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# STRIKE LANE NEWS

## 14<sup>th</sup> June 2024

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Dear Parents/Carers,

This has been a very busy week starting with the Year 2 visit to Farmer Parr's which they thoroughly enjoyed and had perfect weather for.

Year 1 children have completed their phonics screening tests and we are looking at a pass rate of 80% for the class which is brilliant. We are so proud of all the children and their individual results will be shared with you on their end of year reports in a few weeks.

Most of Year 4 have completed their Multiplication, Times Table Checks and I think most of them are feeling fairly confident that they have performed well. We will not be able to find out their results until pupils who have been absent have taken this test next week and again these results will be shared with you on their end of year reports.

Thank you to the Friends of Strike Lane for organising DVD night last night – the children enjoyed a choice of Migration or Wish with hotdogs, drinks and sweets, raising more money for our 'extras' in school.

We are very much looking forward to having our 'new starters' in next week on Monday and Wednesday afternoon. This is a very exciting time for all of us and we can't wait to meet them all properly.

And of course, weather permitting, tomorrow is Freckleton Club Day – myself, Mr Denton, Miss Owens and Mrs Jones will be walking around Freckleton with those children who have registered on Arbor. Please meet us at Freckleton Methodist Church at 9am and we will meet you back at the Coach and Horses pub at approximately 10.45 -11am. Some of our Y5 and 6 children will be taking part in the races on the field later on in the afternoon – for those with Strike Lane kits please meet Mrs Richards, Miss Groome and Mr Schwandt on the field at 3.15pm. Unfortunately, the weather forecast is not favourable so these events may be cancelled at short notice. Please watch out on our Facebook Page for any information we receive as it will be difficult for us to send information via Arbor if we are away from our laptops/iPads/computers.

Whatever you are doing have a lovely weekend,

Katherine Shuttleworth

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

**Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> June** – Freckleton Club Day

**Monday 17<sup>th</sup> June** – Rec 24/25 Induction Stay & Play Session

**Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> June** – Y5/6 Rounders Competition  
(invitation only)

**Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> June** – Rec 24/25 Induction Stay & Play Session

**Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> June** – Y1 Library Visit

**Monday 24<sup>th</sup> June** – Rec 24/25 Induction Stay & Play Session

**Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> June** – Rec 24/25 Induction Stay & Play Session

**Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> June** – Sports Day Reception & KS1  
9:15AM, KS2 1:30PM

**Monday 1<sup>st</sup> July** – Rec 24/25 Induction Stay & Play Session

**Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> July** – Rec 24/25 Induction Stay & Play Session

**Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> July** – Y6 Carr Hill Transition Day

**Friday 5<sup>th</sup> July** – Y4 Paddle Sports at Fairhaven Lake

**Friday 5<sup>th</sup> July** – 3:30pm–5:00pm – Summer Fair

**Monday 8<sup>th</sup> July** – Rec 24/25 Induction Stay & Play Session

**Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> July** – Rec 24/25 Induction Stay & Play Session

**Friday 12<sup>th</sup> July** – Y6 LSA Transition Day

**Friday 12<sup>th</sup> July** – Progress Cup Assembly

**Friday 12<sup>th</sup> July** – End Of Year Reports

**Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> July** – 3:30-6:30pm – Y6 Leavers Party

**Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> July** – Reception Library Visit

**Friday 19<sup>th</sup> July** – 9:15am – 10:30am – Y6 Leavers Assembly

**Friday 19<sup>th</sup> July** – School Closes for Summer (*usual finishing times apply*)

### Free School Meals/Pupil Premium

If your financial circumstances have changed 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 14/06/24)	Weekly
Oak	95.4%
Beech	92.5%
Rowan	94.6%
Maple	96.1%
Willow	92.9%
Sycamore	89.2%
Hornbeam	97.7%

### Stars Of The Week

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

Year Group	Stars Of The Week
<b>Oak</b>	Erik & Mabel
<b>Beech</b>	Caden & Ned
<b>Rowan</b>	Henry & Eliza
<b>Maple</b>	Jasmine & Theo
<b>Willow</b>	Ashton & Scarlett-Marie
<b>Sycamore</b>	Annie & Fabia-Leigh
<b>Hornbeam</b>	Hadley & Violet

### Attendance

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

### Pupil Absence

This half term we have already seen a huge amount of holiday requests from school. May I remind everybody that absences for holidays will not be authorised unless there are exceptional circumstances. Whilst we currently tend not to issue fines as a school for holidays, there is new legislation which will be in place from September 2024. This includes new absence fine rates and thresholds at which penalties must be considered, as well as a requirement to share daily data with the government. Our Attendance Policy will be updated in September accordingly and any changes to our current policy will be made clear to parents.

### Blogging Club

Our bloggers and Mrs Hall have been working hard for a few years to create blog and vlog posts to engage students, pupils and potential new starters however, we're not sure that it has reached enough people. Please click the link below to see what they have been up to.

<https://strikelane.lancs.sch.uk/blog/>

### Pre-Loved Uniform

We are still accepting uniform donations so if anyone has any uniform items in good, clean condition please could they be brought to the school office. Our uniform rail will be back outside the office at the end of each school day next week so if you are in need of any items for your child/ren, please pop in to see what is available.

### Frozen Fridays

The Friends of Strike Lane will be selling ice creams and ice lollies on the playground each Friday until the end of term. A perfect way to cool down at the end of the week.



**Freckleton Club Day  
Sports Committee**



# **2 mile Family Fun Run**

To be run in conjunction with the Half Marathon on  
**SUNDAY 16th JUNE 2024**

**Start: to follow the Half Marathon which starts at  
10.30am**

**Entry: £2.00 on the field on the Saturday or Sunday**

**Limited to 200**

**Minimum age: 4 years**

**Toddlers in push chairs only.**

**No dogs allowed.**

**Groups can be registered in advance via the Club Day Secretary**

**MEDAL FOR ALL FINISHERS!!**

**Note: There will be event photography**

# Get a taste... of what we can offer you!

**Tuesday 18 June** Starting at 4.30 pm and finishing at 6.30 pm

We invite all current Year 5 primary school children to immerse themselves in the wonders of science, the creativity of design technology, the richness of history, the enchantment of English & literature and the beauty of languages and classics.

Your child will participate in two exciting lessons, followed by a complimentary meal in our welcoming Dining Hall.



**KIRKHAM**  
GRAMMAR SCHOOL

To ensure your child does not miss out on this experience, simply scan the QR Code provided or visit the link in your email to book.

Places are limited so please book early.

We look forward to welcoming everyone to Kirkham Grammar School in June.



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# Schedule – June 2024

Sun. 02 Jun.	11:00	<b>Worship4U</b>
Sat. 08 Jun.	10:00	<b>Club Day craft workshop</b> at Freckleton Methodist Church
	10:00	<b>St Paul's Little Café</b>
Sun. 09 Jun.	11:00	<b>Parish Communion</b>
Wed. 12 Jun.		<b>Mothers' Union</b> Courtyard Café afternoon tea
Thu. 13 Jun.	09:15	<b>CE School Eucharist</b>
Sat. 15 Jun.	09:00	<b>Club Day procession</b> Church open for refreshments
Sun. 16 Jun.	-	<b><u>No Sunday service at HT</u></b> Normal 09:45 service at St Paul's.
Sun. 23 Jun.	11:00	<b>Parish Communion</b>
Sat. 29 Jun.	19:30	<b>Warton Singers concert</b> at St Paul's, with Fylde Ukulele Band
Sun. 30 Jun.	09:45	<b>Joint service <u>at St Paul's</u></b> <b><u>No 11:00 service at HT</u></b>

*Evening Prayer Mondays at 16:00*



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## We need your help!!

Our annual summer fair is coming very soon

Friday 5<sup>th</sup> July

We would really appreciate any donations of the following items to help us make the event as successful as possible



Pre-loved teddies  
(good clean condition)

Bottles of wine  
(red, white or rose)



Items of very good quality ladies  
clothing for our brand-new  
'Strike Lane Vinted' stall

Cakes for our cake stall





