they have replenished their stock levels. Thank you for your support.

## Well done!



One of our pupils who left Euxton CE to start high school in the summer has recently trialled for Manchester Thunder Netball pathway and has been awarded a place (out of 280 girls who trialled) in the performance black squad (highest team) in the U12 category. No other girls from any Lancashire netball clubs or schools got a place. She will represent Manchester Thunder in matches and train with the team on a weekly basis. Well done from us all at Euxton CE Primary School!



Best wishes,

Mrs Mairi Ash  
Headteacher

In our Christian family, we all **SHINE** in the light of Jesus.  
Wisdom Compassion Humility Friendship Peace Trust Forgiveness Hope



In partnership with Knowsley CLCs, all  
parent/carers are invited to an:

# Online Safety Information Session

This session is delivered virtually so can be watched from anywhere!  
We will share the link with you privately.

**This session will cover all  
aspects of children's  
online lives and will cover  
the risks associated, the  
latest trends and data and  
guidance on how you can  
support their online lives.**

**WEDNESDAY  
1ST OCT  
2025  
4PM - 4.45PM**



Knowsley  
City Learning Centres





Children and Family  
**Wellbeing  
Service**

# Get advice and support

Someone to talk to  
Problems at  
home/school  
Jobs and training  
Apprenticeships  
Staying safe  
online  
Sex and health  
Relationships

Mental Health  
Self Harm  
Bullying  
Drugs and  
alcohol  
Things to do  
Housing, rights  
and money  
What age can I?

[facebook.com/LancashireYZ](https://facebook.com/LancashireYZ)

[twitter.com/LancashireYPS](https://twitter.com/LancashireYPS)

You can contact us 365 days a year

**2pm to 10pm**



**Text 07786 51 11 11**

**Talk online** [lancashire.gov.uk/youthzone](https://lancashire.gov.uk/youthzone)

**Call 0800 51 11 11**

[lancashire.gov.uk](https://lancashire.gov.uk)



## Age 0-19

(up to 25 for young  
people with learning  
difficulties or disabilities)







# Wear it Blue!

## 10th October World Mental Health Day

**#WearItBlue**

Wear something blue to show  
support for Lancashire Mind  
on World Mental Health Day

Just  
**£1**

**makes a BIG  
difference!**



There are lots of ways you can  
**#WearItBlue** for Lancashire Mind,  
at school, work or in the  
community!

In exchange for a small £1 donation,  
your support will enable us to continue  
providing vital mental health services  
for the local communities across  
Lancashire.

**School non-uniform day**

**Dress-down Friday  
in the office or at work**

**In your community group**

**On a dog walk with friends**

**At home with family**

For more details please contact  
[nicolatomkins@lancashiremind.org.uk](mailto:nicolatomkins@lancashiremind.org.uk)  
Community Fundraising & Events

 **mind** Lancashire



Help us  
change  
lives



## Autumn Raffle Prizes

- £300 All Saints Voucher
- £100 Amazon Voucher
- £100 Dempsey Skin Lab aesthetics voucher
- Themed Teepee Sleepover party for two worth £75
- £50 Aspen & Ivy voucher
- £50 Girasole Italian voucher
- A year entry to Tiny Rockers
- £60 fresh seafood hamper
- £20 Papa Luigi's Voucher
- £25 MAY'S Chinese Euxton voucher
- Osteopathy treatment with New Day Osteopathy worth £65
- £20 The Spinners at Cowling seasonal country dining voucher
- Starbucks gift box
- Sessions with Rhythmicality
- Vanilla-Iced CupCakes

- Acqua di Palma gift hamper
- Family swim session at The Hub Buckshaw
- Family Ticket to Northern Lights Manchester
- £15.00 Pepper Lane Chippy Voucher
- Beauty Finesse hair products gift bag
- Wash, cut and blow dry at Beauty Finesse
- Muttley Crew Dog Groomers Hamper
- £40 off Glitz & Glam party—Euxton Bouncy Castle Hire
- Cut and blow dry with JW Hair
- S and J Sparkles 2-hour house clean
- Home party with Tropics fizz, mini treatment & samples
- Farmasi goodie bag
- Love 2 Learn Voucher worth £45 for phonics & Fun
- Surprise handmade dress from Life's Little Twinkles
- Nurtured by hand - Baby Spa Experience
- Gym etc Leyland voucher

- Treats from Flossy's Fancies
- Voucher from Kinderhub Preston
- Massage with Louise Slater
- Sweet Bros sweet treat box
- Tropics gift bag
- £50 Yew Tree Anglezarke voucher
- 2 week Family pass for David Lloyd, Chorley
- Calmly Creative Pottery Painting voucher
- Little Sparks Southport voucher
- 2-day voucher to attend FunFest Holiday
- £100 voucher for Cherished Moments Photography
- WOW centre Baby/Toddler sensory block of classes and £15 Little Beans Café voucher
- 6-week Challenge with SmartFit Park Hall
- 5 personal training sessions SmartFit Park Hall
- Box of CupCakes from Luxury Cakes
- The Bespoke Balloon Co 24" personalised bubble balloon