



Ancaster CofE Primary School

Newsletter 3 – 12th October 2012

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Special Mentions



In our celebration assemblies, certificates were given to:

Class 1 – Matthew Holmes, Emily Herrick,

Harry Askham & Max Vangasse

Class 2 – George Taylor, Lucy Cullum, Kira Roper & Sam Bailey

Class 3 – Poppy Jennings, Grace Turner, Jamie Seng & William Cullum

Class 4 – Daniel Annan, Sophie Maclachlan, Harry Spencer & Jessica Heron

Class 5 – Whole of Class 5, Alice Selby & Alexander Bartlett

**Our 'Mega Mathematicians' are –
Lily Belle Turner, Benji Heron, Logan Everett,
Poppy Jennings, Hannah Hinbest, Callum
Dixon, Cameron Wills & Libby Stafford**

**Our 'WOW Writers' are –
Alecia Clark, Erin Taylor, Jasmin Ghenoui, Ben
Fuller, Harry Askham, Alfie Baker, Charlie
Askham, Ava Roberts, Rose Read, Sophie
Machlachlan, Grace Turner, Sam Bailey, Ben
Elmes, Leigha Barratt**

Team Point Running Totals:

Maia: 1167

Saturn: 988

Apollo: 1109

Minerva: 1137

Restricted Parking and Access

KEEP YOUR CHILDREN SAFE



The yellow zig-zag lines at the front of school are there to keep your children safe. Please do not park on the lines or use the space at the front of the gates as a turning circle. Our local police will give tickets to those doing so

PTFA News

Our PTFA have met and have already started planning their events for the Autumn Term. These include a **Disco, Firework Extravaganza, and Breakfast with Santa.**

The **Disco** will be held on Friday 19th October. All children are invited to attend with the KS1 disco taking place between 6pm and 7pm and the KS2 Disco between 7pm-8pm. Mr Eden and the PTFA team will be there to ensure the children have the best time. Entry is £1.50 which includes drinks and there will other treats to buy as well as glowsticks to light up the room.

Tickets will be available soon for the **Firework Extravaganza** which, following on from the success of last year, will be taking place on Monday 5th November at 6.30pm. We are very excited about this particular event as it really does have a community feel. Please tell your friends from neighbouring villages as it really is open to everyone. Tickets are priced at £3 for adults and £2 for children and under 4s are free. There will be an array of treats to buy and enjoy before the fireworks and we look forward to hopefully seeing you there.

Breakfast with Santa details will be announced in due course. Please check the PTFA noticeboard as well the newsletters for more information.

Thank you to everyone who made a donation to the **Bag2School** collection. There were so many bags being collected and we were grateful for all of your efforts.

The next PTFA meeting is on Thursday 18th October. If you want to come and say hello and offer any of your time to either being a trustee and being on the committee or even just offering your time to help at the events, we would love to hear from you! **Next meeting Thursday 18th October 3.30pm in Class 2.**



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Money Makers Week



We have decided that the final 4 days of this term will be an enrichment week centred around the importance and understanding of money. The children will be encouraged to become entrepreneurs and create a 'business' from scratch building up to selling their product at a special themed market event in which you are invited. The children will be selling their products on Thursday 25th October between 10am and 11am. All parents are welcome.

If you are available to come and talk to the children about your job/business, we would love to hear from you. Please contact Mrs Ives who is leading this enrichment week.

Christmas Cards

Although it may seem a little way off, the children have created their own Christmas Card designs which you have the chance to purchase. Next week the children will be bringing their designs and order forms home. If you would like to order a set or two of the cards then simply send the completed form back into school with the correct money or cheque and we will do the rest.

The cards are then sent off to Cauliflower Cards who scan and digitally print the design to make a finished Christmas Card for you to send. Even more of an incentive is that every pack you purchase raises vital funds for the school. Look out for the designs coming home with the children next week.

Donations

Mrs Parsons has asked if there are any parents who have any old bean bags they might be willing to donate to class 3. If you have any bean bags, please catch Mrs Parsons.

Also, if you have any old roleplay toys, dressing up clothes that your children may have grown out of then Class 2 would be able to make great use of them if you are willing to donate. Any donations are greatly received and we thank you for your continued support.

SHARE & SHINE TIME



We were really pleased with the success of our class assemblies last year, so will be continuing with these opportunities to share in your children's learning and give them the time to shine.

This term our class assemblies will take place during the week commencing 15th Oct. We hope lots of you can come.

Monday 15th – Cl.5 – 3pm

Tuesday 16th – Cl. 4 – 3pm

Wednesday 17th – Cl. 2 – 3pm

Thursday 18th – Cl. 3 – 9am

Friday 19th – Cl. 1 – 9am

Lollipop Lady Needed



Members of our parish council and governing body did an excellent job last term in securing funding to ensure we have a lollipop lady, now we need YOU or someone you know! Position details: 8.25 – 9am and 3.20 – 3.45pm, daily during term time. £7.93 per hour. If interested please contact Sarah Bartlett on 01522 553460.

