



# St Lawrence Church of England Primary School

## Newsletter 30 – Friday 12<sup>th</sup> May 2023



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## OUR VALUES FOR THE TERM IS FRIENDSHIP AND HAPPINESS

### Diary Dates

Mon 15 <sup>th</sup> May	Year 6 - Music workshop
Wed 17 <sup>th</sup> May	EYFS/ Year 1 visit from our local PCSO New starters parent meeting - 6pm in the school hall
Thurs 18 <sup>th</sup> May	Yoga/ Mindfulness day - Whole school PE kits please
Fri 19 <sup>th</sup> May	Whole school visit from M&M theatrical productions - The Secret Garden
Fri 19 <sup>th</sup> May	Year 4 residential ventures trip Art Competition closing date
Fri 26 <sup>th</sup> May	Last swimming session for Year 4 School closes for half term at the usual time of 15:30
Mon 12 <sup>th</sup> June	School Reopens Year 6 food safety course
Fri 16 <sup>th</sup> June	Father's day shop Year 3 trip to Brockholes on Windermere Non - Uniform day - Jam jar tombola
Sun 18 <sup>th</sup> June	Father's day service - 10am Year 2 leading
Mon 19 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 6 trip to London
Tues 20 <sup>th</sup> June	Sports day - KS1 AM and KS2 PM Library bus
Fri 23 <sup>rd</sup> June	Non Uniform day - Sweets
Sat 24 <sup>th</sup> June	The Rose Festival and family fun day
Fri 14 <sup>th</sup> July	Barton Ball - Barton Manor from 7pm
Fri 21 <sup>st</sup> July	School closes for summer

Huge **CONGRATULATIONS** to all of Year 6 who finished their SAT's today. They have all been amazing throughout the whole run up to the exams and especially this week. Their hard work, determination and commitment has shone through! We are so proud of every one of you!! The class celebrated today with a party on the field and a special visit from Brooks Ice cream with treats to finish off the week.



A special mention to Mrs. Sharp and Mrs Desai who have worked so hard with the class and also for making today such a memorable experience.

**WORD OF THANKS** - We just want to say a huge thank you to Robyn's grandad in Year 5 for fixing our basketball hoop. As you may know sometimes the equipment we have in the playground gets abused out of school hours and it takes a lot of money and time to keep repairing things, especially the basketball hoop! Leigh very kindly repaired it and brought it back strengthened. Thank you so much! Acts of kindness like these really do mean so much to us.



**ART COMPETITION - £20 CASH PRIZE.** In recognition of the King's Coronation, we are inviting pupils to enter a school art competition with a £20 prize for the winning entries across three age categories - Infants, Y3&4, Y5&6. Ex-pupil and local artist Stanley Mason has agreed to judge the competition. Pupils may use any medium they choose to design a portrait of King Charles. This can be 3D, 2D, practical or computerised. All entries will be displayed in school. The only rule is that the artist's name should not appear on the front of the image, as all entries will be judged anonymously.

**Closing Date - Friday 19<sup>th</sup> May. Judging - Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> May. Prizes presented - Friday 26<sup>th</sup> May.**



**PTFA NEWS** - The next PTFA meeting will be on Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> May at 8pm. Please join the meeting to help discuss future events and add any feedback.

<https://us04web.zoom.us/j/73616617541?pwd=UUrfbTobYcufOf5pxiSwCRrG4Yog2d.1>

Meeting ID: 736 1661 7541

Passcode: NBK5s9

**THE YOGI GROUP** - On Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> May we are having a visit from The Yogi group for a day of yoga and mindfulness. Each class will take part in sessions so the whole school will need to come to school in PE kits on this day please.

**THE SECRET GARDEN** - As a treat for the children we have arranged for M&M theatrical Productions to come in to school and perform 'The Secret Garden' on Friday 19<sup>th</sup> May. The whole school will get to watch the interactive show performed by the company.



**SPORTS DAY** - Sports Day will take place on Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> June (weather permitting). Following the success of last year, we will once again be holding EYFS & KS1 sports day in the morning and KS2 in the afternoon. Times to be confirmed, please feel free to bring parents/ grandparents etc to support the children. Children will need to wear their PE shorts, trainers and T-Shirt according to their house colour. If you would like to confirm which colour team your child is in

please email Mrs Higham - [bursar@st-lawrence.lancs.sch.uk](mailto:bursar@st-lawrence.lancs.sch.uk)

**ROSE FESTIVAL** We are very happy to announce that our Rose Festival and Family Fun Day will be taking place this year on Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> June. For parents that have not been before, you can expect a fun family afternoon with the crowning of our new Rose King, Isaac Chaloner, followed by a host of activities, games, stalls, BBQ and refreshment tent on the school field. This year we have an amazing bouncy castle, inflatable Hungry Hippos Game and Bungee Run! We know how our parents have a fantastic, competitive spirit so please come along and have a go yourself too! The parade to church will leave school at 2:30pm for the crowning ceremony. We should be back in school by 3pm when stalls and activities will be open.

**Again, we do depend on the help of a large army of volunteers. If you are able to spare an hour of your time to help out on the day please let Louise or Julie know. "Jobs" include setting up the field between 09:30am and 12noon, helping on a stall between 3pm and 5pm, Please, please help as it is really hard work when it is left to a few.**

#### NON-UNIFORM DAYS

**JAM JAR TOMBOLA** - Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> June - Please bring prizes for the jam jar tombola. These should be small enough to fit inside a jam jar. This can be one item or a selection of smaller items e.g. a small toy car or teddy or a handful of hair bobbles or rubbers.

**SWEETIE TOMBOLA** - Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> June - Please bring sweets of any kind for the Sweetie Tombola. It may be advisable to steer clear of chocolate as we are hoping for a sunny day!

**MYERSCOUGH COLLEGE OPEN DAY AND COUNTRY FAIR** - Saturday 11th June 10am - 4pm - The ultimate fun day for your family! Get ready for an action-packed family fun day out, including the usual array of demonstrations, shows and interactive activities from the College's many diverse subject areas as well as food, drink and live music and entertainment. Prospective students also get the chance to see the beautiful campus at its best and chat with tutors and staff from each area. FULL EVENT INFO & TICKETS <https://www.myerscough.ac.uk/open-day-country-fair-2023>

**MYERSCOUGH COLLEGE ART COMPETITION** - We have been invited to enter an art competition, which will be judged at the country fair on 11th June. There will be a category for Pre-Reception, Reception, Year 1 & 2, Year 3 & 4 and Year 5 & 6. There will be a £10 cash prize for the winner and 2 x £5 runner up prizes to be won. Children should limit their work to one A4 side and it should be based on one of the courses that they run at Myerscough college, a list of which can be found on their website - Search our Courses | Myerscough College . Work will be exhibited in the Children's village at the fair. Children must clearly write their name on the back and hand in to Mrs Higham by no later than Tuesday 16th May.

**BARTON BALL** - We are very happy to announce the return of the Barton Ball on Friday 14<sup>th</sup> July from 7pm. Tickets are now available to book on ParentPay priced at £35 per person. Discounts are available when booking for a table of 10 guests. The evening is a black tie event and will include a 3 course dinner, live music, disco, auction and raffle. Last year was an amazing success. Please book your ticket now to avoid disappointment! If you have a business or know someone with a business that is happy to donate a prize please contact Ally Lawson - [Ally.Thompson@inventory.co.uk](mailto:Ally.Thompson@inventory.co.uk)



**100 club winners** Congratulations to -

**April 2023.**

1<sup>st</sup> prize - £25 Mrs Nicki Detko

2<sup>nd</sup> Prize - £15 Mrs Charlotte White

3<sup>rd</sup> Prize - £10 Mrs Ally Lawson

4<sup>th</sup> Prize - £5 A. Field

**May 2023 -**

1st prize - £25 Mr Matthew Harvey

2nd Prize - £15 Mr Phil Bissell


3rd Prize - £10 I Holmes

4th Prize - £5 Mrs H Pye

 - TSC MAY HALF TERM MULTI SPORT AND FOOTBALL HOLIDAY CLUB - 

We are excited to release details of our half term multi-sport and football holiday club!

Tuesday 30th May to Thursday 1st June

 - Football Thursday on the 1st June - for those footy mad children who would like to book on for a full day of football.

Please let us know when making your booking if your child would like to sign up for our football days. Multi sports still available for all children on that date.

@ Barton St Lawrence Primary School, PR3 5AS.

Open to all children in school years 1 to 7. Drop off between 8:30-9am with pick up at 4pm.

All our clubs are run by highly qualified coaches with qualifications and vast experience in a variety of sports and educational settings. Children will take part in structured, age appropriate, fun sports sessions and individual and group challenges. Spaces are limited so please sign up early to avoid disappointment.

Cost -

£50 for 3 days

Or £18 for individual days

To sign up please email [totalsoccercentre@live.co.uk](mailto:totalsoccercentre@live.co.uk)

Details will soon be available for the Summer sessions which will be -

7<sup>th</sup> - 10<sup>th</sup> August

14<sup>th</sup> - 17<sup>th</sup> August

21<sup>st</sup> - 24<sup>th</sup> August