#### LCC Children & Family Wellbeing Service

This team run a lot of support groups.

Please use the links below to see what they do.

www.facebook.com/hyndburnyouthzone

www.facebook.com/hyndburnyouthzone www.facebook.com/HyndburnFamilyZone



#### St Nicholas School Lottery

This draw is open to everyone all over the country. As well as a guaranteed weekly school winner, there is also a chance of winning £25,000 in the national draw every week. The more tickets we sell, the higher the prize money. If you have not yet bought your ticket, please visit: <a href="https://www.yourschoollottery.co.uk/play">www.yourschoollottery.co.uk/play</a> and search for:

Church St Nicholas CE Primary School

Thank you

# 2 Right Start Child Pedestrian Training Programme

This week our Year 1 children have taken part in Lancashire County Council's Stage 2 Right Start Child Pedestrian Training Programme. They have had the safety messages reinforced that they learnt during Stage 1, which taught them to keep themselves safe when out and about in the traffic environment; how important it is that they stop behind the kerb and both look and listen before crossing the road with a responsible adult that they know and how they should play in a safe place away from traffic and wear bright clothing. They have also been taught how to cross safely with the help of the School Crossing Patrol. How they should always stop at the kerb and wait until they are told to cross and the importance of still looking and listening for themselves. Please can you continue to reinforce these messages when out and about with your children

# House points for this week: w/e 16/10/20

St Oswald	St Andrew	St Nicholas	St James
381	317	372	476



# Weekly Newsletter Date 16 October 2020

Email - bursar@st-nicholas.lancs.sch.uk Telephone 01254 381875 www.st-nicholas.lancs.sch.uk

# Growing together in our Love for God, Learning and Life

## **Half-Term Holiday**

School breaks up for half term after school next Friday, 23 October for one week. We re-open on Monday, 2 November 2020.

# Schoo

# Bag2School

The Bag2School collection this week raised £63 for the Friends of St Nicholas. Thank you very much to all who donated.

# Parents' Evening

We're afraid this term we are not going to be able to welcome adults into school for parents' evening, as in previous years. We are sorry but we are unable to hold face to face meetings, but still believe it is important that we report to parents to share (and celebrate) how children are getting on in school.

This term we are proposing to have an online chat or a phone conversation with parents. This will be on Wednesday 25 November and more information will be coming home after the half term break. Hopefully, later in the academic year we can return to a more 'usual' form of reporting to you.

### Remembrance Day Goods

After half term we will be selling items in school on behalf of the Royal British Legion, eg poppies, zip-pulls, poppy reflectors and silicone bands.



Due to a variety of severe allergies in school, please can ALL parents ensure that NO NUTS of any kind are used in packed lunches or snacks.

This includes foods that may contain nuts, for example Nutella spread. Thank you for your support.

# WEEKLY CLASS AWARDS

Well done to the following children:

## Year R

**Autumn** - For fabulous Maths reasoning skills

#### Year 1

**Freddie** - For understanding how to count one more and one less

#### Year 2

Janie - For superb writing in character Year 3

Oliver - For fantastic story writing Year 4

**Leon** and **Sebastian** - Time Table Superstars who like a daily head to head challenge. Keep it up boys!

#### Year 5

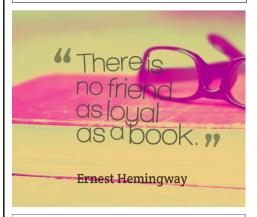
**Lucas** - Super tactical skills shown in rugby

#### Year 6

**Eisa** - For a really good discussion and justifications during RE

**WELL DONE EVERYONE!** 

# Generosity



Did you know:-

Reading together for just 10 minutes a day could change a child's future.

Let's get every child reading well.

#### ST NICHOLAS LIVING THE VALUE AWARDS

- Year R Ismael For being a good friend in class
- Year 1 Anaya Always being a delightful young lady :-)
- Year 2 Maisy For showing generosity to her friends by helping with their reading
- Year 3 Darcie Has shown generosity to her peers in class and on the playground
- Year 4 Lucian and Charlotte Both showed compassion to children who were struggling and gave super support
- Year 5 Ethan Good sporting behaviour shown in the MUGA
- Year 6 Alexia For generously sharing her art work completed at home and inspiring our class





# IMPORTANT INFORMATION APPLYING FOR SCHOOL PLACES FOR SEPTEMBER 2021

If your child is in Year 6 you can now apply for their **secondary school** place at:-

#### www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools

It is quick and easy to do and you will receive email confirmation of your application.

You must apply even if you already have siblings at your preferred school or academy. If you live in Lancashire you can include out of area preferences on your on-line application.

The closing date for secondary school applications for September 2021 is Saturday 31 October 2020.

If your child is in their last year of pre-school/nursery you can now apply for their **primary school** place at:

#### www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools

It is quick and easy to do and you will receive email confirmation of your application.

You must apply even if you already have siblings in school. If you live in Lancashire you can include out of area preferences on your online application.

The closing date for primary school applications for September 2020 is Friday 15 January 2021.

# Nasal Flu Vaccinations - Wednesday 11 November

A reminder, if you haven't yet completed the consent for your child to have the nasal flu vaccination, please complete this as soon as possible. Spare copies of the forms are available, please ring the school office. Thank you.