PADIHAM GREEN CHURCH OF ENGLAND PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



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Dear Parents,

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Friday 16th June 2023

Padiham on Parade Weekend is Saturday 24th and Sunday 25th June 2023

There will be loads going on as usual over the Padiham on Parade weekend but all the primary school children in Padiham will have the opportunity to gather at the Cenotaph on the Sunday for the ceremony and parade to the Town Hall together. There will be a short service there that I think ends with the whole community singing the National Anthem which is when the children will go back to their families. We have a small number of uniforms here at school so please let us know if your child wishes to borrow one for the parade.

Early Years Athletics Tournament

Many thanks to Mr. O'Brien for organising the Early Years Athletics Tournament for our PG YR class competing against three other schools this week. It was brilliant and our children did really well and we actually scored more points than anyone else ... so we won! Congratulations to our YR Team PG! Mrs. Mac was delighted and Mrs. Tyrer was really impressed! Thanks Mr. O'Brien!

Beat the Street

If you complete the 'Closing Survey' on the Beat the Street website you'll earn 100 points for our school. I did it last night and it is very straight forward and it only takes a minute or two. 100 points! <u>School Library Service - Burnley Comics Festival</u>

Burnley Comics Festival is on Friday 16th and Saturday 17th June at Burnley Central Library. This festival highlights the importance of accessible storytelling through visual means such as comic books, graphic novels and pop culture. In collaboration with Burnley Words Festival, this will include a variety of workshops and events such as Lego building, crafts, gaming as well as offering a large range of stock to provide access to visual storytelling. There will be superhero competitions, fun illustration workshops and

much more to get involved in. Anyone who wishes to attend the Saturday workshops has to book in advance by emailing <u>Burnley.Library@Lancashire.gov.uk</u>

<u>PTFA</u> – On Monday at 3.30pm we are holding a meeting at school for all parents/grandparents. This is an opportunity to discuss upcoming events, management of funds (where we should spend the money) and help with general fundraising. In order to continue with events we really do need more volunteers please.

Summer Fair - Non-Uniform Days - In order to gather items for a Summer Fair we are having some more non-uniform days. The next fair non-uniform day is Friday 23.06.23 in exchange for bottles.

Uniform - We know we heading towards the end of the year and it is easy for standards to slip, but this is just a reminder that other than PE days, children should be wearing black school shoes please.

A reminder that on PE days children should only wear school jumpers, school white PE Tops or plain white PE tops and either plain black shorts, joggers or leggings. Track suits or any other style or colour of top or bottoms are not part of our uniform policy.

Water Bottles - Just a reminder that all children must have a water bottle in school as we do not hold spares. If your child arrives at school without a water bottle we may ask you to come back to school to bring them one.

Music Day 21st June - Just a reminder that it is World Music Day next Wednesday 21st and we would love all the children to dress up. They could dress up as their favourite artist, band or even genre of music.

<u>And finally...</u> Happy Father's Day to all our dads this weekend. I hope you are spoiled in some way on Sunday as we celebrate how amazing you are. We remember all our dads who are with us and no longer with us for their lifetime of love and support. Have a great day. Big love to you all! God Bless, Mark Dixon, Headteacher, 马克·迪克森 校长 (王大龙)