



St John's
C of E Primary School



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Weekly School News!

27th September 2024

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Miss Unsworth
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Dates for your diary

Wednesday 2nd October- Y6 Bikeability, please complete consent form and return to school

Thursday 3rd October, 9.30am- Reception Welcome Bible Service, parents/carers welcome to attend. **PLEASE NOTE THE VENUE HAS NOW CHANGED TO SCHOOL**

Tuesday 8th October, time TBC- Reception & KS1 Phonics parent/carer workshop

Thursday 10th October- Hello Yellow Day, children are invited to wear a yellow accessory along with their school uniform to raise awareness for World Mental Health Day. No donation required

Develop Motivate Inspire

Follow us on X (Twitter): @StJohnsAbram

Celebrating Success

Learning Legends

20/09/24

Learning Legends

Reception- Kalia
Year 1 - Marcel
Year 1/2 - Pearl
Year 2 - Max
Year 3 - Noah
Year 3/4 - Jakson
Year 4 - Miles S
Year 5 - Bella
Year 5/6- Maizy
Year 6 - Aoife



Sports Star

Congratulations to Eli in Year 2 for super use of speed and invasion in games!



Attendance is Changing!

With the introduction of the new National Framework for Penalty Notices, the following changes will come into force for Penalty Notices issued after the 19th August 2024

Per parent, per child

Penalty Notice Fines will be issued per parent, for each child that was absent
For example: 3 siblings absent for term time leave, would result in each parent receiving 3 separate fines

First Offence

The first time a penalty notice is issued for term time leave on regular attendance, the amount will be £160 per parent, per child paid within 28 days
Reduced to £80 per parent per child if paid within 21 days

5 consecutive days of term time holidays or unauthorised absence.
Penalty Notice Fines will be issued for term time leave of 5 or more consecutive days.

10 non-consecutive sessions of unauthorised absence
Penalty Notice Fine will be considered when there has been 10 sessions of unauthorised absences in a 10 week period
Parent's can view their child's current attendance data on the MyChildAtSchool app.
Unauthorised attendance codes include codes U, O and G

Second Offence

(within a rolling 3 year period)

The second time a penalty notice is issued for term time leave or irregular attendance the amount will be: £160 per parent per child paid within 28 days with no option of reduced rate for early payment

Any term time holidays that are taken after the start of the 2024/2025 academic year will be treated under the new legislation as the new rules apply to any offences committed from 19th August 2024, regardless of when the holiday is booked

The full guidance can be found at the following link. [Working together to improve school attendance \(applies from 19 August 2024\)](https://www.publishing.service.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/124444/working-together-to-improve-school-attendance.pdf) ([publishing.service.gov.uk](https://www.publishing.service.gov.uk))

Third Offence and any further offences

(within a rolling 3 year period)

The third time an offence is committed for term time leave or irregular attendance a penalty notice will not be issued, and the case will be presented straight to Magistrates' Court.
Magistrates' fines can be up to £2500 per parent, per child.
Cases found guilty in Magistrates' Court can show on the parent's future DBS certificate, due to failure to safeguard a child's education

*Please note this information is correct at time of writing and subject to change.



Attendance Matters



Your role as a parent carer is to ensure your child attends school daily and on time.
Those who turn up run the world!
Attending school every day = 100% attendance = Zero learning lost
Make every minute of learning count!



You are the light that gives light to the world
Matthew 5:18



Learning in Action

Year 2

Year 2 have had a very busy week looking at reading and writing poetry.

In Maths, they have been learning about partitioning numbers to 100 in different ways.

During their art lesson, the children have been looking at mark making and have worked in groups to test out how water colour paints react on top of wax and oil crayons.

In Science, Year 2 have explored how day and night happens and in Geography, they used their iPads to expand their knowledge on continents and oceans of the world.



Announcements

Hello Yellow Day

On Thursday 10th October, the children are invited to wear a **YELLOW ACCESSORY** along with their school uniform to raise awareness for World Mental Health Day. Cash donations are not required for this event.

#HelloYellow

10 October

Wear yellow to show young people they're not alone with their mental health

OPEN EVENING
QUEST St. John's C. of E. Primary School

ST. JOHN'S, ABRAM

Monday 11th November
5pm-7pm

- Tour the School
- Meet the staff & children

01942 703465
@StJohnsAbram
www.abramsaintjohns.wigan.sch.uk

The children "speak positively about their school and are proud to be a part of it."
Ofsted, March 2023



Friendship Hope Respect Trust



Community Events

Chess Club

Saturday family fun!

FREE

Lego Club **Crafts**

And More!!

Lots of FREE family fun
across our libraries **EVERY Saturday!**
find out more by visiting
www.wigan.gov.uk/Resident/Libraries

Be Well

Health and Wellbeing open Day

10am-2pm

Saturday 28th September

Robin Park Leisure Centre

WIGAN WARRIORS RUGBEES SESSIONS

OPEN TO GIRLS AGED 7 - 11 YEARS. EVERY THURSDAY

SESSION TIME - 5:15pm - 6pm

*No sessions on Thursday 26th December & Thursday 2nd January

ROBIN PARK LEISURE CENTRE WN5 0UL
WITH WIGAN WARRIORS WOMEN'S ANNA DAVIES & REASE CASEY

£1 PER SESSION
SCAN THE QR CODE TO BOOK

BOOK NOW: WWRL.NET/RUGBEES

October Half Term

Holiday Club

@ St John's C. of E. Primary School, Hindley
Green- Atherton Road WN2 4SD

- Monday - Multi-sports
- Tuesday - Bikes and scooters
- Wednesday - Movie day
- Thursday - Halloween fancy dress party
- Friday - Football

28th October - 1st November 2024

9am-4pm

Click here or scan the code to reserve a place!

£11.50 per day
£55.00 full week

TRICK OR TREAT

Pumpkin Festival

Half-Term
Special Prices
21st - 25th Oct
10 AM - 12 PM
Tickets | £4/ Person

Digitober Tech Time On Tour!

FREE

TECH TIME ON TOUR

- Advice and support
- Basic digital support
- Retro Gaming
- VR (Virtual Reality)
- Explore fun technologies

22nd October 10.00am-12.00pm
Golborne library

25th October 1.30-3.30pm
Shevington library

26th October 10.30am-1.30pm
Leigh library

FREE drop in events

Celebrate "Digitober" with our council Digital Inclusion Team at 3 FREE family fun events - you can explore everything digital from retro gaming to the latest VR technology!
To find out more please visit
<https://www.wigan.gov.uk/Council/Digital-Wigan/Tech-Time.aspx>

October Half Term Fun!

Zoo On A Broom!

22nd October
1.30-2.30pm
Leigh library

£4.50
including Eventbrite booking fee

Join ZooLab for a fun rhyming book adventure and to meet all the REAL LIFE creatures
Zog the witch will try to fit on her broom!

Planetarium Adventure!

23rd October
various times
Wigan library

booking essential via Eventbrite

Enter the Planetarium from Daresbury Laboratory to experience our night sky as never before!
Please see Eventbrite for session times and to book.

WARRIORS OCTOBER HALF TERM INTERNATIONAL CAMP

AT ROBIN PARK ARENA
TUE 22 - FRI 25 OCTOBER

TAKING RUGBY CAMPS TO THE NEXT LEVEL

BOOK NOW
WWRL.NET/INTERNATIONALCAMP

APPLECAST FARM

HALLOWEEN

Pumpkin Picking & Carving

THURSDAY 24TH - SUNDAY 27TH OCTOBER

£9.00 PER CHILD

THIS INCLUDES ONE PUMPKIN & CARVING

PRE BOOKING NEEDED!

TIME SLOTS FROM - 10AM - 2PM

Upcoming Services in Church

1st & 3rd Sunday of each month- Holy Communion, 10am

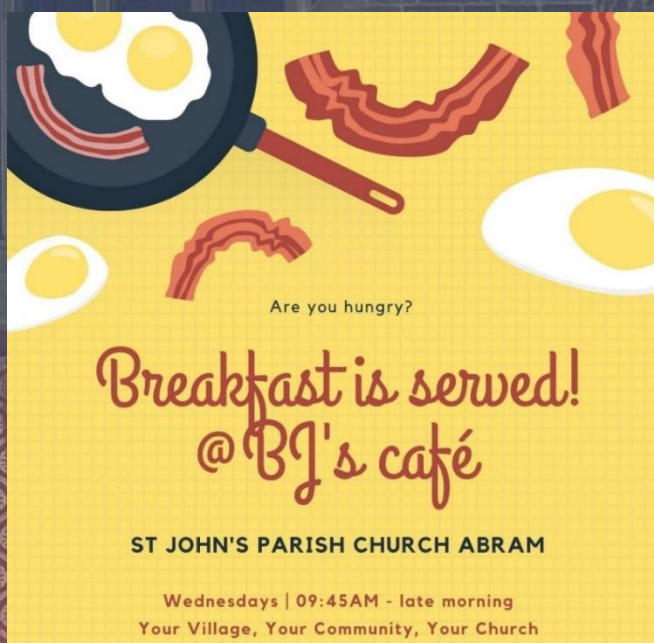
2nd & 4th Sunday of each month- Morning Prayer, 10am

Each Wednesday- Morning Prayer, 9.30am

Weekly Events in Church



ABRAM PARISH CHURCH
Craft & Chatter Group
Every Monday 1pm-3pm
Tea & Coffee Available
For further information contact
June- 07528184971



Are you hungry?
Breakfast is served!
@BJ's café
ST JOHN'S PARISH CHURCH ABRAM
Wednesdays | 09:45AM - late morning
Your Village, Your Community, Your Church



St John's Church Abram
SOMETHING FOR PARENTS & GUARDIANS
TALKING TOTS
Every Friday
From 10am
Whether you're a parent to be, new parent, guardian or grand parent, join us for a chat, a brew and some toast
Bring along your babies and toddlers too!
Free to join - Small donations welcome for refreshments
Future events will include baby massage and sensory classes



Join us
For an evening of
Songs & Praise
Saturday 5 October
St John The Evangelist, Abram
From 6pm
With special guest band
Totlers
And refreshments provided



SJA SQUAD
EVERY SUNDAY AT 10AM
join us for craft, bible stories & games
ST. JOHN'S CHURCH, ABRAM
Everyone welcome.



SPOOKY

bingo

FRIDAY 11TH OCTOBER 3.30PM - 5.30PM
SCHOOL HALL

FREE entry - £5 per book
Refreshments on sale
Cash prizes to be won
Fancy dress optional

**A great night out for
all the family!**

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