

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER
3.10.25

Headteacher message:

Hope everyone survives the storm OK over the weekend!

Thanks to everyone for taking note of safer parking around school; we've seen some good improvements of late. Can I still remind people that **you should not be parking on the double yellow lines, the yellow zig zags or anywhere where there are cones put out.** Thanks.

Few other reminders:

- With 'back to school germs' setting in, don't forget that **your child is fine to come to school if they have just got a bit of a sniffle**. Every day counts and the best place for children to be is in school if they are fit and able!

- In the interests of everyone's safety, please ensure that **children are not running on the playground after school, especially if they are on the astroturf part of the KS2 equipment.** We're happy to let children let off a bit of steam after school climbing on the equipment but - please - we ask that you ensure they are **not running around**. Thanks.

- It's **Hello Yellow Day next Friday** - details to follow in this newsletter about how we are supporting this very worthwhile mental health cause.

Have a great weekend.

Mr M Quigley





If you would like to read the Parish's newsletter, please follow this link:
https://www.stgregoryspreston.org.uk/newsletter/

Upcoming Dates

6 MON	
7 TUE	
8 WED	School Mass Year 2 (10:15am)
9 THU	Rock Steady 8.45–11.00am
10 FRI	Hello Yellow Day

WEEKLY ATTENDANCE



RECEPTION	97.93%
YEAR 1	96.45%
YEAR 2	96.72%
YEAR 3	97.65%
YEAR 4	97.67%
YEAR 5	99.33%
YEAR 6	96.67%
WHOLE SCHOOL	97.49%



ATTENDANCE OF THE WEEK:

YEAR 5

Headteacher Award

KS1	Sultan in Y2 for settling into his new school brilliantly!
KS2	Ella in Y3 for settling into her new school brilliantly!

WEEKLY AWARDS	SPELLING SHED	MATHS SHED
Key Stage 1	Ayman	Ayman
Lower Key Stage 2	Farhan	Ayleen
Upper Key Stage 2	Alex	Logan-Jon

WEEKLY AWARDS – EXCELLENT EXAMPLE

Reception	Ali
Year 1	Haris
Year 2	Muhammed
Year 3	Ella
Year 4	Amelia
Year 5	Hallie
Year 6	Charlotte

WEEKLY AWARDS – SUPERSKILL

Reception	Haziq for showing resilience by being brave coming into school.
Year 1	Regan for showing empathy to his friends and checking on them when they are sad.
Year 2	Charlie for being a peacemaker and trying to make people feel happy!
Year 3	Precious for showing resilience in all her work.
Year 4	Mylah for resilience and bravery when running for school council
Year 5	Harry for excellent problem solving in Maths this week.
Year 6	Toju for excellent creativity in his story.

WEEKLY AWARDS – BEST BOOK

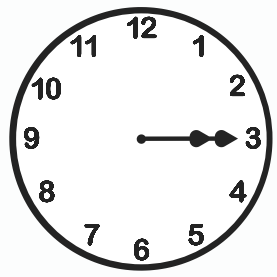
Reception	Aydin for being a great minister when role playing a Baptism.
Year 1	Rosie for an excellent understanding of God visible and invisible gifts.
Year 2	Damilola for a fantastic letter about how we can be 'Stewards of Creation'
Year 3	Weronika for a wonderful canticle praising Creation.
Year 4	Distinguish for showing deep understanding of God's covenant with Abraham.
Year 5	Eshal for making links with the Ten Commandments and what was said in Matthew's Gospel about the greatest commandment of law.
Year 6	Amira for making links with the Ten Commandments and what was said in Matthew's Gospel about the greatest commandment of law.

SCHOOL COUNCIL MEMBERS



Year 1: Ammarah and Zach
Year 2: Fatimah-Zahra and Muhammed
Year 3: Isabella and Archie
Year 4: Mylah and Violet
Year 5: Hallie and Aaliyah
Year 6: Beth, Ava and Logan W

LATE COLLECTION



We understand that traffic can sometimes make it difficult to get to school right on time for the 3:15pm pickup.

However, from Monday, any child who is not collected by 3:20pm will be taken to the After-School Club (collect from front of hall door on Blackpool Road).

If children are not collected by 3:25pm, the session charge will apply.

Thank you!

HELLO YELLOW DAY
FRIDAY 10TH OCTOBER

We are asking all pupils to wear **yellow** (as little or as much as they want) and to bring a donation of **50p**.

There will be lots of activities throughout the day to help children with their mental health and wellbeing !

There is also going to be a cake sale! We ask if children could please bring in cakes that are '**yellow themed**' to sell on the day. The cake sale is going to take place at break time.

Please send some change in with your child on that day if they wish to purchase any cakes, cakes will be 30p each. All money raised on this day will be donated to The Young Minds Charity who support children and young people with their Mental Health.





OCTOBER DISCO

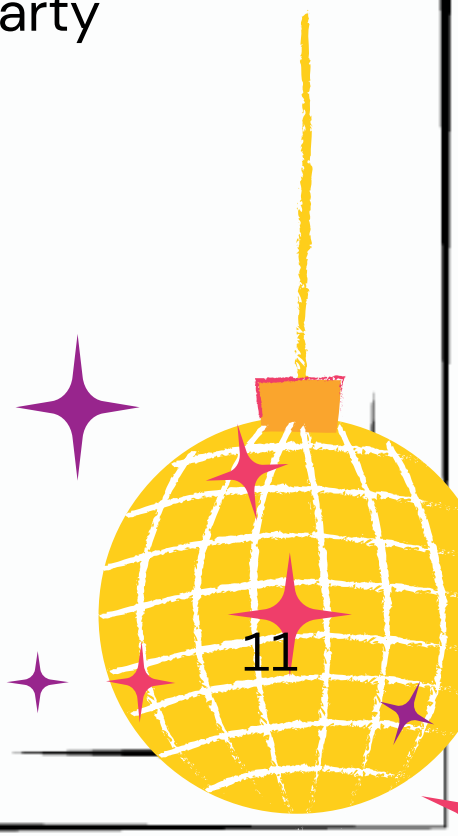
Thursday 23rd October

KS1: 4.30-5.30 (doors open from 4.15pm)

KS2: 6.00-7.00 (doors open from 5.45pm)

Tickets are £3.00 this includes a DJ, cake, drinks and a party bag to take home. (NO cash is needed on the night)

Tickets will be available from the 8th of October (please bring cash to give to the class teacher).



SCHOOL MEALS

LCC -who provide our meals- has reviewed the cost of school meals in response to rising food inflation costs and asked us to change our charges; if we could charge less we would, but this is the way of the world at the moment unfortunately!



As a result, school meals will increase to **£2.90 per day (£14.50 per week) from September 2025.**

Thanks for your understanding when paying a little more for these healthy, nutritious meals!

BREAKFAST CLUB & AFTER SCHOOL CLUB

We would like to remind you that to secure your child's place at St Gregory's Breakfast Club, **bookings and payments must be made in advance.**



Breakfast club runs from 7:45am - 8:45am (£3.50 per session) & After school club runs from 3:15pm - 5:15pm (£7 per session).

A range of fun activities is on offer along with a variety of healthy drinks and snacks.

Please get in touch if you plan to use the tax-free childcare service or Universal Credit. We will send over instructions regarding the payment option on Parent Pay.

Should you have any questions or need assistance with bookings or payments, please don't hesitate to contact the school office.