

# N E W S L E T T E R

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### 5<sup>th</sup> October 2018

#### **Headteacher Message**

Over the course of this term it has been a pleasure to see children fully embracing and promoting our new school values. At Partington Central Academy we have 10 school values that are the building blocks of our culture and set the tone for our expectations as a school. The 10 school values are respect, resilience, aspiration, independence, honesty, tolerance, curiosity, cooperation, courage and compassion. These values help to guide our pupils to make good decisions and develop into confident, assertive and responsible citizens with high self-esteem and ambitious goals. We are proud to see our pupils demonstrating these values on a daily basis and representing us so well. They are committed to improving the school as well as supporting the local and national community. This can be seen by their contributions at recent fundraising events for national charities such as MacMillan Cancer Support and collections for the local food bank.



Anita Edwards Executive Headteacher

#### Well done!

| <u>Attendance</u><br>Week Ending 5.10.18 |     |
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| R  | 98% |
| Year 1                                   | 97% |
| Year 2                                   | 96% |
| Year 3                                   | 97% |
| Year 4                                   | 98% |
| Year 5                                   | 97% |
| Year 6                                   | 96% |
| Whole<br>School<br>(weekly)              | 97% |
| Whole<br>School<br>(Sept to<br>date)     | 97% |
| Target 96.2%                             |     |

#### **KEEPING US BETTER INFORMED**

Sometimes we struggle getting through to parents as mobile numbers change so frequently. As a way to encourage collecting up-to-date contact information – we are trialling a new approach here at PCA. A copy of this leaflet has been given to all pupils to take home. All forms are to be returned to the school office asap and all parents who complete and return the forms will be entered into a prize draw worth £20!

We hope this approach might generate some interest in keeping us better informed.

Many thanks for your continued help.

## **Terrific Time Keepers**

The winners this week are IKO, 3SI, 4CW, 6CB & 6LP.

What an achievement! Well Done!



#### DATES FOR YOUR DIARY 8th October

Last day to hand photos into school 8th—12th October Road Safety Week 9th October 'Slow Down for Bobby assembly' 11th October @ 3.15pm Robinwood Parents Meeting 15th October Harvest Festival assemblies **16th October** Parents Evening 17th-19th October Y5 Robinwood Trip 19th October Finish for Half Term @ 3.05pm

#### BOOK YOUR PLACES FOR PARENTS EVENING

Please book your parent's evening appointments as soon as possible. This will take place on *Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> October* Thank you.

# **Believe Achieve Succeed**



Week beginning Monday 8th October is Road Safety week. Children will be completing activities in school and taking part in a competition to design a banner for our school fence. On Tuesday 9th October the author of SUPERBOB and part of the Slow Down Bobby campaign is coming into to deliver a special assembly. All our children (except Nursery will attend this assembly and we would like to invite all parents/guardians to come along and join in too! We'd love to see as many of you as possible supporting this event. The details of the assemblies are as follows: 11.15am Key Stage 1 -

11.15am Key Stage 1 – Reception, Year 1 & 2 11.45am Key Stage 2 Years 3- 6

#### **SLOW DOWN FOR BOBBY -SUPERBOB!** Have you returned your slip with the correct money in an envelope? Deadline to pre-order your books is Monday 8th October. tu Flu Vaccinations for **Reception – Year 5** $\odot$ GET These are booked in YOUR for the morning of FLU 15<sup>th</sup> November. SHOT! We still have a lot of forms yet to be

We still have a lot of forms yet to be returned. If you haven't yet returned your child's vaccination form please hand it in to the school office. Thank you.

#### A POLITE NOTE TO PARENTS

At the Early Years entrance the school gate will now be locked from 3.45pm as we have a number of children in after school clubs. Also can parents please be aware that under **no circumstances** should you be cutting through the school to get to the front reception/main office area. This is a Safeguarding concern

particularly when we have children in school at various clubs.



An assembly for Harvest Festival will take place at 9.15am on Monday 15<sup>th</sup> October. This will be led by KS2 children and parents are invited to attend.

#### Hamilton Davis Cub

Well done to our Year 6 boys football team who played 7 undefeated matches. They only conceded 2 goals throughout the whole tournament. Sadly the only game they lost was in the final with a 0-1. We're so proud of you all!

#### Have you visited our website recently?

It is vital that we keep you up-to-date with important communications relating to your child at the school and our website should be your first reference for any questions you may have. It has more latest news, helpful information and lots, lots more! Visit: partingtoncentral academy.co.uk/ latest news

We had great fun in our Afterschool Club this week! There are always lots of activities taking place during these sessions. The children

are provided with a drink and snack. The cost is £3.90/hr with families with more than one child receiving a 50% discount. The club runs up to 2 hours from 3.05pm – 5.05pm. Can we please remind parents that children need to be picked up at 3.05pm. If you are late picking up they will be put into this club at a cost of £3.90, as safeguarding your children is our priority.

# 🛠 OUR STARS OF THE WEEK ☆

REB — Sadie Bell & Cruz Prophet REC — Olivia Gilmore & Darren Grimshaw IKO — Chester Deay & Beau Lill 1AV — Taylor Callaghan & Zachary Keevney 2SJ — Grant Taylor & Grace Waller 2HW — Oliver Morritt & Scarlet Croft 3SI — Poppy May Hobson & Bella Moran 3NW — Max Stanmore & Emilia Duncan Hobson 4CT — Joshua Pinfield & Luke Dooley 4CW — Fatou Wade & Grace Berry 5AF — Grace Booth & Lilly Mae Knowles 5LA — Chloe Case & Sam Jones 6LP — Chloe Alexander & Harrison Doherty 6CB — Ashton Peggs & Alfie Wood

#### **Congratulations!**

We would like to extend our congratulations and a warm welcome to Mrs Ryan and Mrs Bridden who have worked with us for a number of weeks and have now been appointed as teaching assistants in the school. We know they will be a great asset to the school and will strengthen our team.

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