



# St. Peter's Newsletter

## Flourishing Together

*'I have come that you may have life, life in all its fullness' John 10:10*

21.10.21



### End of Autumn 1<sup>st</sup> Half-Term

Well, we have survived what has been an extremely busy term! Well done to everyone – children, staff, parents and governors! Reflecting back, we have achieved so much including our new Reception children settling into school life, trips have happened, sporting fixtures have taken place and we have seen small groups of parents back in school which has been amazing.

This also marks though quite a sad moment in our school history with Rev. Osborn moving back to Australia with his family. On behalf of all the children, staff, parents and governors I would like to say a huge thank you for his care, love and commitment he has shown in the last 7 years serving our school. He will be missed. We will cherish him in our hearts with many happy memories and pray for him, Jen and his family as they embark on the next part of their life journey. Thank you and God bless.

### Worship Themes 1<sup>st</sup> week of next half term:

<b>Christian Value Bible verse</b>	<i>This is the day that the Lord has made. We will rejoice and be glad in it'</i> <i>Psalm 118, verse 24</i>
<b>Christian Value Worships / Mission statement</b>	Joy – Joy from others
<b>Other worship themes</b>	Picture News Item

### Dates for the Diary

- 2.11.21 RNLI visiting Year 5 – safety around the Bay
- 4.11.21 Y5 Anglo Saxon Day
- 5.11.21 Last Day for Tempest Photographs
- 5.11.21 Child Safe Talk for Year 2 and Year 3 by Lancashire Fire Service
- 5.11.21 Non-Uniform Day – please see attached flyer from the Friends
- 6.11.21 Heysham Neighbourhood Council litter pick 10-2 meet in the village carpark
- 9.11.21 and 11.11.21 Parents Evening via School Cloud
- 15.11.21 Bags to School – please see attached flyer from the Friends

### Olive Branch Drop Off and Safenet Charity

The first drop off will happen on Friday 12<sup>th</sup> November organised by Turnstones. Any family can donate but Turnstones will be organising the produce and distributing accordingly. We have also been asked that these collections are also for Safenet so we have ideas for both:

Safenet – ladies toiletries and baby-care items. New women and children's underclothes. Everyday household goods including cleaning products.

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Olive Branch – tins of meat, tuna, salmon, meals, steamed puddings, biscuits and crackers. They do not need soup, pasta or beans. Thank you in advance.

Our year 6 worship leaders, Mrs Neville and Mr Smith took a carload of produce to the Olive Branch this week and had a look around the depot – they were amazed by the amount and generosity of our families – thank you x.

## COVID-19

We now have 3 confirmed positive cases in Year 4. One more positive case would mean we go to the next stage of our contingency plan which could happen in the first few days of the holidays. If we receive any further cases, we shall let these parents know as guidance asks that you take your child for a PCR test in this class. If we are in this situation and the 10 days isolation has not passed, then other changes would happen in school:

- 1.) All adults in school would go back to wearing masks in communal areas.
- 2.) Bubbles would happen in the part of school where the outbreak occurred - this would potentially be LKS2. These bubbles would be in place for lunchtimes and breaktimes with no mixing across classes internally for children.
- 3.) No visitors would be allowed into school unless for exceptional circumstances.
- 4.) All fixtures, trips would be paused. A discussion would take place if this was just LKS2 or the whole school with PHE.
- 5.) The reintroduction of the one-way system for drop offs and pick-ups. Drop offs would be the same times but entering school as before by the field gate only and exit by the single grey gate. Pick-ups would see gates opening slightly earlier at 3pm but again one way system and the wearing of face coverings/masks. 1 adult only to pick up and the radios would be used to call your children to the playgrounds.

Parents would be notified on the above only if there are any changes to normal via email.

Please continue to let us know of any positive cases with your children. The email to use is still: [positivetest@stpetersheysham.lancs.sch.uk](mailto:positivetest@stpetersheysham.lancs.sch.uk)

We still have several PCR home test kits in school for any child who displays symptoms if you need any, please just ask.

## Credit certificate winners for last week

<b>Skylark Class</b>	Ellis and Maisie
<b>Sanderling Class</b>	Lydia and Libby
<b>Oystercatcher Class</b>	Samuel, Jacob, Annelise, Jesse, Oliver Ha, Joshua, Theo, Noah and Rowan
<b>Eiderduck Class</b>	Emma, Megan, Luna, Zach, Bella, Cameron and Archie
<b>Turnstone Class</b>	Sophie, Joseph, Ruben, Harper, Zack, Blake, Martyna and Jacob P-R
<b>Dunlin Class</b>	Lucas, Alfie, Blaize, Alison, Theo T, Charlie, Lana, Penelope, Bobby, Shanaya, Ivy and Lydia
<b>Lapwing Class</b>	Daisy D and Rose L

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	<b>Bronze</b>	<b>Silver</b>	<b>Gold</b>
<b>Sanderling Class</b>	Imogen P	George	Libby
<b>Oystercatcher Class</b>	Rowan Wa	Samuel	Theo C
<b>Eiderduck Class</b>	Arabella	Emma L	Ada C
<b>Turnstone Class</b>	Blake	Joseph H	Dylan
<b>Dunlin Class</b>	Alison	Blaize	Lydia
<b>Lapwing Class</b>	Rose H	Gabriella	Rose C
<b>Curlew Class</b>	Holly	Archie C	Kate

### Attendance

This week's top attendance is Oystercatchers with 100%

### Site Supervisor

Mr Johnstone is hanging up his marigolds, brush and screwdriver next month. We thank him for all his commitment and support he has shown to the school over the last 3 years. We wish him well in his next life venture.

This though means we are looking for a new site supervisor – the advert is on the LCC site with some details on the school website. For further details please pop into the office for an application pack.



Have a great half term  
Mrs Gomersall