



Where all our pupils SHINE!

Our Weekly Newsletter ~ Friday 9th September 2022

A warm welcome to all our new families and to our old ones too! The term has started smoothly and the children have settled in well. The new staff (Miss Hardman and Mrs Dellerba in Nicky Nook, Miss Smillie, Miss McCann and Miss Bainbridge in The Nook) are already established within Team Forton.

Introducing our new democratically elected School Council:-

Nicky Nook – Ella and Leo **Clougha** – Albie and India **Pendle** – Bethany and Grace

They will be meeting for the first time today.

MOSI

On Thursday 22nd September we will all be heading off on an adventure to Manchester's Museum of Science and Industry, to bring the science topics that we are learning about to life.

More details to follow next week.

A6 Crossing Petition – If you haven't signed it already please pop into the office to do so. We need as much support as possible. Cat Smith is going to present the petition to Parliament later this month.

Community News

St James' Foodbank – The foodbank at St James' Church, Shireshead is still very well used. We have a box in the Reception area if anyone would like to make a donation of non- perishable goods or toiletries. Thank you.

And finally... What is a little bear with no teeth is called?

A gummy bear.



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FOFS News (Friends of Forton School)

Welcome to the new school term, it's lovely to see everyone back! We're looking forward to the year ahead and thought we'd let you know about some events to look out for:

Thursday 22nd September – Getting to know you meeting at 3:15 in the school hall
Everyone is welcome!

Friday 23rd September: Cake Sale ☐ in the school hall at 3.30 straight after school pick up with an invitation to stay and chat. A chance to buy cake, meet other parents and get to know the FOFS team. All welcome to be involved. There'll also be the second hand uniform shop to browse and buy from.

Play at Hugo's ☐ for preschoolers, reception and their families. A chance to meet one another and some of the FOFS committee. Date to be confirmed.

Film night in school with pjs, sweets and popcorn 🍿 date to be confirmed.

If you'd like to be added to the FOFS WhatsApp chat please text your number to Mary-Jayne Carter 07736315374 or catch someone in the playground. Thanks 😊

Star of the Week!

Who is 'shining' brightly this week?

The Nook	April for being a great role model!
Nicky Nook	Oscar for being helpful and happy!
Clougha	Alan for settling into Clougha so well!
Pendle	Zeb for his contributions to class discussions.



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Dates For Your Diary	
September	16 th & 23 rd Y5&6 Bikeability 21 st Y5&6 Football @GCA 22 nd MOSI whole school trip 22 nd FOFS Meeting 3:15 in school hall 23 rd FOFS cake sale 3:30 in school hall 30 th Life Education Van
October	5 th Y3&4 Football @GCA 7 th Harvest Festival
November	3 rd Parent's Evening 3 rd Reception Vision Screening 9 th Y5&6 Dodgeball @GCA 11 th Rev Peter Ballard Assembly 15 th Flu Vaccination 17 th Individual School Photos 23 rd Y3@4 dodgeball @GCA
December	2 nd Rev Peter Ballard Assembly 2 nd Forton Light Switch On 7 th Y5&6 Basketball @GCA 14 th Christmas Concert and Fair 9am 14 th Infant Nativity 15 th Christmas Lunch 16 th The Dukes 'Robinhood'