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STRIKE LANE NEWS

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Dear Parents/Carers,

Thank you for such a great turn out for the Parents/Teacher Meetings on Zoom this week. We hope you all feel fully informed about your child's progress and achievements and that this meeting followed on well from the Book Looks the previous week.

Year 3/4/5 performed a wonderful dress rehearsal of Cinderella Rockafella to the rest of the school on Thursday afternoon. It was very well received but unfortunately, I was unable to attend due to a pre-booked meeting. I am so looking forward to seeing the whole play myself on Monday with the Year 3 parents at 2.15pm. The performance for Year 4 parents will be on Wednesday at 2.15pm and Year 5 parents on Thursday at 2.15pm.

On Monday we are looking forward to the long-awaited return of Mrs Hall to Year 4 following her accident in September last year. She will be building back up to her full-time hours over the next few weeks and I'm sure you will all give her a warm welcome back.

Next Tuesday our STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Maths) Partner, Dr Rob Smith will be visiting all classes to talk about our Growing Research Project which we have received funding for from The Royal Society. Our overall investigation is 'Can we germinate seeds from harvested produce to produce a cheap and sustainable food source?'. The children have really enjoyed taking the initial steps of harvesting and planting a variety of seeds and are now looking forward to transferring these into our planting beds as the warmer months progress. We hope to produce some information on our findings and some growing/planting guides for the local community, as well as some recipes for using our school grown produce.

Next week is our last week in school before our 2 week Easter break. School will break up at the usual time on Friday 31st March and I am very much looking forward to seeing who has won our Progress and Kindness Cups for this half term.

Have a wonderful weekend,
Mrs Katherine Shuttleworth

Dates for your diary (new dates in red)

Sunday 26th March – 10:00am - Friends Environmental Day

Monday 27th March – 2:15pm-3:30pm – KS2 Performance for Y3 parents/carers

Wednesday 29th March – 2:15pm-3:30pm – KS2 Performance for Y4 parents/carers

Thursday 30th March 2:15-3:30pm – KS2 Performance for Y5 parents/carers

Friday 31st March – Progress Cup Assembly
Friday 31st March – School closes for Easter Holiday (usual finishing times apply)

Monday 17th April – School Re-opens For All Pupils

Monday 17th April – Y4 Paddle Sports Trip

Thursday 20th April – Y5 Indoor Climbing Trip

Thursday 20th April – Y3 Library Visit

Arbor Updates

Y1 have an upcoming class trip to Ridgeway Farm. Please login to your Arbor App/Parent Portal and scroll down to the "**Activities**" section and select "**Trips**". From there you should be able view and pay for your child to attend this trip.

Y4 & Y5 both have a fully funded trip after half-term. Please login to your Arbor App/Parent Portal and scroll down to the "**Activities**" section and select "**Trips**". From there you should be able view and register your child for this trip.

Please note: You will need to confirm your child's place on this trip by midnight on **Thursday 30th March 2023**.

Care Club places for next half term can be booked via your Arbor App/Parent Portal. Sessions will need to be booked in advance to secure your child's place. If you encounter any difficulties making a booking, please contact the school office and assistance will be provided.

| Class Attendance (week ending (24/03/23) | Weekly |
|---|---------------|
| Oak | 96.5% |
| Beech | 95.6% |
| Rowan | 90.5% |
| Maple | 100% |
| Willow | 97.2% |
| Sycamore | 99.2% |
| Hornbeam | 97.6% |

Stars Of The Week

Well done to all our Winners
You should be very proud of your achievements

| Year Group | Star Of The Week |
|-------------------|-------------------------|
| Oak | Elsie & Maycie |
| Beech | Harriet & Oliver |
| Rowan | Theo & Bella |
| Maple | Colton & Jake |
| Willow | Ebony & Jenson |
| Sycamore | Joshua & Chase |
| Hornbeam | Jimmy & Christopher |

Attendance

Well done to Oak, Maple, Willow, Sycamore & Hornbeam classes for achieving over 96% attendance this week.

Maple Class will be allowed to come to school in their own clothes next **Friday 31st March** as their class reward for achieving 100% attendance this week.

Free School Meals/Pupil Premium

During these challenging times that we are currently experiencing, your financial circumstances may have changed and your child may be entitled to free school meals/pupil premium. You can quickly check your eligibility by visiting the following website,

<https://www.lancashire.gov.uk/children-education-families/schools/free-school-meals/>

Please be aware school receives additional funding for any pupil premium children we have on roll so it would be appreciated if you check your eligibility and apply if entitled.

Care Club

Please ensure when dropping your child off at Breakfast Club in a morning that they are brought to the Care Club doors by their parent/carer and handed over to a member of staff.

There are an increasing number of parents/carers who are dropping their child off in the car park and driving away without ensuring their child has safely entered Care Club.

Environmental Day

If you are free on Sunday, I wonder if you might consider contributing a little time in supporting The Friends of Strike Lane to refresh some of our garden and planting areas. They will be here come rain or shine from 10am on Sunday, children are most definitely welcome.

Comic Relief/Red Nose Day

Another huge thank you goes to those of you who contributed to our Just Giving page for Comic Relief. As a school we have raised £221 which is wonderful and will go towards some very worthy causes.

EASTER KIDS CAMP

5 - 12 YRS OLD



April

Week 1: 3rd - 6th

Week 2: 11th - 14th

8.30am - 3.30pm: £14

8.30am - 5.30pm: £18

FREE places available for children on Free School Meals. Get in touch!
Funded by the Department for Education



THE ACTIVITIES

Arts and Crafts
Archery
Dance
Sport
Crystal Maze
T-shirt Design
Team Building



EASTER EGG HUNT

Venue 1



Medlar with Wesham
Primary School

Venue 2



St. Pauls Primary
Academy, Warton



k.olloman@evolutionsportseducation.com
07597 050935

GET BOOKING!



SCAN ME

DEALS

Sibling deals available online



★ Trustpilot



HOLIDAY WORKSHOPS 2023

DANCE - ACRO - YOGA - CRAFT - GAMES

"Alexander had a great time, thank you!"



Join us this year for action packed days filled with exciting activities and new friends!

"Imogen and Olivia loved it!!"



Led by two experienced Dance, Acro and Yoga teachers your children will come home excited to show you their new skills and filled with stories to share.

EASTER HOLIDAYS

Monday 3rd

Tuesday 4th April

SUMMER HOLIDAYS

Monday 24th July

Tuesday 25th July

Monday 31st July

Tuesday 1st August



The workshops are suitable for ages 4-11 and take place at Weeton Village Hall, Church Road, Weeton PR4 3ND.

Each day runs 10.00am - 3.30pm and costs £25. Multi day discounts are available. info@jcdance.co.uk to book your child's spot.

www.jcdance.co.uk Facebook & Instagram @JCDanceEst2004



Lorcan and Cian are competing in
The DSAuk 30th Anniversary National Dwarf
Games 2023
on Friday 26th May

Can you help with the Smarties Challenge by collecting
20p coins to fill up a Smarties Tube and then return
these to the school office?

Any donations are gratefully received

The DSAuk National Games is a fantastic weekend of competition for all
members with dwarfism to take part in a variety of sports and activities
including Powerlifting, Athletics, Shooting, Cycling, Swimming, Team Sports,
New Age Curling and Balance Bike Races.





Easter Fair

Cake
& Craft
Stalls



Bottle &
Chocolate
Tombolas

Sunday 26th March
Kirkham Community Centre
1pm – 3pm

Fun for All the Family including:
Raffle – Face Painting – Refreshments
Hot Dogs – Cakes – Hot Chocolate – Coffee

All the money raised will be used by Sam's
Superheroes (Blackpool & Fylde) to continue
provide Activity Packs for the Children's
Wards at Blackpool Victoria Hospital.

www.samssuperheroes.co.uk





FIRST KICK HOLIDAY CLUB



Archbishop Temple School
St Vincents Rd, Fulwood, Preston
PR2 8RA

Roebuck Sports Centre
Roebuck Sports Centre, Parker St,
Ashton-on-Ribble, Preston PR2 2BN

Week 1: Monday 3rd - Thursday 6th

Week 2: Tuesday 11th - Friday 14th

FOOTBALL CAMP

Football Development Sessions

Penalty Shootouts & Tournaments

NERF Wars

Bouncy Castles & Fifa Tournaments

MULTI-SPORT CAMP

Sports: Dodgeball, Cricket, Mini-Golf, Dance,
Gymnastics, Hockey, Netball, & many more...

Additional activities: Bouncy Castles, Xbox, Wii
(Mario Kart), Lego, Toys, Jenga, Movies, Coloring,
Arts & Crafts

**4 SESSIONS FREE OF CHARGE FOR KIDS ON
BENEFIT-RELATED FREE SCHOOL MEALS!**

LUNCH & SNACKS PROVIDED

All children who attend our
HAF programme will receive a
free lunch, drinks & snacks.

Morning Sessions:
8:00am - 12:30pm
Or

Afternoon Sessions:
12:30pm - 5:00pm

FIRST COME FIRST SERVE -
LIMITED FREE SPACES AVAILABLE

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<https://getstuckin.org.uk/>



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Instagram: firstkickfootball_



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Holy Trinity Church
Lytham Road
Freckleton
Preston
PR4 1AA



Schedule – March 2023

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| Sun. 05 Mar. | 11:00 | Worship4U 'A journey for everyone' |
| Wed. 08 Mar. | 14:00 | Mothers' Union |
| Sat. 11 Mar. | 10:00 | St Paul's Little Café St Paul's, Warton |
| Sun. 12 Mar. | 11:00 | Parish Communion |
| Thu. <u>16 Mar.</u> | 09:15 | CE School Eucharist (rescheduled from 16 Mar.) |
| Sat. 18 Mar. | 10:00 | Coffee morning |
| Sun. 19 Mar. | 11:00 | Parish Communion Mothering Sunday |
| Sun. 26 Mar. | 11:00 | Parish Communion |
| Wed. 29 Mar. | 19:00 | Passover Celebration At Holy Trinity - by advance ticket |
| Thu. 30 Mar. | 09:15 | CE School service for Holy Week |



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