



Friday 1<sup>st</sup> December 2023

# Hesketh-with-Becconsall's NEWS OF THE WEEK

*What you are is God's gift to you,  
what you become is your gift to God.*



## Stars of the Week for showing our School Value of **HONESTY**

Reception	Norah Johnson
Year 1	Tom Hunter
Year 2	Luca Sutton
Year 3	Alanna Lowe
Year 4	Jasmine Dobson
Year 5	Noah Howarth
Year 6	Joshua Walker

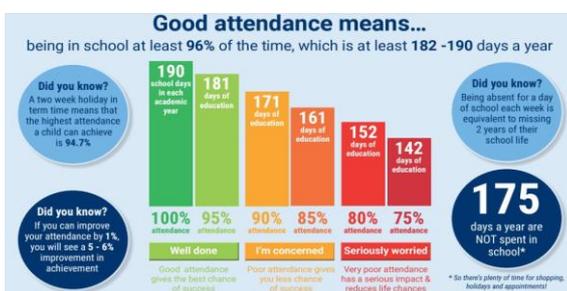
## House Point Totals this week!

	Becconsall 241		Douglas 259		Hesketh 211		Ribble 246
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Please look out for what's going on...

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## Attendance Counts!

Whole School Attendance this week: **95.3%**

The classes with the best attendance this week are: **Year 6 99.2%**  
and **Year 2 99.1%**



**FOS** (Friends of school) thank you for supporting MAD Hair Day!



All donated bottles will be on the FOS Bottle Stall at All Saints Church Christmas Fair tomorrow!

## Dates for your Diary

**Friday 1<sup>st</sup> December** 7pm Douglas Cardiac Trust Christmas Carol Singing

**Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> December** 11am-2pm All Saints Church Christmas Fair

**Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> December** **Save the Children Christmas Jumper Day**, children may swap their school jumper for a Christmas Jumper to show their support in exchange for £1 or a donation to All Saints Foodbank

**Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> December** 2.30pm Advent Carol Service, led by Year 6 at All Saints Church

**Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> December** 2pm & 6pm Infant (Years 1 & 2) Nativity Performance

**Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> December** 2pm EYFS (Little Saints Nursery & Reception Class) Nativity Performance

**Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> December** School Christmas Lunch & Christmas Party Day

**Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> December** 2pm School closes for the Christmas holidays



Next week we are looking for **Stars of the Week** who show our School Value of **DETERMINATION**



## Reading Rewards



Congratulations to all our wonderful readers, reading is the key to learning!

**100 Club Reception:** Kaleb

## Headteacher Mini Mentions

**Congratulations to the following children:**



**Year 1:** Amelia for showing excellent stamina for writing, superb presentation and displaying lots of determination whilst writing a story based on Zog. Gabriella for increased fluency and accuracy whilst reading, as well as working hard to improve her presentation, finger spaces and handwriting. Bobby and Eden for achieving fantastic phonics scores in our practice screenings.

**Year 3:** Eloise because after her cooking experience in school during Design Technology lessons, she has continued with her interests in this at home and has been baking with her mum.

**Year 4:** Libby for huge improvements in the content of her writing and all-round effort and Heidi for always keeping on going when things get tricky!

**Year 5:** Neve for growing confidence in herself each and every day. Scarlett for always trying her best.

**Year 6:** Liam for actively working hard on improving his handwriting. Nathan and Joshua for their hard work in Geography when considering how climate change and extreme weather affect lives around the world.



Hesketh-with-Beconsall All Saints  
Church of England Primary School



# Carol Singing Opportunities

**Friday 1st December 2023**

*Tarleton Village Christmas Light Switch On in association  
with The Douglas Cardiac Trust*



Children who wish to sing with the School Children's Choir (made up of children from all the District Schools) should meet Mrs Ainsworth and staff at **6.50pm** near the Christmas Tree in Tarleton Village Square.

Children should wrap warmly and appropriately to the weather (school uniform not required), Song Words will be provided though a torch may be useful!

**Saturday 2nd December 2023**

*All Saints Church Christmas Fair*

Children who wish to sing as part of our Choir should meet Mrs Ainsworth and staff at **10.50am** at All Saints Church Hall.

School uniform is not required, however it would be lovely if the children could wear Christmas Jumpers or Outfits, Song Words will be provided!



## We look forward to you joining us!

# All Saints Church Services

*To Love God and to Love One Another'*

## Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> December

11:00am to 2:00pm Christmas air

## Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> December

9:00am Holy Communion in The Lady Chapel

10:30am **Toy Service** All Age Worship (led by Rev Dave & Sunday School)

12:30pm Private Prayer (Church open until 1:30pm)

## Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> December

9:00am Holy Communion in The Lady Chapel

10:30am Holy Communion

12:30pm Private Prayer (Church open until 1:30pm)

## Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> December

9:00 am Holy Communion in The Lady Chapel

10:30am Holy Communion

12:30pm Private Prayer (Church open until 1:30pm)

## 6:30pm **Nine Lessons & Carols**

(With The Hesketh Bank Silver Band and our Sunday School Team)

## Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> December

7:30pm Mothers Union meeting in All Saints Church Hall

ALL SAINTS CHURCH

# CHRISTMAS



# FAIR



**SATURDAY 2<sup>nd</sup> Dec 2023**

at All Saints Church Hall

with Carols by

**Hesketh-with-Becconsall All Saints School**

**11.00am to 2.00pm**

Lunches served from 11.30am

**FATHER CHRISTMAS'S GROTTO**

**CHOCOLATE TOMBOLA**

**MARKS & SPENCER RAFFLE**

**CHRISTMAS CAKES**

plus lots more.....

**ADMISSION: Adults: £1.00 Children: FREE**

**Everyone Welcome**



**SCHOOL  
ADMISSIONS  
PRIMARY**

**SOUTH**

**Do you have a child starting primary school in September 2024 and living in Lancashire?**

Apply now and check your eligibility for school transport at:  
[www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools](http://www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools)  
or call 01772 532109

**Closing date: 15 January 2024**

You must apply even if a brother or sister is already at the school, or the school is linked to your child's nursery.

**HAVE YOUR SAY**

Between 1 October and 31 January schools are consulting with you to make sure admission arrangements meet future needs. To find out more please visit [www.lancashire.gov.uk/schoolplaces](http://www.lancashire.gov.uk/schoolplaces) and click 'school admission policies'.

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THE HUB @ BANKS (BANKS LEISURE CENTRE)  
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**ONLY £20 per day**

**NEW YEAR ENDEAVOUR HOLIDAY CAMP**  
JANUARY 2024  
WEDNESDAY 3RD  
THURSDAY 4TH  
FRIDAY 5TH

Arts & Crafts, Athletics, Basketball, Dance, Dodgeball, Football, Invasion and Target Games, and much more!

Open to 5 - 12 year olds

8.30AM until 4.30PM

**WEST LANC HAF**  
HOLIDAY - ACTIVITY - FUN

**ENDEAVOUR COMMUNITY**  
Delivered by WEST LANCASHIRE SPORT PARTNERSHIP

To book your child's place please visit <https://ec.schoolactivity.co.uk> and if you have any queries please email [holidaycamps@endeavourlearning.org](mailto:holidaycamps@endeavourlearning.org)



Save the Children  
**CHRISTMAS JUMPER DAY**

## Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> December

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It's beginning to look a lot like...



# The Douglas Cardiac Trust Christmas Tree 2023

(Sponsored by the local business community)

**Friday 1st December  
Mark Square - Tarleton**

**7pm gathering and carols  
7.15pm lighting ceremony**

Choirs from local schools  
Clubs Brownies Cubs Scouts etc  
Mince pies

*Supporting the medical needs of the local community*

Please note: current government covid guidelines will apply  
The Douglas Cardiac Trust is a UK registered charity no 1094804

What a super start to Advent... **Herald of Herod!**

4FRONT THEATRE PRESENTS

# HERALD OF HEROD

A CHRISTMAS PANT-IVITY

**4Front Theatre** are an officially recognised resource for Understanding Christianity.

We are delighted that extra tickets have become available so all Children in KS1 & KS2 will have the opportunity to watch this Pant-ivity at Way Church, the Edge Arena in Wigan and that **FOS** (Friends of School) are paying for the transport making this a **FREE** Christmas Treat on Monday.

**NO PE today, all classes should wear Full School Uniform.**

**Don't forget to return the permission slip.**

Thank you

Three peculiar Magi have appeared in the Royal Palace, talking of the birth of a potential rival King! The cruel King Herod is keen to unravel this mystery.

For Harry the humble Herald, this is the chance of a lifetime... to embark upon an epic quest and be noticed by the King!

Explore the nativity story like never before with plenty of songs, plenty of laughs, and a very boo-able baddy, in 4Front's brand new Christmas pan-tivity! (panto/nativity)

**SUITABLE FOR FAMILIES AND CHILDREN OF ALL AGES**

