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Weekly Newsletter Friday 13th December 2024



Cheshire Police - Awards

Five children have been nominated for awards run by Cheshire Police. This week, our PCSO was in school to present the children with an invitation to attend Northwich Police station, on Saturday 21st December. The children will not know what they have been nominated for until they arrive on the day!

Good luck to all the children & congratulations on your nominations!







Key Stage 2 Christmas Performances – w/c 16th December

Please be advised that the Key Stage 2 Christmas service is the same on both days, and all year groups in Key Stage 2 will be in Church on Tuesday & Thursday. We have split the parents attending by year group to ensure the Church is not too full, and parking is not as much of an issue around school.

Tuesday 17th December - Year 5 & 6 parents only Thursday 19th December - Year 3 & 4 parents only

The children will arrive in Church following morning registration, with the service commencing at approx. 9.15am

The Bells of Peover have very kindly offered their car park as an overflow for parents to park. They do request however that cars are removed promptly to allow any delivery vehicles easy access, and cars are clear before they open.

For any Year 5 parents staying straight after the service, please could you either park at the rear of school or, if parked at The Bells, move your cars prior to coming into school – thank you

Please can we ask that you park with consideration to our neighbours, and do not park outside Church (unless you require a disabled space), on The Cobbles or on the front loop of school.

Parking is available not only at The Bells, but also at the rear of school on the car park area, however, please do not park in front of the playground gate in case we require access for an emergency vehicle – thank you for your cooperation.

Year 5 – Entrepreneur Day – Tuesday 17th December

Year 5 children have had a busy week preparing for next week's entrepreneur day.

If any Year 5 parents are attending, please sign in and take a visitors sticker from the main entrance. We do ask that you depart by 10.40am, back via the main entrance, so the children can have their morning break – thank you

There will be a number of stalls, such as: Art and crafts, Cake, Sweets, Penalty shootout, Second hand toy/book, Lucky dip, Jewellery. School have committed £100 to fund the items, now their challenge is to try and make a profit for school!!

Each year group will have a timeslot on 17th December to come and attend the mini-Christmas market, if they wish. If you would like your child to participate, please can they bring some cash into school on that day. Items will cost from 50p upwards.

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Vocal Coaching Club (Mr Stannard) – Concert 16th December

A reminder, due to the upcoming concert, **there will be no Vocal Coaching Club on Monday 16th December** to allow time to get to Sandbach.

Tickets are available online in advance from Eventim, or exact cash / card on the door.

Sandbach Boys' School, CW11 3NS

6.15pm children arrive

7.30pm concert starts

P.E Lessons

Monday 16th & Tuesday 17th December

A reminder there will be no P.E in school for any year group on either Monday 16th or Tuesday 17th December, due to Christmas rehearsals & performances. Please can all children wear their uniforms to school and not PE kits on these two days – thank you

Last Day of Term - Friday 20th December

For the last day of term, children are able to wear their own clothes. Please could you ensure that clothing and shoes are appropriate for school (no cropped tops please), hair is tied up and no make-up or jewellery is worn – thank you.

Please do not send children in with any games or toys as class teachers have activities for the children.

Normal end of day collection times will also apply.

Sports Coaching Group (SCG) Christmas Holiday Club

SCG are running a holiday club if any parent requires childcare over the Christmas period. The nearest venues are Chelford, Holmes Chapel and St Wilfrid's in Northwich. Please see the flyer on the school website for more information.

To kick off the festive season, all the multi-sport and HAF clubs will feature a special Christmas Party Day on Monday 23rd December. This includes craft competitions, party games, festive food, a glow-in-the-dark disco, and a special visit from Santa or their very own Tommy the Tiger!

Paid Club Booking Link: https://www.sportscoachinggroup.co.uk/holiday-clubs

Additionally, there is an offer for **FREE HAF Holiday Clubs**, funded by Cheshire East, for children eligible for income-related free school meals. These clubs provide an excellent opportunity for families who may not otherwise be able to access holiday

SCG HAF Booking Page: https://eequ.org/sportscoachinggroup

If you have any questions or encounter any issues with booking, please contact SCG on 01270 449770 or via email at holidays@sportscoachinggroup.co.uk

Poppy Appeal

We have been informed that we raised £366.12 for the Poppy Appeal last month, with our district raising an incredible £28,318.00. Thank you for your support.



Reception 2025 Intake - Applications

The deadline for applying for a Reception 2025 place is 15th January 2025. Please ensure your applications are submitted in advance of this deadline.

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Food Bank Donations - 18th December

Please remember to bring in a Food Bank donation in return for a Christmas 'surprise' in school next Wednesday 18th December (see the WhatsApp flyer for more details)

Family Disco 8th February

We are planning a family disco at Plumley Village Hall on Saturday 8th February so please save the date!

Your School Lottery

Play the Schools Lottery for your chance to win cash prizes at the same time as raising money for the school. https://www.yourschoollottery.co.uk/#offer-home-block

Instagram: Friends of Lower Peover School Facebook: Lower Peover Primary School Mums email:flpscommittee@gmail.com

Collective Worship

We have altered our Collective Worship assembly on a Friday morning. Parents are still very welcome to join us.

We have replaced our Praise Assembly with a Collective Worship service which will be a reflection of the worships held throughout the week.

As well as the reflection service, one child from each year group will share a piece of work. We will still present our Star Vision, Attendance Recognition & Sport Achievement certificates where applicable.

Team dojo winners will also still be announced!

We have also scheduled some services to take place in Church, these will be communicated within this section.

We do encourage a calm atmostphere in school, particularly in Collective Worship and ask that parents attending remain quiet when the children come into the hall – thank you for your cooperation.

Friday 20th December - NO COLLECTIVE WORSHIP

Please note: There is no Collective Worship in school when Church services take place.

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Weekly Attendance Winning Year Group - Reception

Reception: 97.93%

Year1: 93.67% Year 2: 94.81% Year 3: 96.67% Year 4: 95.15% Year 5: 96.25% Year 6: 97.10%

Whole School: 95.93%

Congratulations to Reception for winning the weekly attendance on four occasions.

Mr Bradley will arrange a reward in school for the children.

Forest School Rota 2024-25

To comply with our risk assessment, all children must wear suitable <u>outdoor</u> clothes (long sleeve tops & long trousers/leggings – no football kits) plus, <u>outdoor</u> shoes (please bring shoes to change into).

Hair must be tied up.

If incorrect clothing is worn, unfortunately, children will be unable to take part in the session.

Friday 20th December – No Forest School

Friday 10th January 2025 – Year 1

Friday 17th January - Year 5

Friday 24th January – Year 4

Friday 31st January – Year 3

Friday 7th February – Year 2

Friday 14th February - Reception

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Weekly Awards

Children are awarded individual stickers (see below) if they demonstrate any of our new values of Love, Wisdom, and Respect, throughout the week. A Vision Star certificate will be presented during Friday's Collective Worship. Dojo's will be awarded for team points.







Dojo Weekly Team Points

Points rolled over to next week

Sport Achievement Certificates awarded to

Charlotte (Y3) & Olivia (Y1)

Vision Stars

Vision Stars for this week and next will be announced in next week's newsletter

After School Clubs

Spring 1 Half Term 2025 (06.01.25 to 13.02.25 inclusive)

Day	Club	No of places	Cost	Staff	Year Group(s)	INFORMATION
Monday	Jewellery	Max. 14	£4.50 per child per week	Miss Haslam	Years 3 & 4	Fully Booked
Monday	Vocal Coaching Club		£38 per half term	Mr Stannard	Years 2-6 inclusive (confident Y1 welcome)	Please contact Mr Stannard directly on jstannard@lowerpeover.cheshire.sch.uk NO CLUB ON 16 ^{TR} DECEMBER
Tuesday	Choir (Young Voices)	Max. 45	£20 for all rehearsals	Mrs Maddock	Years 3 – 6 inc	Club resumes 7 th January to 28 th January 2025 inc only. Concert Date: 06.02.25
Wednesday	SATS Boosters	Whole Class	n/a	Mr Haslam	Year 6	This club will run every Wednesday from 8 th January until the SATS tests in May. Any changes to this will be communicated separately
Thursday	Band		£38 per half term	Mr Stannard	Years 2-6 inclusive	Please contact Mr Stannard directly on jstannard@lowerpeover.cheshire.sch.uk
Thursday	Breathe & Meditation	Max. 20	£4.50 per child per week	External provider – Vicki Dean	Years 3, 4, 5 & 6	1 place available

Please note – All clubs will commence the first week back after any half term break <u>unless otherwise communicated</u>.

All clubs will run unless you receive a separate communication regarding cancellation

Please ensure you have paid on ParentPay to secure your place request(s)

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Sports Coaching Group After School Clubs Spring 1 Half Term 2025 (06.01.25 – 14.02.25 inclusive)

Day	Year Groups	Activity
Monday	3 – 6 inclusive	Handball
Tuesday	Rec, 1 & 2	Target Games
Wednesday	Rec, 1 & 2	Basketball
Thursday	3- 6 inclusive	Tag Rugby
Friday	All year groups	Try Something New

The system is live to take bookings. Please use the link below. Spring 1 Half Term: https://sports-coaching-group.classforkids.io/term/804

Please note - All clubs will commence the first week back after any half term break unless otherwise communicated.

All clubs will run unless you receive a separate communication regarding cancellation

Dates, Events & Information 2024-25 Academic year

Autumn 2 Half Term 2024

- Monday 16th & Tuesday 17th December No P.E
- Tuesday 17th December Key Stage 2 Christmas Production to **Year 5 & 6 parents only** (in Church approx 9am)
- Tuesday 17th December Year 5 Entrepreneur Day (following Christmas service)
- Wednesday 18th December Reception Parents Stay & Play (2pm onwards)
- Thursday 19th December Key Stage 2 Christmas Production to **Years 3 & 4 parents only** (in Church approx 9am)
- Friday 20th December Paul Storey Magician (Rec, Years 1 & 2 only)
- Friday 20th December Last Day of Term

Spring 1 Half Term 2025

- Monday 6th January First Day of Term
- Thursday 23rd January Year 4 Class Assembly & Classroom visit (9am in the hall) Thursday 30th January Year 5 Class Assembly & Classroom visit (9am in the hall)
- Thursday 6th February YV Concert (Co-Op Arena)
- Tuesday 11th February Reception Parents Stay & Play (2pm onwards)
- Wedensday 12th Feburary Year 6 Class Trip Quarry Bank Mill
- Thursdaay 13th February Year 1 Class Assembly & Classroom visit (9am in the hall)
- Friday 14th February Last Day of Term

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