



Jesus said, "Come, follow me." Mtt. 4:19.



PADIHAM GREEN CHURCH OF ENGLAND PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



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Dear Parents,

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Our FOPG Coffee Morning for Pendleside Hospice in memory of Mrs. Ennis.

Many thanks to our FOPG for organising this event this morning in memory of Mrs. Ennis to support Pendleside Hospice. Thanks for baking cakes or helping out - we really appreciate it. Thanks to our Choir and our Cheerleading Team (and our leaders) for their presentations too! Mrs. Ennis' family arrived too and they enjoyed themselves immensely! Many thanks to everyone! We had loads of cakes left so we're having a Pop-Up Cake Sale tonight! Bunny Hop! We also had a great bunny hop this week in aid of Pendleside Hospice too - so thanks for all that support! Thanks to Mr. Greenwood, Miss B. and Mrs. Tyrer for leading the hopping. Lots of ears kept falling off mid-hop actually (as did mine!) but the children had a great time and they did a great job!

PG's Easter Eggs and Easter Bonnets Competitions The entries were judged today by two of Mrs. Ennis' sisters and the winners were all delighted! Thanks to our FOPG and thanks for engaging with this family project too - there is always loads of learning going on when these things happen out of school. The children love engaging with you and doing these projects with you too. Thanks for joining in!

Easter Competition Winners							
YR	William Spark	Y2	Harley Ashworth	Y4	Liam Wilkins	Y6	Amelia Wilkinson
Y1	Jayden Barker	Y3	Alfie Hale	Y5	Daniel Young		

LEGO Man's Visit in Y4 An amazing transformation took place in Y4 this week as an electrified LEGO city grew from the children's imagination! Thanks to Mrs. Gardiner for organising this brilliant event.

Primary Engineer visited this week and I particularly want to mention Odin Marcroft and Daisy Wilding who gave short presentations to our visitors about some of the work they'd done in school ...and they were amazing! To stand up and speak in front of eight strangers takes such courage and confidence. Well done you two!

Padiham Greenway Bug Hotels

Y4 made these with Padiham Greenway volunteers last term and over the holiday one of them was mindlessly vandalized. This news appeared on social media and Jake Clough (and his family) came to the rescue by stepping up and fixing it! What a great lad! Brilliant Jake - well done!

PG Appeals

Thank you for the LEGO but we still need more if possible. We haven't quite got enough LEGO to run our club yet so please have another look and send it in if it is no longer needed in your play boxes. Thanks! We also still need any unwanted gardening tools please. Thank you!

Another PG appeal will support the UK's Air Ambulance Service to help them respond to life threatening medical emergencies by simply collecting used stamps. All kinds of stamps are welcome, on or off paper. You just need to leave no more than a 5mm, single thickness border around them and the perforations need to be damage-free. Anyone can help too! We are collecting here at PG but individuals, businesses and other places can all collect stamps to support the UK's Air Ambulance Services. **Stamps can be sent to:** Air Ambulance Stamp Appeal, Xchange Master, 272 Bath Street, GLASGOW, G2 4JR or **freepost envelopes** can also be requested by emailing: airambulance@xchange-master.co.uk

Brandon's 30-day Reading Challenge News

Well done to Poppy Hughes, Meado Horner, Harrison Ridge, Sean Bartlett, Liam Wilkins, Rose Fish, McKenzie Clawson-Bowers, Jake Clough, Roxanne Murphy, Chloe Flounders and Oliver Markham for completing their first 30-day Reading Challenge! Brilliant reading! This is such good news for you and your learning! Well done!

March and April Birthdays! Thanks to Miss Jackie and her kitchen team for providing a special time at lunchtime for children whose birthdays were in March and April! Many thanks.

PG Sport This week: Swimming Y5; Tennis Y4; Cricket; and our Sports Ambassadors represented us at Burnley College this week too. Thanks to all our brilliant sports staff for leading all this work!

And finally... I represented Padiham Green at Tia Taggart's funeral at St. John's today. What a sad occasion to celebrate such a young life so please give extra hugs for your own children when you think about Tia's family. I know lots of PG people knew this brave and amazing little girl!

God Bless, Mark Dixon, Headteacher 马克·迪克森 校长 (王大龙)