

Lea Endowed CE Primary School Newsletter No 6 Friday 13th December 2024 Our theme this half term is **PEACE**

"Let your light shine." Matthew 5:16



We are very much in the midst of the Christmas celebrations and I hope that that those of you who joined us for the KS1 Nativity, "The Greatest Gift", on Wednesday, enjoyed the beautiful (and at times, comical) performances. We are very much looking forward to the KS2 performances on Monday, "Joy to the World" – a celebration of how the true meaning of Christmas is celebrated around the world. We are so proud of the children shining brightly and sharing the good news of God's greatest gift to the world – Jesus. I would like to thank my wonderful staff and governors for their hard work and dedication throughout this year. This year has brought its many joys and its challenges but the dedication and care the staff show in supporting your children's learning and wellbeing, fills me with pride. We have much to be thankful for and my prayer for 2025, is that we will continue to work together; children, staff, parents and governors, to help every member of our school family to flourish and shine.

"Angels with Buckets" Collection This year we have chosen to support Mind Lancashire.

The number of children and young people who are experiencing a mental health condition has recently increased to 1 in 6 - the equivalent of 23 children in our school alone! More than an entire year group! Mind Lancashire provide services specifically designed for children and young people for over 10 years. They are an experienced, friendly and supportive Children and Young people's (CYP) team who are passionate about supporting the wellbeing of children and young people in our area.

Please support this worthy cause to help our local children, Thank you.



CHRISTMAS ONLINE SAFETY

Please see the school website for TOP TIPS on staying safe Online over the festive period and beyond. Being aware of the potential risks the online world poses is very important but don't forget it also offers us immense opportunities and benefits. Top Tip: The LSCB's 'Useful Tips for Parents and Carers' can be found at the top of the Parents and Carers section of the LSCB Online Safety website and also contains a variety of really useful information: www.lancashiresafeguarding.org.uk/onlinesafeguarding/parents-and-carers



MRS SEAGRAVE'S GREAT MANNERS AWARD I am delighted to have presented my special awards for excellent manners and a wonderful, respectful attitude to: Iyla in Y1 and Millie in Y6 Well done and keep shining brightly. I am very

proud of you both.

PTA CHRISTMAS FUND Raising total of £455.50 Tombola - £263 Raffle - £192.50

A huge Thank you to everyone who supported these events - every penny will go back to providing resources/events for the children. We welcome any parents, carers or grandparents who

would like to get involved with PTA fund-raising!

School opens for the children at 8:45am on Tuesday 7th January 2025.

<u>Please can | remind you of the importance of your child being in</u> <u>school and on time, every day</u>

This is my last newsletter this year, and so as we say goodbye to 2024, on behalf of the staff, children and governors,] wish you and your families a happy and peaceful Christmas and a blessed 2025,

CM Seagrave