

Cop Lane C.E. Primary School

A welcoming Christian community, committed to one another, giving our very best at all times.

'I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me.' Philippians 4:13

Our Christian Value is: service



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Headteacher's Message

Earlier this week, we were delighted to find out that we had been accredited another two of Lancashire's equality badges. This demonstrates our continued commitment to equality and diversity. The school will be working towards the final two this academic year.

Well done to our school football teams. They played brilliantly at Priory Academy yesterday.

Don't forget there's a PTFA meeting tonight at 6pm at Craft and Crust. All are welcome.

Have a good weekend.

Best wishes,

Mr Ian P. Ashmore



Dates for your Diary



02.10.24—Y4 Harvest worship (Y4 parents welcome)

16.10.24—Y3 Bible Presentation

18.10.24—Wear it Pink Day to support Breast Cancer Awareness

PTFA News

There will be a PTFA meeting, Friday 20th September 6pm at Craft & Crust to discuss what events we'd like to hold over the next year.

We'd love to see some new faces, whatever help you can offer, big or small, would be much appreciated.

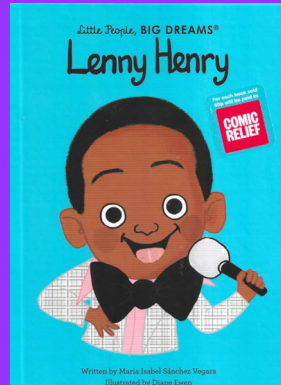


Reflection Time

'If you can see it, you can be it.'

Lenny Henry

This week in our worship, we heard the story of Lenny Henry and his life as part of our weekly theme, 'serving by standing up for what you believe in.' We looked at his life through the book series, 'Little People, Big Dreams'. From his work in comedy to setting up Comic Relief, Lenny Henry's work has celebrated Black culture and helped raise millions of pounds for those in need. Lenny has continued to demonstrate his belief that 'if you can see it, you can be it' and has studied English literature and screenwriting at a later age. Lenny was in his sixties when he published his first children's book.



This week in our Picture News, we looked at the news that the Wildlife Photographer of the Year shortlist has recently been announced, with just 100 photos left in the competition, following a record-breaking 59228 entries! The winners will be revealed on the 8th October and displayed in the National History Museum in London. To celebrate its Diamond Jubilee (60 years) this year, the competition has also introduced a new Impact Award to recognise conversation successes and stories of hope. The children considered the question: "How can photos shape the world?" Our 'Picture News at Home' can be found on the last page of this newsletter.



Harvest Appeal

Penwortham Food Bank

We are collecting the following items for Penwortham Food Bank:

- . Tins e.g. beans, rice pudding, tuna
- . Dry food e.g. pasta, cereals
- . Jars e.g. sauces

Please send any donations into classes with your child(ren).



Governor Update

A meeting of the 'Resources Committee' was held on the 17th September 2024 in school. The impact of the meeting was:

- Governors discussed the budget and the latest financial position of the school.
- Governors discussed healthy and safety including fire drills/ lockdown procedures.
- Governors reviewed sports premium spending and its impact.

Governors lived out the Christian vision by discussing health and safety and other matters to ensure our children are safe and well cared for.

School Car Park

Just a reminder that the school car park is for staff only and should not be used for drop off/ pick up at the beginning/ end of school day or ClubClass. Thank you for your cooperation.



Nut Free School

There are several children who have nut allergies and we want to do all we can to keep them safe while they are here. Just a polite reminder not to send any food items that contain nuts in to school as part of snacks or packed lunches. **Nut allergies are serious, and an adverse reaction can potentially lead to life changing injuries.** Thank you for your understanding.



Ministry of the Word—Autumn Term

9:30am at St Mary's Church

1st October = Y6

8th October = Y5

15th October = Y4

29th October = Y3

Parents as always are welcome to join us.



In partnership with Knowsley CLCs, all parent/carers are invited to an:

Online Safety Information Session

This session is delivered virtually so can be watched from anywhere!
We will share the link with you privately.

Current trends - what children are doing online and what apps/games are popular amongst children.

Understanding the Risks - a look at the risks associated with using technology, in particular when using social media, online gaming & live streaming.

What can you do? - suggestions on how you can support your child with their online lives and what parental controls are available to help you.

Further Support - signposting to services that are available to help you.

**WEDNESDAY
2ND OCTOBER
2024**

4PM - 4.45PM



Knowsley
City Learning Centres

Join using the link: https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_ODg0ZWewOGYtMDAxZi000TdmLTg4YtAtNDFkZmMOMGZhmjg4%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%22dadb1ea5-3b10-49a2-bf8f-5fd59edcd762%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%225772fa8f-9814-4199-ae2-9195804f833e%22%7d





Our class attendance figures this week are :-

YR 1	97.1%
YR 2	100%
YR 3	98%
YR 4	99.4%
YR 5	99.4%
YR 6	96.7%



Well done to YR 2 this week!!!



TAKEHOME

16th - 22nd
September



How can photos shape the world?

In the news this week

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Things to talk about at home ...

- Can you think of any wider benefits of people learning about the Wildlife Photographer of the Year competition?
- Do you enjoy photography? Do you prefer looking at or taking photos?
- Do you have a favourite photo? What is it of, and who took it?

Please note any interesting thoughts or comments

Share your thoughts and read the opinions of others

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