Buckshaw Primary School and Nursery

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A message from Mrs Woodcock

It has been another wonderful week at school, with our children continuing to demonstrate the Buckshaw Values in so many ways. This week, they have shown respect and reflection through their thoughtful participation in Remembrance Day, including observing a two-minute silence on Wednesday at 11am. We were also delighted to see a group of Key Stage 2 children represent our school at the Chorley School Sports Partnership Panathlon event, where they displayed incredible enthusiasm, confidence and determination and came back to school with some very impressive medals! Looking ahead, we are excited to join our local community for the Astley Village Christmas Lights Switch-On, where two of our children have won the competition to switch on the Christmas Lights. We hope many of our families will be able to join us for what promises to be a fantastic start to the Christmas season on Thursday 3rd December at 3:30pm on the Village Green. Have a great weekend.

Please note - Kids Club will be closing at 3pm on Friday 18th December

Attendance

Excellent attendance is key to academic success and supports children in building positive relationships and confidence.

- **Overall School Attendance:** 97%
- **Class with Highest Attendance:** YRS 1 & 3 (100%)

Well done Years 1 and 3 !
Keep up the great work, everyone. Remember, every day counts!

House Points

Birch	Cedar
535	440
Cherry Blossom	**Oak**
520	545

Star of the Week

Each week, we celebrate a 'Star of the Week' in every class. These children have been chosen by their teachers for demonstrating outstanding effort, kindness, or a fantastic attitude towards learning.

A massive congratulations to all our stars!

- **Reception:** Elsie
- **Year 1:** Harriette
- **Year 2:** Lincoln
- **Year 3:** Alice
- **Year 4:** Arianna
- **Year 5:** Alex
- **Year 6:** Harper and Lilly

Active Learner

Our Active Learner award recognises children who consistently engage with their learning, ask thoughtful questions, and show a real curiosity about the world.

We are so proud of these inquisitive minds!

- **Reception:** Levi
- **Year 1** Remi
- **Year 2:** Miracle
- **Year 3:** Alex
- **Year 4:** Harry-George
- **Year 5:** James J
- **Year 6:** Oscar





'Learning, believing and growing together.'

Birthday Celebration	
We love celebrating birthdays at Buckshaw Primary! This week we wish a very Happy Birthday to: Harper G and Hughie 	



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