Friday, 30th October 2026

**Church Langton Church of England Primary School**

**Newsletter – Updates and Announcements**

Dear Parents and Carers,

# Whole School Newsletter

## Year 6

It has been a busy first week back for year 6 and it has been great to see how alert and ready to work hard they all are after a well-deserved half term break.

Maths has seen year 6 continuing to develop their awareness of long division and its tricky methodology. They have coped admirably with the complex nature of long division coupled with being asked to divide by numbers outside of their normal times tables knowledge. It has been really pleasing to see their fluency improve with this as we reinforce the process.

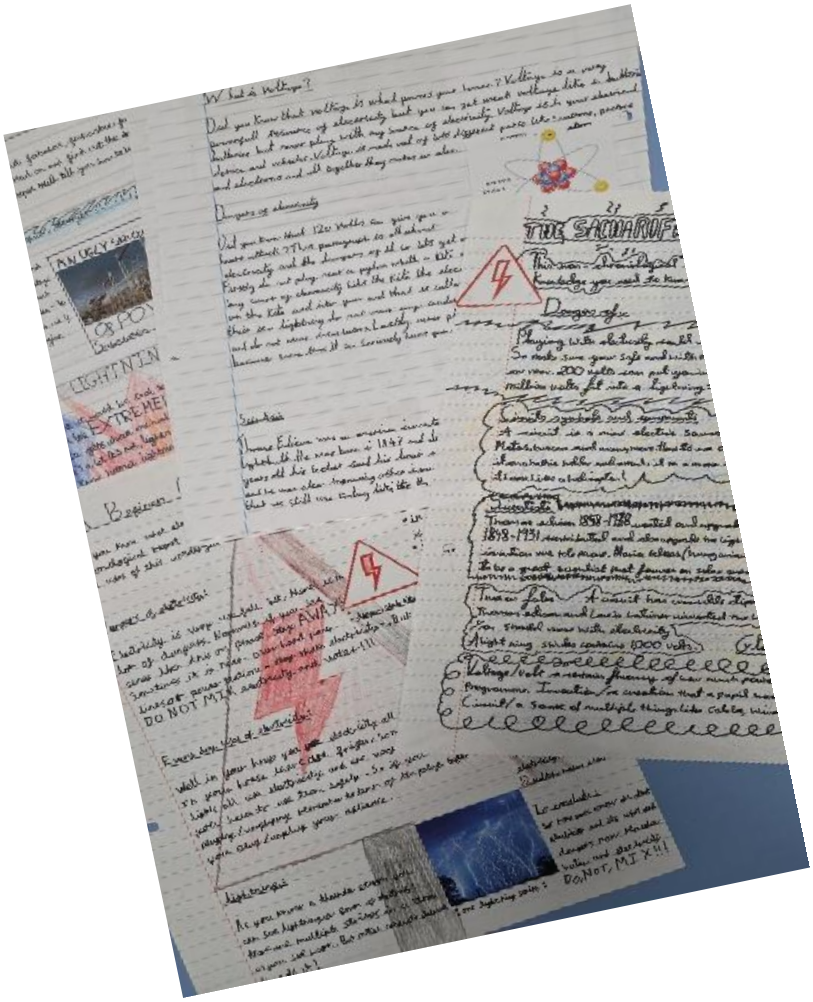
We continue to explore some interesting and thought-provoking themes whilst reading Boy in the Striped Pyjamas, but it has been particularly pleasing to see the sensitivity and empathy that the children have and how that has influenced some of our other discussions in subjects like RE. Their tolerance and understanding of different perspectives has shown exceptional maturity.

Their knowledge of this period in history is very strong and they have combined their understanding with their previous work in year 5 to start exploring the construction and design of Anderson Shelters with Mrs Pemberton during their art session. I'm sure we will be seeing some impressive projects in the weeks ahead as they explore their ideas further.

In science we have been learning about the circulatory system and the pathway that the blood takes through the heart, lungs, veins and capillaries. Working in groups, the children created a model of the circulatory system and then described what is happening at each point in the process.







Our non-chronological reports, full of fascinating information about electricity, are nearly ready to be published in a book to be presented to Year 4 to support their learning in this science unit. We have been really impressed with: the use of technical language, the presentation of their report, the editing process and organisation of their glossary, all whilst keeping their audience in mind. We are looking forward to hearing what Year 4 learn from our reports!

## Breakfast Club & ASC

We would like to remind all families to book places for Breakfast Club and After School Club (ASC) in advance.

Due to staffing ratios and capacity limits, we are unable to accept children who have not been booked in once the clubs are fully occupied. Places are allocated based on bookings received, and unfortunately we cannot exceed our permitted numbers.

To avoid disappointment, please ensure that all required sessions are booked as early as possible.

**If your child is booked to attend a session but you know they will no longer need the place, please let the school office know as soon as possible. This will allow us to offer the place to another child who may need it.**

Breakfast Club & ASC contact number: 07541 165034.

Reminder

Please be considerate whilst parking at pick-up and drop-off at school. We do have a number of families who require use of the disabled bays.

Kind regards

S. Ross

Mr Ross

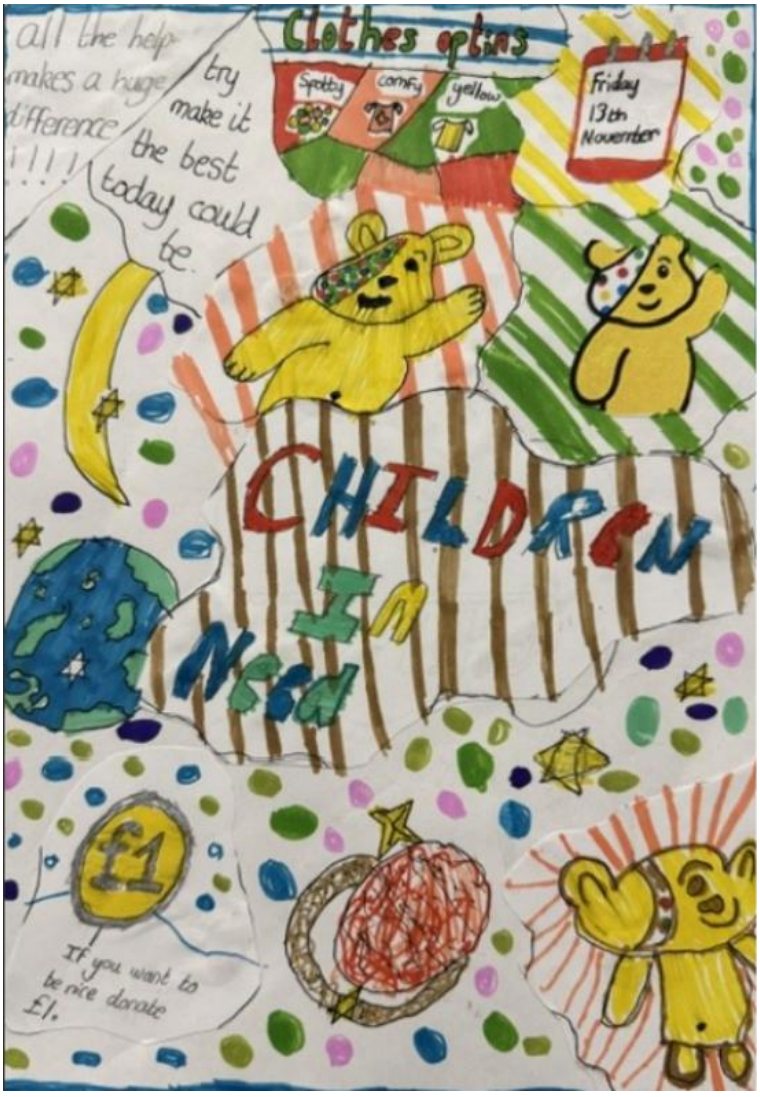
## Children in Need

On Friday 13th November, we will be supporting **Children in Need** with a special **non-uniform day!** Children are invited to come to school wearing spotty clothes, yellow clothing or their favourite comfy clothes. If you would like to make a voluntary donation £1, it would be greatly appreciated. You can do so **via Arbor – preferred** (main menu – section School shop) or by sending cash with your child to the class pot in the morning.

A special thank you to our School Councillors for their fantastic contributions, ideas and enthusiasm in helping us to organise our Children in Need Day. We are very proud of the way they have shared their ideas and helped to make a difference!

We look forward to seeing everyone dressed up and helping us raise money for this fantastic cause!

Miss Slade



## Community

We are delighted to be supporting **Operation Christmas Child** again this year!

We invite all our children and families to take part by filling a shoebox with small gifts, toys, school supplies and essential items. Each shoebox will help bring smiles, kindness and hope to children around the world who have been affected by poverty, conflict or disaster.

Every shoebox makes a difference, and together we can spread a little Christmas magic!

### Not sure how to pack a shoebox?

Follow this simple guide:
https://www.samaritans-purse.org.uk/what-we-do/operation-christmas-child/how-to-pack-a-shoebox



**Drop-off location:** School Office, Church Langton C of E Primary School

**Deadline: Monday, 9th November 2026**

Thank you for your kindness and generosity. Let's work together as a school community to make Christmas a little brighter for children in need!

We'll pick up every single shoebox from the school office and deliver them to the official drop-off location. We think it would be a lovely opportunity for our school community to come together, encourage kindness and generosity, and make a difference to other children.

Thank You!

Joseph & Felix

## Autumn 2 Term Dates -27th October – 18th December

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| Swimming sessions | 3d September – 12th November | Y2 and Y5 |
| Flag Fen Trip | Monday, 2nd November | Y3 |
| Individual School Photos | Wednesday, 4th November | Whole school |
| Boys Divisonl Football | Tuesday, 10th November | By invite |
| Boys Division 2 Football | Tuesday, 10th November | By invite |
| Remembrance Service | 11th November, 11AM at Church<br>Parents Welcome | Whole school |
| Children in Need Day - Non-school uniform day | 13th November | Whole school |
| Odd Socks Day | 16th November | Whole school |
| Girls Football | 17th November | By invite |
| Flu Vaccination | 24th November | Whole school |
| Nativity | 8th December at 1:30 PM<br>Parents Welcome | YR and KS1 |
| Carol Service | 9th December at 6 PM<br>Parents Welcome | Y3-Y6 |
| Christmas Jumper Day | 10th December | Whole school |
| Nativity | 10th December at 6 PM<br>Parents Welcome | YR and KS1 |
| Christmas Dinner | 16th December | Whole school |
| Christmas Service | 18th December at 9 AM<br>Parents Welcome | Whole school |

**Social Media** Please follow our Instagram page, which is linked to Facebook

@churchlangton_ce_primary

# WRAP AROUND club

NEW TIMINGS





## Breakfast Club
**7.30-8.40 AM**
£6.50

## After School Club
**3.15-4.15 PM OR 3.15-5.15 PM**
£6.50 OR £13

You asked, and we listened! Our Breakfast Club now starts earlier at 7.30am, giving families even more flexibility at the start of the day.

Our friendly school staff provide a safe, welcoming, and engaging wraparound care provision before and after school. Children can enjoy a range of fun activities, including LEGO, colouring, arts and crafts, cooking, and games, helping them to build confidence, creativity, and friendships.

Children are also provided with a healthy snack, and those attending Breakfast Club can enjoy a nutritious breakfast to help them start the school day ready to learn. We are proud to offer a positive and enjoyable environment where children can relax, play, and thrive.