



Pownall Green Newsletter

25th September 2026

Diary Dates

OCTOBER 2026

- **1st** - Year 3 children taking part in a UV ray experiment. Please send your child in with sunglasses and clearly labelled with their name.
- **6th** - PTA Meeting 7.30pm
- **6th** - KS2 Author Visit in the afternoon
- **7th** - PTA Disco (see flyer below for more details)
- **13th** - Year 2P trip to the Mosque
- **14th-16th** - Year 5 Castleton Trip
- **20th** - Children's Individual and sibling photographs
- **22nd** - Year 2G trip to the Mosque

NOVEMBER 2026

- **2nd** - Children back to school
- **3rd** - Parents Evening - 3.40pm - 6.30pm
- **4th** - Children's Flu Vaccinations
- **11th** - PTA AGM (Zoom)
- **12th** - Parents Evening - 3.40pm - 6.30pm
- **26th** - Open Morning (parents to come into school to look at their children's work) 8.30am - 9.00am
- **27th** - PTA Christmas Markets

DECEMBER 2026

- **3rd** - KS1 Christmas Production to parents - 10.00am
- **3rd** - PTA Wreath Making Evening (See flyer below for details)
- **4th** - KS1 Christmas Production to parents - 10.00am
- **8th** - Christmas Concert - Years 4 and 6 - 7.00pm - 8.00pm
- **9th** - Christmas Concert - Years 3 and 5 - 7.00pm - 8.00pm
- **14th** - EYFS Xmas Event for children and parents - 2.00pm
- **15th** - Whole School Panto
- **16th** - Whole School Christmas Lunch for children
- **17th** - Class Parties
- **18th** - School closes for Christmas Holidays

Please note any future changes will be highlighted in red



Head Teacher News

Another week has flown by and I feel very settled and happy here at Pownall Green. I have observed many positive aspects to the school and getting to know the children has been a pleasure.

Thank you for your engagement with the Communications questionnaire.

We have received 129 responses and some very useful feedback. I am meeting with the admin team on Monday to discuss how we can improve our systems further; this will be shared with you next week.

Over the past few weeks I have been focusing on lunchtime behaviour, ensuring that the children are calm and safe both in the dining area and the playgrounds. I am pleased to say that the strategies put in place have already made a positive impact. We are in the process of implementing 4 Behaviour Values that are simple and easy to understand. This week I have talked to the children about our first new value “Be Safe”.

I wish you all an enjoyable weekend.

This week our Golden Children are:

1P

Frank, you are golden! You have been such an excellent role model in 1P because you are always ready to listen and learn. I am so impressed with the time and care you are taking to improve your letter formation. Well done Frank!

1G

Fletcher, you have settled into Year 1 amazingly! You always come into school full of enthusiasm and are ready to learn. You follow instructions carefully and are so eager to be a positive role model to your peers through your wonderful behaviour. Well done Fletcher, keep on shining!

2P

Emily you are golden this week for the wonderful attitude you have shown towards your learning. You have followed instructions carefully, completed some super work and shared great ideas. Well done Emily, keep up the fabulous attitude to year 2 life!

2G

Lana is golden this week for demonstrating the Golden Value 'We include everyone'. Lana is always checking that other children have someone to play with on the playground, and during group tasks she makes sure that everyone has a turn. Well done Lana, you are a star!

3P

Yannis is golden this week and every week! She is respectful towards everyone in the school community and always works to the best of her ability. She is an excellent role model and we are very proud of how she has settled into year 3. Well done!

3G

Charlie T is golden! Charlie, you have made a fantastic start to Year 3. You are trying so hard, following all of our golden values and you are being an excellent role model. I am so proud of the determination you are showing, especially in your writing. Well done Charlie!

4P

Darcie you are golden! You have made a wonderful start to Year 4, you are kind, polite and hardworking. Darcie consistently demonstrates our Golden Values and is an excellent role model to her peers. Well done Darcie! You are a superstar!

4G

Scarlett is not only Golden this week, she is golden all of the time. She always makes the right choices and sets such high standards for her classmates to follow. She is kind and considerate and tries her hardest in everything she does. We are very fortunate to have such an all-round superstar in our class. Well done Scarlett, we are all very proud of you!

5P

Alice O, you follow all the Golden Values and are a great role model. This term, you have shown outstanding effort towards your work, have excellent playtime behaviour and have shown kindness when making new friends this year. Keep it up!

5G

Sophia K is not just golden this week, but has been golden from the moment she stepped foot in 5G. She embodies every single one of our schools' golden values. She is a superb role model. Sophia has a kind and caring personality, and is always respectful to the teaching staff. She is always smiling, and makes her friends and those around her smile too. Sophia, keep being a star, you are a pleasure to teach.

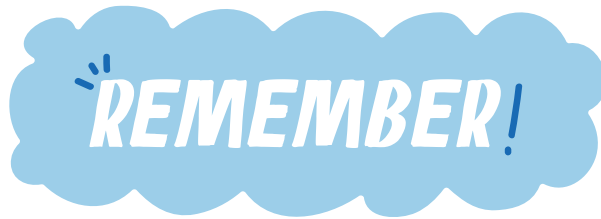
6P

Tom is our Golden Child this week for being such a respectful and kind member of our class. Something that really stands out is how thoughtful he is when talking to others – if you ask Tom how he is, he will always ask how you are in return. It is a small thing, but it says so much about the kind and considerate person he is. Well done!

6G

William is Golden Child this week for his amazing start to year 6. William has impressed me by working extremely hard in every lesson, and has consistently followed each of the golden values. His attitude to learning, especially in our place value unit in maths, has been fantastic and he is a role model for his classmates. Well done William!

Important reminders for parents



- Sadly despite reminders there are still parents entering the school car park. This nearly resulted in an accident. Please park on the surrounding roads and walk your children into school.
- There has been an increase in the number of children arriving late and being picked up late. Please can you make sure your child arrives on time ready to start their day and that you are here in plenty of time to collect them.

POWNALL GREEN
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CHRISTMAS WREATH
WORKSHOP

JOIN US ON
THURSDAY 3 DECEMBER
7PM - 9.30PM IN PG CLUB
£45 PER PERSON

BOOK NOW ON SCHOOL GATEWAY
BY 8 NOVEMBER
FLOWERS BY ASH RICHARDSON



PTA DISCO



7TH OCT £3.25 INCLUDING
ICE POP

Book via School Gateway

Deadline: Friday 2nd of October

No late additions will be accepted

Timings:

Reception: 3.20-3.50

Years 1 & 2: 4.00-4.45

Years 3 & 4: 4.55-5.40

Years 5 & 6: 5.50-6.35

Reception children will go straight from class in uniform and PG Club will take any children to the disco who are booked in