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STRIKE LANE NEWS

5th May 2023

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Dear Parents/Carers,

Well despite this week being a 4-day week it has certainly been very busy! Year 5's had a wonderful time working with Mr Denton, Mrs Jones and the Fylde Ranger on their Ranger School activities. And of course, today we have had our Coronation Celebrations, naming our very own Stars of the Week as Kings and Queens of the Week. Today we enjoyed a whole school 'Street Party' on the KS2 playground. The children looked fabulous in their royal attire and thoroughly enjoyed their coronation lunches. Please check our Twitter feed and Facebook for pictures of the activities in our classes.

As you are aware, next week is also a 4-day week with Monday as a Bank Holiday. Year 5 will be having Ranger School back on Thursday and Year 4 will be visiting the library on Thursday also.

On Wednesday 10th May we will be holding our Induction Meeting for New Starters in September 2023. The meeting will start at 5.30pm prompt where we will be introducing parents to our Reception Team and the procedures for starting school. If possible, we do encourage parents to try to come without children as there is a lot of information to give out and listen to, and little people do tend to get bored. The exciting time for the children is when we begin our Induction Sessions in June of this year.

Next week is SATS week for our Year 6 children. It is really important that the children are well-rested, have eaten breakfast or a snack and are in school on time ready to do their best each morning. We are all so excited for the end of next week so that Year 6 can then concentrate on really enjoying their last term at Strike Lane.

Enjoy the long weekend of celebrations,
Mrs Katherine Shuttleworth

Dates for your diary (new dates in red)

Monday 8th May – King's Coronation Public Holiday – School Closed To Staff & Pupils

Tuesday 9th May – School Re-Opens For All Pupils

Tuesday 9th May – Y6 SATS Week

Tuesday 9th May – 6:30pm – Friends Meeting at The Coach & Horses Pub

Wednesday 10th May – 5:30pm-6:30pm – Reception 23 New Starter Meeting

Thursday 11th May – Y4 Library Visit

Monday 15th May – KS1 SATs Week

Thursday 18th May – Y1 Library Visit

Thursday 18th May – 5:30pm-7:00pm – End Of SATs Disco

Monday 22nd May – 4:30pm-5:00pm – Y2 iPad Meeting

Wednesday 24th May – Y2 Farmer Parr's Trip

Thursday 25th May – Non-Uniform Day – Colour Stall Donations

Thursday 25th May – Progress & Kindness Cup Assembly

Thursday 25th May – School Closes For Half Term (*usual finishing times apply*)

Friday 26th May – Staff Inset Day

Monday 5th June – School Re-Opens To All Pupils

Tuesday 6th June – Y1 Ridgeway Farm Trip

Friday 9th June – Non-Uniform Day – Chocolate Donations

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.

Class Attendance (week ending 05/05/23)	Weekly
Oak	97.8%
Beech	98.6%
Rowan	99.4%
Maple	98.4%
Willow	97.6%
Sycamore	97.6%
Hornbeam	98.1%

Kings & Queens Of The Week

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

Year Group	Kings & Queens Of The Week
Oak	Charles & Maycie
Beech	Melissa & Lucas
Rowan	Hope & Cian
Maple	Bembè & Olivia P
Willow	Tyler & Lenny
Sycamore	Lily L & Max
Hornbeam	Leyla S & Mia P

Attendance

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

Welfare Assistant Vacancy

We are currently looking to recruit a Welfare Assistant to help supervise the children across the lunch time period. This vacancy is for 1 hour per day, term time only. The successful candidate must demonstrate good time keeping and attendance skills, be committed to safeguarding in line with school policy, and uphold the school behaviour policy. Shortlisted applicants will require a DBS check and 2 references. If you or someone you know is interested in this upcoming vacancy, please contact the school office by emailing bursar@strikelane.lancs.sch.uk or by phoning 01772 632724 before Wednesday 10th May.

100 Club

The Friends have done their 100 Club Draw today and the winners are as follows:

1st Prize - £25
Mrs Shuttleworth

2nd Prize - £10
Harlow H

3rd Prize - £5
Katie H

We hope you enjoy your spends!!

Friends Meeting

The Friends will be holding their next meeting at The Coach & Horses Pub in Freckleton at **6:30pm on Tuesday 9th May.**

Please feel free to attend and see how you can get involved. There is no expectation of any parent volunteer, any amount of time you can give will always be well received by The Friends and there are a variety of ways you can get involved such as: volunteering and coordinating events, engaging with social media activity, donating raffle prizes and sharing ideas for improvements.

We make it clear that parents can come to The Friends meetings to just listen and learn, or they can take a more active role if they wish, there are no set expectations so please come along if you're able to do so.



We need your help!

Following on from all of the wonderful work Friends did with tidying our school grounds, we'd like to continue to enhance our outdoor area for all of the lovely outdoor learning that takes place in school. We are looking for the following items. If you or any other family members or friends can source any of these resources, they will be very much appreciated.

- Wooden pallets
- Planks of wood
- Logs- large and small, log slices
- Old cooking pots or pans
- Tarpaulin / material/ ribbon
- Tyres
- Den building resources
- Rope
- Off cuts of artificial grass.
- Empty cable reels
- Pebbles/ pinecones



Please send any donations to the school office.
Thank you!





We are also in need of any of the items shown here or similar to create some busy boards for our outdoor learning areas.



These are aimed at strengthening muscles in little fingers and hands to help with fine motor skills.

Thank you Papa Rocky for starting us off with our collection!

Please send any donations to
the school office.
Thankyou!





A Right Royal Celebration for our King's Coronation

**Sunday 7th May 2023 1pm till 6pm
Freckleton Village**

**• Stalls • Food & Drink • Music & Games •
and lots more for all the family**

Presented by Freckleton Parish Council

Line up of Events

1pm- Celebrations opened by Ruby Currell, accompanied by Freckleton Parish Council

Chairperson Thomas Threlfall- followed by entertainment by Frank Towers

1.15pm- Children to take their seats ready for the 'Royal Picnic.'

1.30pm- Freckleton Singers

2pm- 'Royal' dog parade- to be judged (winner announced at the 5.30pm presentations)

2pm- Frank Towers entertainment

2.30pm- Freckleton Brass Band

3pm- 'A Right Royal Bake off'- to be judged (winner announced at the 5.30pm presentations)

3.15pm- Frank Towers entertainment

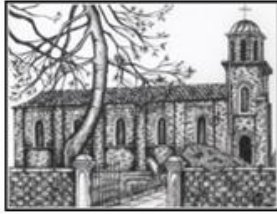
3.30pm- Freckleton Brass Band

4pm- Frank Towers entertainment-(Adult participation a must- Mr and Mrs, Freckleton's got talent)

5.30pm- Presentation of winners

Categories for the dog parade: 'Prettiest girl' and 'Most handsome boy'

Categories for 'The Right Royal Bake off': Adult and Children- decorating is a must!



Holy Trinity Church
Lytham Road
Freckleton
Preston
PR4 1AA



The Coronation of King Charles III



We are hosting a special family service
at Holy Trinity Church on Sunday 7 May
at 11:00 for the King's Coronation.

There will also be a churchyard working
party on Monday 8 May from 10:00, with a
nature hunt, bug houses, and a barbecue.

Everyone is welcome!



www.freckletonparishchurch.org.uk



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Tuesday 30th May -
Friday 2nd June



Children aged
6 - 12 years old

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£60 per week



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End of Sats Disco

Thursday 18th May

5.30pm -7pm



Tickets £2.50 payable through Arbor

There will be sweets and drinks available to purchase on the evening, please bring some extra pocket money

The Friends thank you for your continued support raising extra funds for school!

