



Park Community Academy



16 November 2018

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Children In Need

PCA have had a fun filled day raising money for Children In Need. The children have donated money to wear non-uniform, there has been a cake sale, a Staff Bake Off, and a very entertaining assembly to 'FREE PUDSEY'. Thanks to all your generous donations we have already raised over £700 - but please keep your donations coming in.



Safeguarding Improvement

As PCA has rapidly expanded in recent years, it has become necessary to install a fob operated system in the main reception area to control movement and circulation around the building. Should you require access beyond the fob operated doors, please ask at reception. Thank you. *Mr Berry*



Lower Primary

As part of our learning about Children In Need, 1B have been learning a new song about Pudsey the Bear in Music.

The song is in a 'call and response' style so the children have had to listen very carefully for when it is their turn to sing. They even dressed up as rock stars to practice and perform our song!



Rewards Day

Today has been a very successful Rewards Day with a range of



activities available across the school for children to access, determined by their hard work and behaviour this term.

Activities included sports, cooking, construction and a visit to the Sea Life Centre.



Upper Primary

Some of our KS2 pupils got in the Strictly spirit as they performed at the Tower Ballroom last Friday. It was a Strictly themed



Dance Festival, which was part of the Change for Life programme. The children were all terrific and got a 10 from each of the judges!

Lower & Upper Primary Stars of the Week!

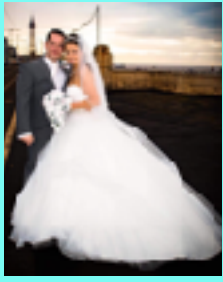
- 1R - Lucas for his enthusiasm during Science activities.
- 1H - Blake for his great dancing.
- 1B - Bentley for always being a really kind friend.
- 2B - Chloe-Jane for sensible behaviour all week.
- 2HY - Ollie for being extremely brave at swimming and going into the water fully to join in.
- 2BR - Louie for being helpful on his transport.
- 2G - Sam for working really hard in every subject especially Music and Drama.
- 2C - Brodie for trying really hard all week and showing an improved attitude towards learning.
- 2H - Jason for an improved motivation towards learning.

The Best Class Attendance of the Week

CONGRATULATIONS



to 2H and 3SL who had 100% attendance this week.
Weekly Attendance - Our whole school attendance target for 2018-19 is 95.5%. The average weekly attendance this week is 97.3%



CONGRATULATIONS!!

A massive congratulations to Mrs Clayton and her husband who got married at the weekend.

We wish them all the best in their future together.

The Gazette Education Awards

We are delighted to have been shortlisted for 'Primary School of the Year' in The Gazette Education Awards. The awards presentation evening will take place on **Monday 26th November, arriving 6.15pm for a 7pm start, at the Blackpool Tower Ballroom**. We would love children and their parents/carers to come and support Park Community Academy. There will be entertainment on the night and tickets are not required.

Key Stage 3

3SL have been looking at newspapers and researching articles in preparation for becoming journalists for a 'one off' KS3 newspaper, which will be published later this term.



Key Stage 4

4T demonstrated a great understanding of Positive and Negative Shape for their printmaking project this week. Maddison did particularly well to show how we can form the illusion of two different shapes after looking at how Tessellation patterns fit next to each other.



Key Stage 3 'Achiever of the Week'

- 3T - Matthew for improved communication in class.
- 3M - Nathan D for super comic writing in English.
- 3SL - Adrian for his fantastic signing with Miss Miller.
- 3GR - Katie for representing well at the Anti Bullying Conference.
- 3S - Victoria for an amazing dragon kite design in English.
- 3B - Jack M for making the right choices and getting it right all week.

KS4/5 'Achiever of the Week'

- 4H - Joe E for making better choices at break and lunchtimes.
- 4W - Chloe for fantastic Pudsey designs.
- 4M - Princess for an excellent verbal tour and description of her synagogue model as part of her Entry Level RE qualification this week.
- 4I - Nickayla for always trying her best.
- 4T - Philip for his fabulous answer in Travel and Tourism, reflecting GCSE standard work.
- 5S - Mirabelle for excellent acting skills at college.
- 5W - Molly for an incredibly positive attitude and great effort at Sport & Fitness Club.
- 5J - Rhyce for taking responsibility of his hearing aids.



Key Stage 5 (WSFC)

The Sixth Form students have been working hard at the Blackpool Carers Centre bringing back to life some overgrown areas.

Dates for your Diary

- Thursday 13 December, 1.30pm** - Lower Primary Christmas Nativity
- Friday 14 December, 1.30pm** - Upper Primary Christmas Play 'Children of the World'
- Tuesday 18 December** - Primary Christmas Dinner
- Thursday 20 December** - Secondary Christmas Dinner
- Friday 21 December, 10am** - Christmas Carol Service (parents/carers invited)
- Friday 21 December, 2pm** - End of Autumn Term
- Tuesday 8 January** - Start of Spring Term

PCA Twitter Feed @ParkSchoolBPL

This week PCA have tweeted about the Anti Bullying Ambassadors attending the annual Anti Bullying Conference, the Royal Shakespeare Club acting out Romeo and Juliet at The Grand Theatre and much more! Follow us on Twitter to keep right up to date about life at PCA!

PAN Ability Football

PAN Ability Football sessions are available for young people with a disability or an impairment at Playfootball.net, Garstang Road, FY3 7JH. Call 01253 348691 for more information.

- Adult age 16+ every Thursday 7-8pm term time only at £1 per session.
- Junior age 8-18 years every Thursday 4.30-5.30pm term time only at £3 per session.