



Trinity

NEWS

FRIDAY 25TH SEPTEMBER 2026

Mrs Wright's Weekly Update

News

There is a real buzz around school today as we have 60 Penguins bobbing around in Year 1 for their Penguin Day, and lots of excitement for our School Council Elections. I know lots of children have volunteered to for the elections and am really grateful that so many of them want to help to improve our school.

Thank you to those parents who helped the Penguins to look so amazing today and to those of you who supported Year 2 with their costumes for thinking about life in Astley Hall in the past – it's been a busy week.

As always at this time of year, I have had a wonderful time visiting each of the classrooms to look at the quality of teaching and learning. All of our classes have settled brilliantly into their routines and I am really pleased that you will be able to see what a fantastic start to the year your children have had at Parents' Evenings at the end of the half term.

Please see the Dates for your Diary section for more information.

Thank you if you are back into the routine of **READING AT HOME** with your children. Our Key Stage 2 Library challenge is underway and I do hope your children will enjoy the vast array of books we are lucky enough to have in both of our libraries.

Next Week

Next Thursday 1st October is Poem in my pocket day. Just to get you in the mood, here's one of my favourites by Brian Bilston :

Morrissey's Fridge

Morrissey
was filled
with sudden
self-doubt
as he shut
his fridge door –
did the light
never go out?

If you know any families with children who will be school age next September please encourage them to visit us on one of our upcoming prospective parent tours (please see the Dates for your Diary section).

We are updating our use of technology policy in school and would ask that no parents wear Meta glasses when visiting school.

Parking

Please ensure that the Disabled Parking bays in the school car parks are only used by Disabled Badge Holders. We have parents and carers who require the use of these spaces.

At Unity Place, please can we ask that double yellow lines on Village Way are unobstructed to ensure the safety of those using the crossing patrol. Many thanks



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Harvest

This year for our Harvest festival we will be supporting the Blackburn Diocese Bishop's Appeal. In South Sudan the Jehovah Rapha Medical Centre needs support to ensure the continuation of vital medical services. Bishop Phil has invited the children to take part in an obstacle course on Friday 9th October to raise money for this important work.

Children can wear their own activewear clothing to school and will take part in this challenge at different times throughout the day. Please note that children will still be outside at break and lunchtime and will need to be dressed appropriately for the October weather! In return, we ask that a donation is made on parent pay. More information can be found on the letter sent out on the app.

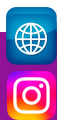


What's on?



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Date	Event	Info
Thursday 1 st October	Poem in My Pocket Day	
Thursday 8 th October	Reception 2027 Prospective Parent Tours	9:30am to 10:00am
Monday 12 th October	Nasal Flu Vaccinations	Unity Place
Tuesday 13 th October	Book and Breakfast	Brookwood Way – 8:15am
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Thursday 15 th October	Book and Breakfast	Unity Place – 8:15am
	PFA Discos at Unity Place	Y1 & Y2 – 6:00 to 7:00pm Y3 & Y4 – 7:30 to 8:30pm
Friday 16 th October	PFA Discos at Unity Place	Reception – 6:00 to 7:00pm Y5 & Y6 – 7:30 to 8:30pm
Monday 19 th October	Parents Evening	4:00 to 7:00pm
Wednesday 21 st October	Parents Evening	4:00 to 7:00pm
Friday 23 rd October	School closes for half term	Closure at usual time
Monday 2 nd November	INSET DAY	School closed to pupils
Tuesday 3 rd November	School re-opens for pupils	





**ANNUAL GENERAL
MEETING
WEDNESDAY 7TH
OCTOBER 2026
7PM TRINITY SCHOOL
UNITY PLACE**

?? HOW CAN I GET
INVOLVED AND
HELP MY CHILD'S
SCHOOL RAISE MONEY
FOR EDUCATIONAL TRIPS?



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Trinity Parents and Friends Association

THE PFA WOULD LOVE TO WELCOME
PARENTS AND GUARDIANS.

PLEASE JOIN US TO FIND OUT MORE INFORMATION
ABOUT TRINITY SCHOOL PFA. WE WILL ALSO
BE SELECTING A NEW CHAIR AND OTHER
OPPORTUNITIES TO BECOME TRUSTEES

PLEASE COME ALONG AND SUPPORT
YOUR CHILD'S SCHOOL.



In order to comply with Lancashire County Council's financial regulations and to remove time consuming debt collection, Key Stage 2 School dinners must now be paid in advance or topped up with their new 'Auto Top-Up' facility on ParentPay.

Please clear any outstanding balance and apply your preferred top-up choice. This will ensure your account does not go into arrears. Please contact the KS2 office if you have any questions.



Effortless meal top-ups

Timing that fits your budget

- Set weekly or monthly top-ups for better control over your child's meal balance.
- Access Auto top-up settings to select personalised rules for each child.

A smartphone screen displaying the 'Auto top-up' settings in the ParentPay app. The screen is titled 'Lunch' at the top. Below the title, it says 'Auto top-up'. The first question is 'When would you like to top up?' with two radio button options: 'Monthly' and 'Weekly'. The 'Weekly' option is selected. Below this is a 'Top-up day' section with a row of buttons for the days of the week: Mo, Tu, We, Th, Fr, Sa, Su. The 'Sa' button is highlighted in blue. Below the day selection, there is an option 'When the balance is low' with a radio button. The next section is 'Top-up amount (min £1.00/max £100.00)' with a text input field showing '£ 15.00'. Below the input field are four buttons for preset amounts: £2.50, £5.00, £10.00, and £25.00. At the bottom of the screen are two large buttons: 'Save' in blue and 'Cancel' in grey.