



# Anderton News

We explore, we create, we innovate!

## 1 DAY SCHOOL CLOSURE

The Council have requested the use of the school as a Polling Station for the General Election on 12<sup>th</sup> December, as a result school will be closed on this day. By law, we are unable to deny this request. We apologise for the inconvenience caused by this but I am sure you will understand that this is a decision that is completely out of our hands.

## PE Value Certificates for determination.

YR – Laila Harding  
Y1 – Harry Culshaw  
Y2 – Isaac Caton  
Y3 – Charlie Edmondson  
Y4 – James Hurst  
Y5 – Kier Durrant  
Y6 – Jack Cuddy

The PE value for this half term is teamwork.



Friday 1<sup>st</sup> November  
Issue number 8

6<sup>th</sup> November – Online  
Safety Workshop  
5:30pm

7<sup>th</sup> November –  
Football Tournament  
at Holy Cross

8<sup>th</sup> November – PTA  
Crazy Hair Day  
(Chocolate donation  
for the Christmas Fair)

## **Curriculum news -What wonderful learning have we been doing?**

Reception: We have been learning about Halloween. We have read 'Room on the Broom' and have been making our own magic potions. We also carved pumpkins!



Year 1: We have been practising, rehearsing and performing our own poems about Halloween. Take a look at them on Facebook!

Year 2 We have started our new science topic – Materials. We have been reading lots of traditional tales with a twist.

Year 3: We have created our own front cover on the computers to display in our new computing folders. We also started our new topic of light in science.

Year 4: We have been exploring effective vocabulary to use in our stories. We also had lots of fun designing a demonstration of the digestive system.

Year 5: We have studied Baghdad in 900AD and thought about why it was an important time and place in history.

Year 6: We have been exploring our current knowledge about light and shadows, sharing what we know and asking question that we would like to answer this half term.

# Diary Dates

Wednesday 6 <sup>th</sup> November	<b>Online Safety Parent Workshop</b> – All parents are very welcome to attend this workshop which will start at 5:30pm. It will include information on keeping the whole family safe on line.
Thursday 7 <sup>th</sup> November	Football tournament at Holy Cross. 4.00pm – 6.00pm. Details to follow.
Friday 8 <sup>th</sup> November	PTA crazy hair day / chocolate donation for Christmas fair
Monday 11 <sup>th</sup> November	Year 5 & 6 to visit St Paul's Church for Remembrance 10am
Thursday 14 <sup>th</sup> November	Nasal Flu Immunisations for YR – Y6. Details to follow.
Friday 15 <sup>th</sup> November	Children in Need Day – Come to school in your Onesie or PJs donation to Children in Need
Monday 2 <sup>nd</sup> December	Lancashire Vision Screening – eye test for YR. Details to follow.
Friday 6 <sup>th</sup> December	PTA non-uniform day / wine donation for Christmas fair PTA Christmas Fair 18:30pm Community Centre
Tuesday 10 <sup>th</sup> December	<b>Reception Nativity 2pm at school – change to original date due to school closure on the 12<sup>th</sup></b>
Wednesday 11 <sup>th</sup> December	Key Stage 1 Nativity 6:30 – 7:30pm at School
Thursday 12 <sup>th</sup> December	<b>School Closed due to use as a Polling Station for General Election</b>
Friday 13 <sup>th</sup> December	Christmas Jumper Day & Big Sing from 9am (Day 1)
Thursday 17 <sup>th</sup> December	PTA Christmas surprises (for sale in school)
Wednesday 18 <sup>th</sup> December	Christmas Lunch Day
Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> December	Christmas Jumper Day and Big Sing from 9am (Day 2) Closure after school for Christmas break.

## Autumn 2 Enrichment Clubs

Day and Time	Club	Who?	Leader
Monday Lunchtime	Computing	Year 3- 6	Mr O'Donohoe
Monday 3:30 – 4:30	Cheerleading	Year 1 & 2	Chorley Sports/ Miss Dervish
Tuesday 8:15am	Phonics Fanatics	Yr 1 – 4 (by invitation)	Mr Tilley
Tuesday Lunchtime	Music	Year 2 & 3	Mrs Lea
Tuesday 3:30 – 4:30 (from week 2)	Cookery	Reception & Year 6 (limited places)	Miss Gallagher
Tuesday & Wednesday lunchtime	Young Voices	Choir from Yr 5 & 6	Mrs Rushton
Thursday 3:30 – 4:30 (4 weeks)	Mosaic Club	Year 4 - 6	Mrs Laithwaite
Thursday 3:30 – 4:30	Healthy Bodies/ Healthy Minds	Year 1 & 2	Miss Dervish