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## Dear Parents/Carers,

How can it be the end of the Spring term already? Congratulations to all our Progress Cup and Kindness Cup Winners. It is so lovely to share our Celebration Assembly with parents at the end of each half term.

What an amazingly busy week we have had with $\mathrm{Y} 3 / 4 / 5$ showcasing their excellent production of Cinderella Rockafella, I hope those parents who came to see the play were as impressed with the talent as I was.

A huge thank you to all parents and children who helped out at Environment Day last week - you have done an amazing job and the areas look fantastic. Thanks also to Dr Rob Smith who met with every class to share our Growing Research Project aims and information about sustainability. We are really looking forward to watching how our seeds and plants develop over the next few months.

Our next outdoor project is creating an outdoor garden in the pram shelter outside Care Club. Thank you to Matthew's Grandad who has donated some lovely bedding plants to get us started. If anyone has any old pots or planters (regular or quirky) that can be donated, we would be happy for you to leave them in this area during the Summer Term as Care Club get creative.

Year 6 have received their Leavers Hoodies, ready to wear on their return after the Easter break. I am looking forward to seeing an array of bright colours around school in the Summer Term. The final term for Year 6 is always a mixture of emotions but we do our best to give the children a truly memorable time and once SATS are out of the way we can concentrate on a Y6 performance, discos, the Summer Fair, and finally the Y6 leavers parties and assembly.

In the first few weeks of next term we will be sharing information with Y 2 parents about the iPad scheme for September 2023. This scheme has successfully enabled us to make sure that we can offer a high-quality computing curriculum, as well as huge improvements in everyday teaching and learning since 2019. We will also be hoping to finalise some dates and an itinerary for the Y5 London Trip in September 2023 once we have secured a booking at the Houses of Parliament.

Over the Easter holiday our new Reception starters for September 2023 should hear confirmation about school placement offers from Lancashire County Council. We will be getting in touch with all of our new starter parents/carers in the first week to give you more information about our New Starter Meeting and induction process.

Today Norah has joined Y4 and after Easter we will be welcoming another 2 new starters to school: Vaughan in Y1 and Leonardo in Y3. We are sure you and the children will give them and their families our usual Strike Lane welcome.

I hope the weather is kind to us all over Easter and that you all have an enjoyable break from school. I am heading to the Abba Voyage Concert in London tomorrow, so will be spending this evening working on my dance routines and poses!

Have fun and we will see you on Monday 17th April.
Mrs Katherine Shuttleworth

## Dates for your diary (new dates in red)

Friday 31 ${ }^{\text {st }}$ March - School closes for Easter Holiday (usual finishing times apply)
Monday 17 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ April - School Reopens For All Pupils
Monday $\mathbf{1 7}^{\text {th }}$ April -Y 4 Paddle
Sports Trip
Thursday $\mathbf{2 0}^{\text {th }}$ April - Y5 Indoor
Climbing Trip
Thursday $\mathbf{2 0}^{\text {th }}$ April - Y3 Library Visit

## Arbor Updates

If your child requires a place in Breakfast and/or After School Club please remember to book your child's place for Summer Term 1 via your Arbor App/Parent Portal. Your child will not have a place if you have not booked it.

Extra-curricular clubs have also been added to Arbor this week. To see what is available and register your child, head to the "Activities" section and select "Clubs"

## 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-schoolmeals/
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.

| Class Attendance <br> (week ending <br> (31/03/23) | Weekly |
| :---: | :---: |
| Oak | $96.0 \%$ |
| Beech | $97.3 \%$ |
| Rowan | $89.1 \%$ |
| Maple | $97.3 \%$ |
| Willow | $94.1 \%$ |
| Sycamore | $97.0 \%$ |
| Hornbeam | $90.6 \%$ |


| Progress Cup Winners |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| Well done to all our Winners <br> You should be very proud of your achievements |  |
| Year Group | Progress Cup Winners |
| Oak | Rocco-Lewis |
| Beech | Scarlett |
| Rowan | Jasmine |
| Maple | Indiana |
| Willow | Katie |
| Sycamore | Lyla |
| Hornbeam | Rendijs |

## Attendance

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

## Care Club Kindness Award

A huge well done to Violet in Y5 who has been awarded with the Care Club Kindness Award for this half term. Violet has been very helpful when attending Care Club. She has been kind, polite and is always willing to offer a helping hand. We hope you are very proud of your achievement.

## Outstanding Fees

Please could all parents, carers and staff ensure that Arbor accounts are brought up to date and any outstanding payments for lunches, care club and trips are paid as a matter of urgency where possible.

## 100 Club

The Friends have done their 100 Club Draw today and the winners are as follows:
$1^{\text {st }}$ Prize - $£ 25$
Jesse T
$2^{\text {nd }}$ Prize - $£ 10$
Hugo $P$
$3^{\text {rd }}$ Prize - $£ 5$
Austin A

We hope you enjoy your spends!!

## Y4 Paddle Sports \& Orienteering

Please remember Y 4 will have a class trip on the day we return. School packed lunches have been arranged for those who have requested them.
Kit List All participants will need to bring:

- Trainers to get wet (Sandals / Crocks etc are NOT suitable)
- Warm socks (to get wet)
- A full change of clothes (including
underwear) which should include 2-3 layers to keep warm
- A waterproof jacket if you have one
- Any medication you may need (inhaler / epipen etc)
- A packed lunch + drinks + snacks

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


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Arts and Crafts
Archery
Dance
Sport
Crystal Maze
T-shirt Design
Team Building
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DEALS
Sibling deals available online


## HOLIDAY <br> WORKSHOPS2023 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 10.00 am -3.30 pm 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 <br> The DSAuk 30th Anniversary National Dwarf

 Games 2023 on Friday 26th MayCan you help with the Smarties Challenge by collecting $20 p$ 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.


## 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 $3^{\text {rd }}$ - Thursday $6^{\text {th }}$
Week 2: Tuesday $11^{\text {th }}-$ Friday $14^{\text {th }}$

| EOOTBAIL_ 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 Costles, 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 <br> 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

BOOK VIA:
https://getstuckin.org.uk/


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## For Assistance Please Call 01772428086 or 07514316534

We cannot be held responsible for loss or damoge to property or clothing Please note we have a strict no refund policy once a place has been booked



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Easter Crafts at

## Freckleton Library

Book your time slot
10am, 10:30am or 11am


