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# STRIKE LANE NEWS

## 24<sup>th</sup> May 2023

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Dear Parents/Carers,

I feel like this half term has gone by in the blink of an eye. It has been so busy but packed with fun and pride as ever!

This week Year 2 have visited Farmer Parr's and Year 5 visited Fairhaven Lake to learn about rivers, estuaries and the water cycle. The children on both visits behaved brilliantly and we are extremely proud of how well they represented Strike Lane. We also had Deacon Kim in to deliver a whole school assembly on Pentecost as part of the RE curriculum.

Thank you to those Year 2 parents who joined the iPad meeting earlier this week and to those who have already signed up for the scheme. The closing date to sign up to the portal is Wednesday 7th June 2023. We apologise that the presentation was not the best quality to be recommending the scheme to you and are looking at ways that we can improve the meeting next year. We would welcome any feedback from our KS2 parents on how they find the scheme has supported their children's learning at home. Any responses can be sent to the school office [bursar@strikelane.lancs.sch.uk](mailto:bursar@strikelane.lancs.sch.uk)

Today is our final day of school for the children before half term. On our return on Monday 5th June we will begin our final half term for Year 6 before moving to High School. We have lots to look forward to including Sports Day, the Summer Fair and Moving On Up sessions for all of our children.

Year 1 will be completing their Phonics Screening Assessments during the second week back at school in June so keep practising your phonics and blending those sounds to read words at home over the half term break.

Let's hope the weather remains good for us all over the next week and I hope you all manage to enjoy some relaxing family time together.

Take care,

Mrs Katherine Shuttleworth

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

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

**Friday 26<sup>th</sup> May** – Staff Inset Day

**Monday 5<sup>th</sup> June** – School Re-Opens To All Pupils

**Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> June** – Y1 Ridgeway Farm Trip

**Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> June** – Reception Vision Screening

**Monday 12<sup>th</sup> June** – Y1 Phonics Screening All Week

**Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> June** – Y3 Imagine That! Trip

**Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> June** – Book Fair In School

**Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> June** – Y2 Library Visit

**Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> June** – Y4 Lancaster Museum Trip

**Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> July** – Sports Day Reception & KS1 AM, KS2 PM

### School Uniform

Please can I remind all parents that we continue to expect all children to be wearing full school uniform, which does not include trainers, until the end of our Summer Term. I have asked staff to speak to all parents of children who are not in complete uniform so that we can ensure our expectations of presentation are being maintained equitably across the school. If you need any assistance with uniform, please speak with Mrs Bamber or Tina in the school office. The school would hugely welcome any items of good quality uniform, including shoes and PE kits, which have been outgrown and which may help some families at the end of this school year. Any donations can be left at the school office.

### Extra-Curricular Clubs

Extra-Curricular Clubs for after half term are now available to book via your Arbor App.

Please note: As most clubs are a continuation from this half term, if your child is already attending Y5/6 Badminton, Street Dance, KS2 Rounders/Cricket or Cheerleading their place will automatically be confirmed for next half term.

If your child no longer wishes to attend a club please notify the school office as soon as possible to the place can be offered to another child.

### Care Club

The Care Club booking system is now set up in Arbor and ready to take Breakfast & After School Club bookings for next half term.

<b>Class Attendance (week ending (24/05/23))</b>	<b>Weekly</b>
Oak	92.1%
Beech	94.8%
Rowan	97.1%
Maple	98.4%
Willow	97.6%
Sycamore	90.9%
Hornbeam	95.7%

### **Progress Cup Winners**

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

<b>Year Group</b>	<b>Progress Cup Winners</b>
<b>Oak</b>	Harrison
<b>Beech</b>	Caelan
<b>Rowan</b>	Isla M
<b>Maple</b>	Freya
<b>Willow</b>	Hugo
<b>Sycamore</b>	Benas
<b>Hornbeam</b>	Erin

### **Attendance**

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

### **Care Club Kindness Award**

A huge well done to Jade in Y2 who has won the Care Club Kindness Award this half term for always following Care Club expectations and always being polite and well-mannered towards Care Club staff and fellow children.

### **Y1 Class Trip**

As you are aware Year 1 will be visiting Ridgeway Farm after we return from the half term break. Please ensure that trip payments have been made in order to confirm your child's place on the trip and that you have confirmed your child's meal arrangements within your Arbor App.

### **Y4 Swimming**

Due to unforeseen circumstances Y4 will have their swimming lesson on **Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> June** after we return from half term instead of Monday 5<sup>th</sup> as planned. This is for the first week only. Monday swimming will resume on Monday 12<sup>th</sup> June.

### **Outstanding Payments**

As we are at the end of another half term it would be appreciated if any outstanding payments for lunches, care club and trips could be paid as a matter of urgency wherever possible.

### **Half Price Panto**

There will be a pantomime production of "Rapunzel" at Blackpool Winter Gardens this Sunday 28th May, with performances at 3pm and 7pm. The Winter Gardens are offering a discount that entitles users to **25% off the cost of tickets** when they use the discount code **SCHOOLS**. Tickets can be booked from the Winter Gardens website at [www.wintergardensblackpool.co.uk](http://www.wintergardensblackpool.co.uk)

# Half Term Fun at Freckleton Library

Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> May 2023

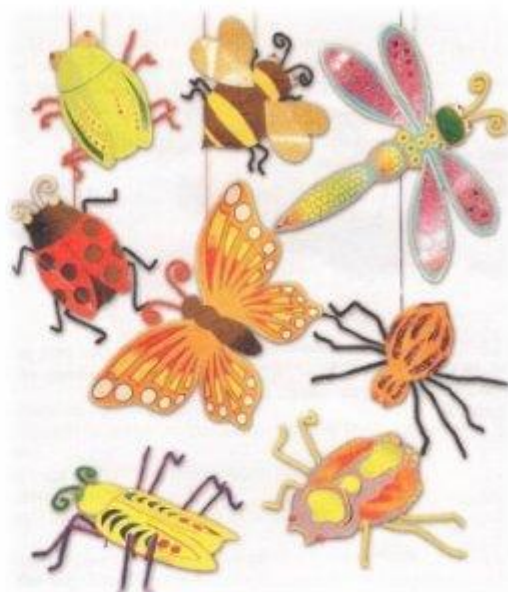
## It's a Bug's Life

Want something creative to do during half term?

Come along to create your very own colourful creature.

Book your time slot with the library:

10:00 am, 10:30 am or 11am



Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> June 2023

## Marble Mazes

Come along to make your very own marble maze.

Book your time slot with the library:

2:30 pm, 3:00 pm or 3:30 pm



- Email [freckleton.library@lancashire.gov.uk](mailto:freckleton.library@lancashire.gov.uk)
- Phone the main switchboard 0300 123 6703 (ask to be put through to the library to book at place.)
- Or, call in and book with staff at the desk.





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**JOANNE  
CLIFTON**

AS RAPUNZEL

ATOMIC KITTEN'S

**KERRY  
KATONA**

AS MOTHER GOHEL

EASTENDERS'

**DEAN  
GAFFNEY**

AS THE PRINCE

BRITAIN'S GOT TALENT'S

**JAMIE  
AND CHUCK**

AS THE COURT JESTERS



# Rapunzel

THE HAIR-LARIOUS HALF TERM PANTO ADVENTURE

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# WOODEN SPOON RUGBY & MULTI SPORT CAMP AT FYLDE RUFC

**09.00 – 15.00**

**BOYS & GIRLS AGED 5-11**

**31ST OF MAY - 2ND  
OF JUNE**



**£15**  
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