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## Newsletter

### March 2023

**This has been an extremely busy term for learning, charity, sport and local events. Our learners have accessed a variety of community engagement opportunities to apply the skills and knowledge they have learnt in school.**

**As we finish for the Spring Term Holiday, we would like to wish all our families celebrating Ramadan a blessed Holy Month filled with joy, peace and fulfilment. Each week, our learners earn 100's of House Points. Throughout the holy month of Ramadan, each House Point collected will be exchanged for 1p. The money raised will then be used to create food parcels for local families in need.**

### School Events

#### Inspire a Generation

On Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> March, we held our second 'Inspire a Generation' event for all the Year 6 learners from Lomeshaye and Marsden. This annual event is dedicated to providing our learners with local aspirational role models who have achieved success in their life. This year's speakers included Afrasiab Anwar, Leader of Burnley Borough Council, who shared his top tips for success - always be kind; persevere and take challenges head on; remember to always remain humble. Special guests Mehak Younas and PT Ressa spoke to us all about how hard work and trying new things helped them to succeed and set up their own business. The learners even got a free PT session and the opportunity to sing Na'ats with local celebrity Hussnain Hanif, Founder of The Nasheed Choir. Learners and staff were moved by the passionate speeches made by the guests, in particular our local Imam Afaq who shared his vision to make Nelson the best place in the UK - a place free from poverty and hunger. Dr Yasara said young people are the future. At Lomeshaye we share this belief and strive to instill this vision and support our learners to achieve it.



## Mathemagicians

On Friday 24<sup>th</sup> March 4 learners in year 5 competed against 10 other Pendle schools in an inter school maths competition at Laneshawbridge Primary Schools. They demonstrated the school values of collective responsibility and pride to work together and achieve FIRST PLACE! They will now represent out school at the grand final in May. Well done to: Hassan, Anabia, Amina and Hussain who received certificated and goody bags for their participation and achievement!

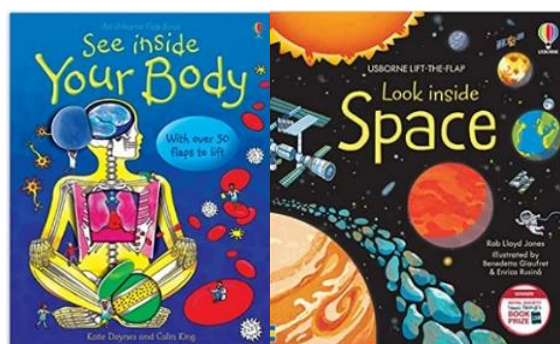


## Sponsored Reading Challenge



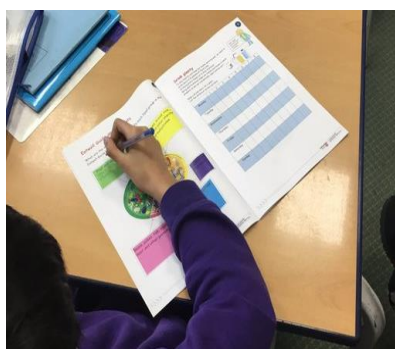
Thank you to the families who supported the Usborne sponsored reading challenge. Over £100.00 was raised which will help purchase some beautiful new books to support the wider curriculum across

school. Special mention goes to Nazim Bashir Rauf, Rehan Khan, Muhammad Ismail and Fatima Shiza who all raised an incredible amount of sponsorship.



## Curriculum

Year 6 are really enjoying their food and nutrition workshops with the Lancashire Catering Team. They are learning all about the importance of a balanced and healthy diet and have had the opportunity to taste a wide variety of healthy snacks, fruit and vegetables. This week, they learnt about the importance of hydration and the impact water has on the body.



I love doing 'food and nutrition.' Because of this I now know what to eat in my portions throughout the day!  
Mobeen Year 6

I like doing the food and nutrition because I have learnt which foods are healthy for me. Abdul  
Year 6

I enjoy food and nutrition learning because I liked learning about what I eat and drink and how it can effect our bodies. Also I had no idea that Cola had so much sugar in it!  
Abeeha Year 6



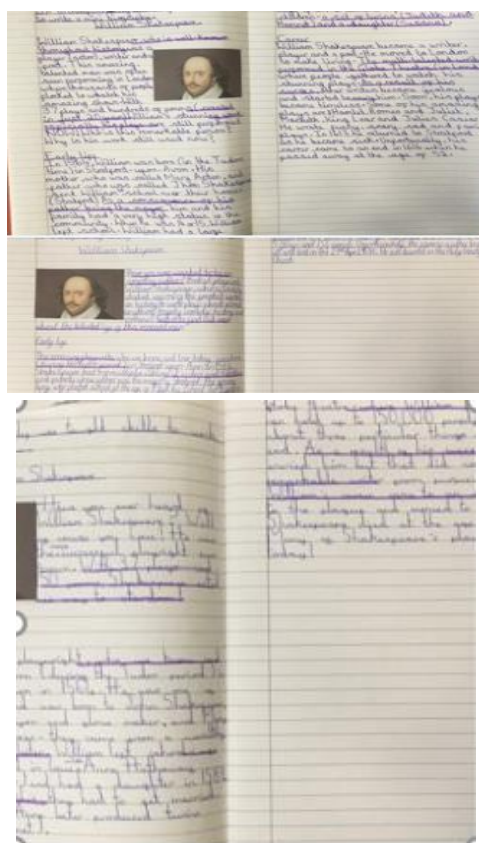
## **Maths in Action!**

This month year 6 were delighted to be invited by Building Bridges and Victoria Park Pavillion to support them in designing the future maze at Victoria Park. Learners applied their knowledge of measure and scale to map out and edit their design. On Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> March the learners with building bridges and Mrs Heseldon helped to begin to plant the new maze. A huge thank you to all parents who supported this exciting project for our town.



## **Shakespeare Week**

Year 6 kicked off Shakespeare Week with their new English Unit of Romeo and Juliet by writing their own biographies about the man himself. The creative class door displays have added to the sense of excitement the learners felt as they began their new unit of work.





## **Parent and Family Information and Support**

### **Online Safety**

Parents asked school for greater support and information regarding online safety. We have listened, and from this month we will be releasing our monthly Online Safety Newsletter. You can find it on our website here:

<https://www.lomeshaye.lancs.sch.uk/parents/online-safety-newsletter>

This months newsletter has crucial information in relation to parental controls and monitoring. The newsletter compliments the work we undertake in our curriculum to

teach the learners how to stay safe online. Please contact school if you need any support with online safety at home.



Please see information below about study centres and the new neighbours hub. These are local provision which you may find useful to access. If you need any support to access these services, please contact Mrs Butt in school on 01282 612063.

**Education Improvement – Equality and Diversity Team**

**Study Centres**

*for School Children Year 3 to Year 11*

**Face to Face Session**

- Free help with school work • Improve educational results
- Delivered by qualified tutors • Available at the following centres

**Saturday, 10.30am-1.30pm**

Bradley Neighbourhood Centre (The Zone) Leeds Road, Nelson BB9 8EL

**Saturday, 10.00am-12.00pm**

Burnley Campus Library, Barden Lane, Burnley BB10 1JD

**Online session**

We are also running online study sessions during weekday evenings. If you wish to register your child

For Further Information Contact:

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**PENDLE NEW NEIGHBOURS' HUB**

**WE CAN HELP**

- Arranging English conversation and/or ESOL lessons
- Getting your children into school
- Finding a doctor and dentist
- Discussing any problems you may have with your accommodation
- Issues with the Job Centre
- Getting your Aspen card
- Meeting other people

**WE ARE HERE TO HELP YOU**

Our Hub is at:  
Bradley Neighbourhood Centre (formerly known as The Zone),  
Leeds Road, Nelson, BB9 8EL

**OPEN MONDAY - FRIDAY**  
**10AM - 12PM**

Email us at:  
[PnnabtInternet.com](mailto:PnnabtInternet.com)

Phone us between  
10.00am - 12.00 Noon  
**07469979915**



## **Sporting Events**

### **Girls Football!**

In our first official round of league games on 9<sup>th</sup> March held the Leisure Box, the upper school girls football team displayed the school values of Pride, Tolerance and Respect whilst also winning all 4 of their games: 4-0 , 2-0, 4-0 and 2-0

Player of the Tournament: Anabia in 5 Larch



### **Indoor Curling Year 5**

Year 5 have participated in an indoor Kurling tournament at Pendle Vale College. Out of 8 teams we came second with 18 points.

Player of the Tournament: Uthman in 5Larch

### **Dodgeball with a difference!**

On 5<sup>th</sup> March at Pendle Vale College, our year 6 learners came 4<sup>th</sup> out of 18 teams at the Indoor UV dodgeball event. The

Player of the tournament: Ahilah Bahtool ( 6 Elder)



### **Year 6 Boys Football**

On Monday 27<sup>th</sup> March our year 6 boys football team participated in an interschools football ournament at Fisher More High School. The boys works very hard together as a team and gave 100% effort , winning one of their matches 5-0, drawing one and losing 2.

Player of the tournament: Isaac in 6 Elder (5 goals!)

## In the News

### Pride of Nelson Awards



On Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> March 2023 the Pride of Nelson Awards were held. The awards recognise service to the Nelson community over the last twelve months, celebrate individuals, groups and organisations that have achieved great things for the town and have given back to our community. The Lomeshaye and Marsden collaboration were nominated for the Education Award. This award is to recognise an individual, an organisation, a school or college, a class or group that has supported children, families or adults to get access to education to get access to quality education and learning. We were delighted to win the award which we humbly accepted. Thank you to all of our staff, governors, families and learners who have made this possible. We are very proud of the achievement. In addition, Amirah Ahmed in 6 Elder (*above centre*) won the Young Heroes Award. Amirah, who is blind, was rewarded for her 'enthusiasm and inspiration' to all those around her. She was presented her award by Saima Ashraf, from Blackburn, a blind accountant who works with Merseyside Police.

### Charity Single

During our time at the AO arena, our Lomeshaye Young Voices Choir recorded a charity single with Heather Small. It has now been released and not only are proceeds from the sale going to a wonderful children's mental health charity called 'Place2Be', we are fighting for a spot in the download charts! Can you help us on both fronts by paying just 99p for a download? You can download from Amazon or iTunes by following this link:

[www.youngvoices.co.uk/proud-charity-single](http://www.youngvoices.co.uk/proud-charity-single)



Thank you in advance.  
The Young Voice Choir 2023.

### **Parent Teacher Meetings**

Parents who have children in Year 3, Year 4 and Year 5 will be provided with a time to attend a Parent Teacher Meeting on April 25<sup>th</sup> which will also be held in school. These meeting dates have been chosen so that they do not fall within the month of Ramadan. Letters will be send the first week back after the holiday.

### **Finally**

Thank you for your continued support. If you have any concerns please do not hesitate to contact the Office to arrange a meeting with the appropriate member of staff.