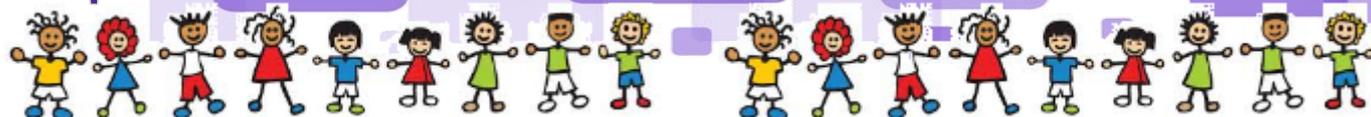


# Park Road



14 September 2018

# NEWSLETTER



## Next Week at a Glance

Monday 17	Tuesday 18	Wednesday 19	Thursday 20	Friday 21
* Week 1 Menu	*	* 3.30—5.15 Meet the Teacher sessions (as per letter sent out)	* 3.15 pm Egg Raffle tickets on sale	* Non Uniform Day in exchange for Chocolate

### Headboy and Headgirl

We are pleased to announce this year's Headboy, Headgirl and Team Captains.

Headboy:	Lewis Platt
Headgirl:	Macie York
Saxon Team Captain:	Josh Butler
Viking Team Captain:	Hannah Ainscough
Greek Team Captain:	Kristian Tsotsos
Roman Team Captain:	Ellie Ramsbottom

Congratulations to everyone, we are sure you will all continue to make us very proud!

### Non Uniform Day for Chingo Chocolate

On Friday 21 September, your child may choose to come dressed in their own clothes but in exchange for this, they need to give a chocolate donation for the Pride Welcome Chingo on Thursday 27 September. If your child doesn't want to take part, they can come in their school uniform as usual. Please do check that items are still in date before donating. Thank you for your support!

### Chicken Rota

We will be sending home a request for help with looking after our chickens at the weekend and during the holidays. Full training will be given and emergency contact numbers will be available! Tasks include letting the chickens out in the morning, cleaning the coop, getting fresh water and topping up food. As a thank you, you are able to keep any eggs laid!

### Alice in Wonderland—amendment

Just to confirm the Seesaw message earlier this week, Alice in Wonderland day is on Friday 12 October.

### PFA's Welcome Chingo

If you fancy a fun evening that all of the family can enjoy, then come along to PFA for Park Road's Chocolate Bingo 'Chingo'!

There are 6 games of bingo and every prize is chocolate! There are refreshments available and plenty of chocolate for all.

The doors open at 5pm and the fun gets underway at 5.30 pm on Thursday 27 September and finishes around 7pm. Entry tickets are 50p per person and there is a limit of 120 tickets due to the hall's capacity so make sure you are quick to request yours so that you don't miss out!

The bingo tickets are purchased on the night for £1 per book of 6 games or you can purchase a full strip of 6 games for the bargain price of £5. Raffle tickets are on sale too so you can win even more chocolate!

All of the money raised goes towards projects to enhance the children's education at Park Road. It is a great, family fun evening so the PFA hope to see you there! You can book your place by completing the form at the end of the newsletter or writing your details on a slip of paper and returning it to school as soon as possible—your tickets will be sent home the next school day in your child's bookbag.

## Stick insects

We are very pleased to welcome baby stick insects to school! Mrs Robinson has done such an amazing job of looking after our stick insects over summer that we now have 8 babies. From our 5 original stick insects, we still have Knuckles, Fig, Slim and Kiki but unfortunately Herbert died this week.



## Class Representatives

This year we will be continuing Parent Class Representative. The Class Representatives meet regularly (usually once per term) with Mrs Parkinson so if you have any general comments that you would like them to discuss, please let them know. Remember if it is a specific query rather than general, please contact the school directly.

The role of a Class Rep is to facilitate communication between parents and the school. This means that new ideas can be discussed and opinions sought from parents then fed back from the school. Being a Class Rep doesn't mean you are expected to do everything. You do not need to feel that you have a duty to be spokesperson for an issue raised by another parent. Politely suggest the appropriate route for that communication.

The Class Rep could even co-ordinate a class contact list that could be, with the permission of parents involved, circulated amongst parents. This would help for general contacts, arranging nights out, arranging parties or even Christmas cards. This is information that the school is not able to give out. All helping to build a solid school community!

Thank you to all of our reps for their hard work last year: Mrs Thomas, Mrs Walker-Wiggans, Mrs Rowe-Blackman, Mrs Micallef, Mrs Driver and Ms Davies.

If you would be interested in taking on a role as Parent Class Representative, please fill in the tear off slip at the end of the newsletter or write a note containing the same information and return it to the school office. We would welcome all applications—if you have been a Parent Class Rep in the past or not!

## Carol's Corner

Next week we are on week 1 of our menus. Ham and cheese pasta bake, paninis, roast dinner, macaroni cheese, chicken korma, pork sausages, fish, cheese flan, spaghetti bolognese and gammon are the main choices. Jacket potatoes are also available daily with a choice of fillings.

Desserts include orange sorbet, blueberry cake, cookies and jelly. Fresh fruit, crackers and cheese and Soreen loaf are available daily. We also offer unlimited fresh salad and wholemeal bread.

Miss Barmer will be testing me on Friday to see if I have remembered all of the new reception children's names!

A reminder that snack menus should be completed fully for every day your child orders a snack as the days are separated so if you don't write the name on, they won't know it is theirs! Please see the example menu below as any incomplete menus will be returned home.



SNACK ORDER SHEET  
Please complete all white sections and return the sheet on Thursday, together with payment in a clearly labelled envelope. Thank you.

Week Commencing:  DATE:

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Toast 25p				
Crumpet 25p				
Fruit* 30p (Please write amount)				
Milk 10p				
Apple Juice 25p				
Orange Juice 25p				
Special Offer Jelly of hour and 1 portion of juice - 40p	Special Offer Jelly of hour and 1 portion of juice - 40p	Special Offer Jelly of hour and 1 portion of juice - 40p	Special Offer Jelly of hour and 1 portion of juice - 40p	Special Offer Jelly of hour and 1 portion of juice - 40p
Special Offer Apple Orange				
Total: £2.27				

\*If choosing Fruit, please note your choice from apple (A), banana (B), tangerine (T) or grapes (G)

Have a lovely weekend

Carol  
Carol the Cook

**PENKETH HIGH SCHOOL**  
"High expectations, outstanding young people"

**OPEN EVENING**  
Wednesday 10th October 6pm - 8pm

**TOUR WEEK**  
Monday 15th - 19th October 2018

Book a tour with a member of the Leadership team, available each morning.  
Penketh High School, Heath Road, Warrington, WA5 2BY  
Tel: 01925 722298 Email: tours@penketh.warrington.sch.uk

### Harvest Festival

We have decided to collect food for St Joseph's Family Centre as we did last year. They have asked for items such as pasta, pasta sauces, tinned fish and meat, rice, breakfast cereals, long life milk, tinned vegetables, soup, tinned fruit, tinned puddings, sandwich paste, jelly blocks, chocolates and sweets. Please could we ask that you check the use by dates and only send in food with longer shelf-lives as St Joseph's need time to sort out and distribute all of the items. Chocolate and 'treat items' would be welcome to include in their Christmas boxes for vulnerable families.

Every Christmas St Joseph's Family Centre provides vulnerable Warrington families with a Christmas Food and Toy Hamper. Last year they helped over 300 families - this number rises year on year. Without these hampers, these families may not have a Christmas dinner or presents. **Unfortunately, they are very short on food supplies this year. Any donations of non-perishable food goods would be greatly appreciated!**

We will start collecting food from Monday next week so please send in any items whenever you can and leave it in the trolley in the playground (the children can bring it in for morning drop off, hand it to the teachers on the gate or you can drop it off at afternoon pick up) —don't forget to check the dates!

### Newsletters

It is important that we have an up to date email address for parents/carers as this is the way that we send out our newsletters. For the first few weeks, we will send out a hard copy to our new Reception class parents/carers until we are sure they are receiving the emails. If for any reason you do not receive an email copy of the newsletter, please complete the slip below and return it to the school office.

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### Parent Class Representative

I would be interested in becoming a Parent Class Representative for \_\_\_\_\_ class.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact details: \_\_\_\_\_

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### Newsletter Email Address

I did not receive a newsletter this weekend via email and would like you to check that my email address is correct in the system:

Parent/carer's name \_\_\_\_\_ Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/carer's name \_\_\_\_\_ Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

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### Chingo Tickets (please return in clearly marked, securely sealed envelope)

I would like \_\_\_\_\_ tickets at 50p each for the Pride Welcome Chingo on Thursday 27 September at 5 pm (children must be accompanied by an adult)

I enclose £ \_\_\_\_\_ cash / cheque (payable to PRIDE for Park Road School)

Please return my tickets to

Child's name \_\_\_\_\_ Class \_\_\_\_\_

Signed Parent/guardian's name \_\_\_\_\_