



Park Community Academy



1 April 2016

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"Outstanding Employer of the Year" Award for PCA!

We were delighted to receive the above award from GP Strategies in recognition of our outstanding employee development and training investment for our 3 current Young Apprentices Miss Healey, Miss Bradley and Miss Wrigglesworth, along with Miss Hanlon who also completed her Young Apprenticeship training with us last year, and is now a permanent member of our support staff. PCA has a strong tradition for growing and

developing our own staff and it is great to see this quality recognised by an outside agency!



Key Stage 1

1H have had a fantastic term so as a reward they let off steam at the new Bispham bounce centre.

They had fun bouncing, climbing and crawling through the different inflatable environments.



Key Stage 2



Select Carpets on Vicarage Lane, Blackpool have been very generous in supplying PCA with artificial

'Easylawn' grass for free. Here is 2R saying a big thank you. www.selectcarpetsblackpool.com

KS1 & 2 Stars of the Week!

- 1R - Louie for playing nicely with others.
- 1H - Rio for being sensible and kind to his friends all week.
- 2B - Harry E for fantastic work in French.
- 2R - Aaron for fantastic swimming this week.
- 2N - Nathan B for excellent achievement in English and good speaking in class.
- 2S - Corey for amazing spelling work.

Easter Activities

Sport Blackpool - Monday 11th - Friday 22nd April.
Full day: 8.30am - 5.30pm, Half day: 8.30am - 12.30pm or 1.30pm - 5.30pm. £15.00 per day.
Book online at sportblackpool.co.uk or phone 01253 478474.

Together Centre - contact on 01253 476322.

Stay and Play - Wednesday 20th April, 1.30 - 3.00pm. Meet other families at the centre while your children play in a safe and friendly environment.

Sensory Messy Play - Friday 22nd April, 10.00 - 11.30am at Woodlands School hall. Children can explore their senses through messy play activities.

The Best Class Attendance of the Week CONGRATULATIONS



to 4Jo who had 100% attendance this week.

Weekly Attendance - Our whole school attendance target for 2015-16 is 95%. The average weekly attendance this week is 95%

Monthly Attendance for March - 95%

Key Stage 3 'Achiever of the Week'

- 3I - Katie for improved lining up with 3I at the end of break and dinner.
- 3H - Paul for practising and getting full marks on his spelling test.
- 3T - Louis B for being FABULOUS at being a new big brother.
- 3L - Philip for making mature decisions and choosing to be helpful.
- 3F - Jade D for excellent work in computing.

Key Stage 3

Maddison in 3T has written an excellent report about Life360, which is a family networking app. Well done!

Maddison's Report on Life360



Life360 runs on your mobile device to allow you to view your family members on a map, communicate with them, and receive alerts when they arrive home from school or work. On your way to school you open up the app and put it in to sleep mode and let it run in the background. Your mum or dad will get a notification to tell them you have arrived safely. It shows where you are going and you can add emergency contacts. And you can add family members too.

Plus you can keep your iPad safe by adding it as a family member so you can track it down if it goes missing.

Overall I think this is a good app to have on your phone. Because I am an independent traveller it makes me feel safe.

Key Stage 4

Our second round of work experience has begun this week; it's 4J's turn to spend 2 weeks in a work place.



All pupils are having a fantastic time learning new skills.



Here is Sophie and Summer at Farmer Parrs just before the animal show.

Sign of the Week

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GROW
DEVELOP



HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO THE BIRTHDAY BOYS!

Happy Birthday Mr Jones who is 50 today and Ryan who is 9 on Sunday.



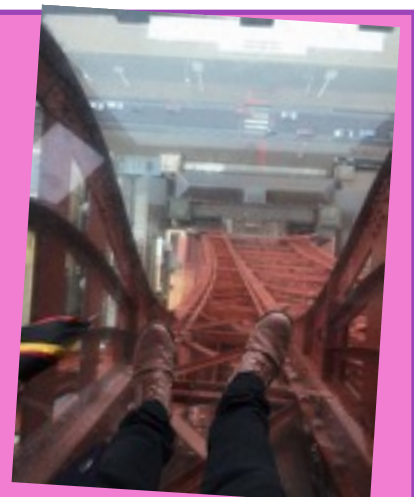
KS4/5 'Achiever of the Week'

- 4Jo - Jordan L for being helpful.
- 4G - Damian for trying his best in everything.
- 4J - Erin for her efforts with work experience.
- 5S - Sophie B and Mrs Houghton for excellent ballroom dancing at the Tower.

Key Stage 5

Guess whose feet these are and where they are standing...

...a very nervous Mr Shanagher at the top of Blackpool Tower!!!



Dates for your Diary

- Friday 8 April - School closes for Spring Term.
- Monday 25 April - School re-opens for Summer Term.
- Monday 2 May - School closed for Bank Holiday.
- Friday 27 May - School closes for half term.
- Monday 6 June - School re-opens.