

CHRIST CHURCH CHARNOCK RICHARD PRIMARY SCHOOL

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

INSPIRED TO LEARN, GROW AND FLOURISH WITHIN OUR CHRISTIAN FAMILY



This half term we are learning about the God's Big Story. We will be looking at the Old Testament and Creation, alongside courage.

HEADTEACHER'S AWARD

This week's Headteacher's Award goes to Alfie in Year 2 for always showing the CCCR Way and Sports Award goes to Toby in Year 2!



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AUTUMN TERM CELEBRATION AWARDS 2025

Very well done to the following children for achieving the following awards this week:

	POW - Pupil of the Week	WOW – Worker of the Week
FS	SIENNA	BELLE
YEAR 1	GRACE	ROSIE R
YEAR 2	ZACH H	EMILY
YEAR 3	HENRY	ESRA
YEAR 4	HEIDI	HARRY
YEAR 5	ELI	MIA
YEAR 6	OLIVIA	SAM

'I can do all things because Christ gives me strength' Phil 4:13

HEADTEACHER'S MESSAGE

I can't believe that we are at the end of term.

We had a fabulous start to the week with a visit from Father Christmas. We were thrilled that he made time to visit us when he is so busy and he listened to all our Christmas wishes.

The reindeers also made a surprise visit, Mrs Park was really shocked when she spotted them flying in and the children enjoyed learning lots of reindeer facts.

Thank you to everyone who joined us for our Carol service in church. I love hearing the children sing in church and the Ethos leaders spoke just like professionals.

I was blown away with the quality of singing and range of dance moves at the Christmas parties and enjoyed judging the year 6 dancers immensely.

The choir have been entertaining the pre-school and members of the local community with a performance around the Christmas tree bringing festive cheer and joy.

Thank you to our wonderful PTFGA who have worked so hard this term raising funds and supporting the key stage 1 pantomime and the key stage visit to ELF. Both were thoroughly enjoyed by the children.

We have had a lovely term with the children and staff working so hard. Thank you for your continued support for all we do in school, it makes our school a very special place to be.

Wishing you all a very Merry Christmas and peaceful New Year.

I look forward to seeing everyone On Monday 5th January at 8:45 am.

Mrs Brooks

WEEKLY PRAYER

Dear God

For all creatures great and small we pray for their protection.

We pray for the animals that live above us in the skies, the animals that live below us in the seas and all the endangered animals on the land.

Hear our prayer especially for our friends the animals who are suffering.

We are their biggest threat but also their biggest cheerleaders so we need to be their biggest cheerleaders instead of threats.

Amen

Year 6



EARLY BIRD OF THE WEEK



FOUNDATION STAGE



YEAR 1



YEAR 2



YEAR 3



YEAR 4

YEAR 6

YEAR 5

ADVENT RAFFLE WINNERS THIS WEEK

Monday: Toby Year 2 and Phoebe Year 6

Tuesday: Meriel Year 6 and Axel FS

Wednesday: Penelope Year 5, Arthur year 3

Thursday: Brianna, Year 3, Thomas Year 6

Friday: Max, year 4, Isaac and Bradley Year 6

50:50

WINNER

50:50

please collect cheque from the school office

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YEAR 6 EXCELLENCE IN POETRY

Can we all take a moment to read these fantastic poems written by year 6, based on the poem Tyger by William Blake.

The Elephant.

Elephant, elephant standing strong,
Stomping your feet all night long,
Oh brave elephant how calm can you be?
Why do humans want to endanger thee?

In the forest towering high,
What does it look like in the sky?
Your thick, tough, grey skin glimmering in the sun,
Your heavy, big feet must weight a ton.

Your long grey trunk drinking from a lake,
How long will it take the giant for a break?
Since you are the largest land animal in the world,
Go on then give us a twirl.

Elephant, elephant standing strong,
Stomping your feet all night long,
Oh brave elephant how calm can you be?
How DARE humans want to endanger thee?

By Lola

The Elephant.

Elephant, elephant the king of animals,

Our creatures that are o' so magical,

With pillar-legs that move with grace,

These beautiful herbivores are so ace.

They trumpet soft across the dusty plain,

The massive creature with a soulful brain,

In lands of sun, where ancient rivers flow,

Great silent titans move by very slow.

The king and queens of majesty and peace,

The beasts trumpeting calls in the wild never cease,

A sweeping trunk, a wonder behold,

Our mighty elephants are very bold.

Elephant, elephant the king of animals,

Our creatures that are o' so magical,

With pillar-legs that move with grace,

Who DARE hurt these beautiful herbivores - they are so ace!

By Bluebell.

The Penguin.

Penguin, penguin swimming fast,
In the seas what so vast,
Eating fish all day long,
Who has a little pink tongue?

Cute penguin chicks,
Who all do great tricks,
It must be nice,
To live on the ice.

Where you live must be very cold,
but you are so beautiful and bold,
Waddling through the snow,
Must be such a blow.

Penguin, penguin swimming fast,
In the seas what so vast,
Eating fish all day long,
Who has a little pink tongue?

By Lucy
humans want to endanger thee?

By Lola

FOREST SCHOOL

It has been an absolute pleasure to spend this term with our wonderful Year 5 class. Watching them learn, grow, and support one another has been incredibly rewarding, and every day has brought moments to smile about.

I have truly loved getting to know this group over the last few years. Their enthusiasm, curiosity, and kindness make them a very special year group, and I feel lucky to have been part of their journey so far.

As they move forward to the next stage of their learning, I wish each and every one of them the very best of luck. I have no doubt they will continue to shine and take on new challenges with confidence and resilience.



PARTY TIME!!!!



SANTA!!!! WE KNOW HIM!!!

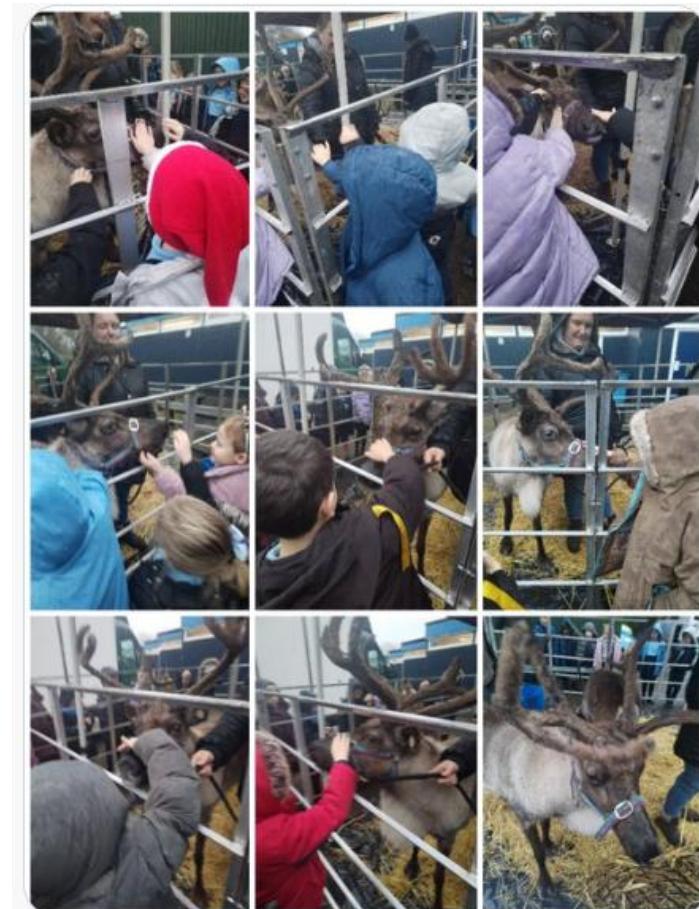


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PIC COLLAGE

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DATES FOR THE DIARY

Monday 5th January – everyone back 8:45am

Monday 12 January – Year 6 History Alive

Tuesday 13 January – Year 2 Cathedral and Mosque Visit

Tuesday 20 January – School Council Recycling Centre Visit

Tuesday 3rd February – Year 6 trip to Chitty Chitty Bang Bang (St Michaels)

Friday 13th February – Break Up

Winter Wonderland in Chorley



13 December to 4 January*

Cleveland Street car park - opposite Chorley Town Hall

*except Christmas Day



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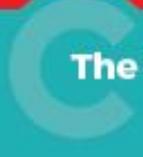
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