Pownall Green Newsletter 20th November 2026

Diary Dates - We have added the school calendar to the front page of the school website. From here you will be able to add this to your own Google Calendar if you want to.

NOVEMBER 2026

- **23rd -** 4P Ancient Greeks half day morning workshop - in school
- **24th -** 4G Ancient Greeks half day morning workshop - in school
- **26th** - Open Morning (parents to come into school to look at their children's work) 8.30am - 9.00am
- **26th** - Reception Class vision screening
- **27th -** Year 3 Stone Age trip to Tatton Park
- **27th -** Cake and toys donation. The PTA are looking for any cake donations - homemade or shop bought to sell at the Xmas markets - these must be NUT FREE please. Also they are looking for any donations of toys for age 5+ in a good condition to sell. All donations gratefully received.
- **27th** - PTA Christmas Markets - 5.00pm - 7.00pm

DECEMBER 2026

- **3rd** - KS1 Christmas Production to parents - 10.00am - See below for more information about tickets
- **3rd** - PTA Wreath Making Evening
- **4th** - KS1 Christmas Production to parents - 10.00am - See below for more information about tickets
- **8th** - Christmas Concert - Years 4 and 6 - 7.00pm - 8.00pm - See below for more information about tickets
- **9th** - Christmas Concert - Years 3 and 5 - 7.00pm - 8.00pm - See below for more information about tickets
- **10th** - Inclusion Coffee Morning - see below for details
- **14th** - Korfball After School Club Cancelled
- **14th** - EYFS Xmas Event for children and parents - 2.00pm
- **15th** - Whole School Panto - See below for information about payment and consent
- **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

As we reach the end of another busy and productive week at Pownall Green Primary School, I want to thank you all for your continued support. It has been wonderful walking through the classrooms this week and seeing how engaged the children are with their learning.

To promote our behaviour value Be Respectful, we have been talking to the children about using kind words and treating others as we would want to be treated. I know that many of you talk to your children about their behaviour in school and the Bee Values that we have recently introduced. To support this further, please see the posters that outline each Behaviour Value and what we are looking for.





As the colder weather properly sets in, please ensure that children come to school each day with a warm, waterproof coat—and clearly labelled hats, scarves, and gloves—so they can continue to enjoy their outdoor playtimes comfortably. Thank you also for your ongoing cooperation with our attendance and illness guidelines, which helps keep our whole school community healthy and safe.

Wishing you and your families a restful and enjoyable weekend. We look forward to welcoming everyone back on Monday morning.

Independent Sporting After School Clubs

Pownall Green Primary School are committed to offering the best sport provision and sporting after school clubs we can for our children.

After recieving updated guidance from the Local Authority, we have had to review the after school club provision and qualifications of those leading the clubs.

Unfortunately, we established that some of the coaches did not have the correct qualifications in place. Therefore, in order to safeguard our children, the decision was made by Governors and School to review this immediately. We are looking at different options to ensure that a variety of sport activities are available to the children and will notify parents of these changes as soon as possible. These will start after Christmas.

Please be reassured that PE, Sport and Physical activity remain a high priority at Pownall Green Primary School.

Very Impressive Bee 16/11/26



6P - Arjun

6G - Jacob

5P - Grayson

5G - Mia

4P – Milo

4G - Hirad

3P - Harry

3G - William

2P - Finley

2G - Savannah

1P - Liana

1G - Jacob

RP – George

RG - Hattie

Values Ambassador – Aria - 5P

CHRISTMAS INFORMATION

KS1 Performance on 3rd and 4th December

Please use the link below to book your tickets for the performance. The deadline is Thursday 26th November

https://forms.gle/DUjnYNzHMaayQ45r9

Year 4 & Year 6 Carol Concert on 8TH December

Please use the link below to book your tickets for the performance. The deadline is Wednesday 2nd December

https://forms.gle/bNdoYRcx2pDjoaMSA

Year 3 & Year 5 Carol Concert on 9th December

Please use the link below to book your tickets for the performance. The deadline is Wednesday 2nd December.

https://forms.gle/c9om6HVv5CrqNiH27

Panto Visit to School

This years visiting panto will be performing 'A Christmas Carol' on 15th December.
Please can you go onto School Gateway to give your consent and to pay the cost of **£3.95** per child.

REMEMBER!

- Smartphone alternatives for Christmas https://www.smartphonefreechildhood.org/alternatives

- If you use PG Club, please can you make sure your payments are up to date.

- Please be aware that the start time for KS1 children is 8.35am and their finish time is 3.15pm.

- KS2 children start time is at 8.40am and their finish time is 3.20pm. Therefore please ensure that KS2 children go through the KS2 door at the correct time.

- There are still a large number of parents trying to access the school car park. As previously informed, due to safeguarding and health & safety, we are only able to allow parents with prior approval into the car park. Please park your car in a safe location on one of the local streets and walk into school. Anyone trying to access the car park will be asked to turn around and park off site.

Sport Information



Year 2 Boys Crowned Champions at the Manchester City Academy Schools Festival

On Friday 13th November, Pownall Green's Year 2 Boys' Football Team took part in a Manchester City Academy School's tournament.

The boys produced a fantastic team performance, working hard for one another and listening to every instruction given. They went onto win every game at the tournament, conceding just 1 goal and were crowned Champions with a 2-0 victory in the Final!

Player of the Match: Harry Buxton-Cope

A huge well done to the whole squad on a brilliant team effort!

Year 5's are crowned Champions at Macclesfield Town FC tournament

On Wednesday 18th November, Pownall Green's Year 5 Football Team took part in Macclesfield Town FC tournament

The team played some fantastic football, scoring brilliant individual and team goals and showing real determination in defence to concede just one goal all tournament. They capped off a brilliant night with a 2–0 win in the final to become the tournament champions. Lifting the trophy on the pitch at Macclesfield Town FC is a moment the children will remember for years to come!

Player of the Tournament: Aiden Humphries

A huge well done to all the whole squad on a brilliant team performance and a fantastic achievement!

Thanks

Nick Kirk

POWNALL GREEN PRIMARY SCHOOL

INCLUSION COFFEE MORNING

Inclusion and belonging at Pownall Green



Thursday 10th December

9:30 am

All parents and carers are welcome.

Join the inclusion team for a coffee and a chat about celebrating differences and helping every child feel included. We'll also share our inclusion development plan.

We'd love to hear about your experiences and ideas on inclusion at Pownall Green, including from families who speak English as an additional language.


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