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With Christ at the centre of our
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The Newsletter
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PLEASE READ!

Dear Parents/Carers

Update since last newsletter:

- Well done to the Netball Teams who played their first matches of the tournament on Monday. They played tremendously well; looking forward to the next round on Monday 9th May at All Hallows. Fantastic start to the tournament!
- Fr Michael was very impressed with Y4 at the Sacramental Preparation session on Monday. The children were so polite and engaged.
- All the Infant Classes had a handwashing tutorial on Tuesday, many thanks to the outreach team from South Ribble for running the workshops.
- The new Forest School hut has now been delivered! Huge thanks to everyone who has supported any of the PTFA events over the past year as the funds have been put to very good use. Next on the list is making a firepit area!

School Choir:

Mrs Winter is looking for new members for the School Choir! The invitation is for anyone in Y3, Y4, Y5 or Y6 who loves to sing. Choir meet in the Green Room every Wednesday 8.15-8.45am. If your child is keen to join, please return the slip below asap.

Dates for May:

- Thursday 5th May** Y3 and Y5 to attend the Parish Mass at 9.30am.
- Thursday 5th May** Tag Rugby Tournament at Hutton Grammar 4.00 - 5.00 pm (letter issued to team 30th April).
- Friday 6th May** Reception Sports Day starts prompt 2.15 pm. Parents welcome to come along to spectate.
- Monday 9—13th May** SATS Week for Y6.
- Monday 9th May** Netball Tournament at All Hallows from 3.30 – 5.15 pm.
- Thursday 12th May** Tag Rugby Tournament at Hutton Grammar 4.00 - 5.00 pm
- Monday 16th May** Netball Tournament at All Hallows from 3.30 – 5.15 pm.
- Thursday 19th May** Reception Trip to Blackpool Zoo on Thursday 19th May (letter issued today).
- Thursday 19th May** **School Meal Promotion:** Swing into Summer School Meal Promotion. The menu: Beef Burger in a bun with Onion Rings or Quorn Dippers with Dips served with Potato Wedges & Mixed Salad followed by Homemade Chocolate Chip Shortbread. If your child does not normally have school meals, but would like to have a school lunch on 19th May please complete the attached slip and return to school no later than Thursday 12th May. Payment of £2.35 should be made in advance through ParentPay, our on-line payment system. Thank you.

- Friday 20th May** Sculpture Workshop at Bury Art Gallery for Y6 all day. A brilliant once in a lifetime opportunity to work with the talented Tony Heaton OBE. Letter sent home today.
- Tuesday 24th May** School Photographer in school to take class photos.
- Tuesday 24th May** Sports Day for Y1 2.15pm. Parents can come along to spectate.
- Wednesday 25th May** Whole school celebration for The Queen's Platinum Jubilee on. The children are to come to school dressed in red, white and blue!
- Wednesday 25th May School Meal Promotion:** Platinum Jubilee Street Party School Meal Promotion. The menu: Choice of filled sandwiches, Sausage Rolls, Crudities & Crisps followed by Jam & Cream Butterfly Buns. If your child does not normally have school meals, but would like to have a school lunch on 25th May please complete the attached slip and return to school no later than Wednesday 18th May . Payment of £2.35 should be made in advance through ParentPay, our on-line payment system. Thank you.
- Thursday 26th May** Y3, Y4, Y5 and Y6 will be celebrating Mass for the Feast of The Ascension at 2.15pm. Parents are invited.
- Friday 27th May** Sports Day for Y2 2.15pm. Parents can come along to spectate.

Finish for half term at 3.15 pm on Friday 27th May.

ParentPay Reminders:

Please may I remind parents to check their ParentPay account regularly and ensure that it is topped up and in credit! Outstanding amounts should never accrue to more than two weeks of debt, i.e. £23.50 for school meals and £35.00 for Early Birds.

The Play Stop After School Club:

WE ARE HIRING!!!

If you are an enthusiastic, friendly person who:

- loves working with children
- holds a childcare qualification or is willing to work towards one.
- works well within a team

This position would be to cover at the The Play Stop settings at Longton and Croston.

For an application form please email Janine - theplaystop123@gmail.com

Busy Parents:

Mrs Goulden is now compiling the results from the Climate Change Survey that was in the newsletter in March. If you didn't get the chance to take part, here are the links:

https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=gpn262sDxEyyAnrrGUxQZY_jvSsRZC5NmS2Di2hw_MZUQU1MOVRKQ1IMWjNHWU8zNIhXT0xHWUdCSC4u

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Mrs Benson is running the 5K Cash for Kids and is passionate about supporting local communities so if you want to donate to a great cause, follow the link. Good Luck Mrs Benson!

<https://www.cashforkidsgive.co.uk/campaign/cash-for-kids-day-2022-rock-ghr-5k-a-day-fundraising/fundraisers/lorna-benson/>

And finally...

As always, if you have any queries or concerns, please do get in touch and we will do our best to help!

Yours sincerely

B Wood
Headteacher

SCHOOL MEAL PROMOTION –SWING INTO SUMMER – THURSDAY 19th MAY

I would like my child to have a school meal on Thursday 19th May. I will ensure payment of £2.35 is made in advance through ParentPay.

Name of child: Year group:
Signature of parent/carer:

SCHOOL MEAL PROMOTION –PLATINUM QUEENS JUBILEE PARTY – WEDNESDAY 25th MAY

I would like my child to have a school meal on Wednesday 25th May. I will ensure payment of £2.35 is made in advance through ParentPay.

Name of child: Year group:
Signature of parent/carer:

YEAR 3/ YEAR 4/ YEAR 5/YEAR 6 CHOIR – WEDNESDAY’S 8.15-8.45AM, STARTING 4TH MAY IN THE GREEN ROOM

I would like my child to join the Choir.

Name of child: Signed:

Emergency contact nos.:
