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SCHOLASTIC BOOK FAIR

Thank you to everyone who attended the Book Fair, it was lovely to see so many enthusiastic readers supporting the event. The school received rewards points for every book that was sold, and these will go towards buying new books for the school library.



TEMPEST PHOTOGRAPHS

You will have now received your Tempest proof for your child's class photograph. If you would like to purchase a copy, please either order online or send the money into school in the envelope provided. Please note that if you are returning the proof to school to ensure that it is returned by Friday 10th May as after this date there will be an extra charge for postage.

ST GEORGES DAY - RUN JOG WALK FUNDRAISING EVENT

A big thank you to everyone for the sponsorship money that has been sent into school for Run Jog Walk. All the children looked amazing in red and white, with their flags and faces painted.

We have raised well over £1,200 which is a fantastic amount and the money will be split between school fund and the East Lancashire Hospice.



Photographs from the day are on our Facebook and Instagram pages.

SAT'S WEEK

A reminder that Year 6 pupils will be taking their KS2 SATs test week commencing Monday 13th May - Thursday 16th May. Assessments for many of the other classes will be taking place the following week. Children in Year 2 are also starting to complete their end of Key Stage assessments. Please remember that no Doctor or Dentist appointments should be arranged for these two weeks. Good luck to everyone!



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TT ROCKSTARS DAY

On Friday 24th May all children can come to school dressed as Rock Stars!

This is to tie in with children taking part in various multiplication activities and having lots of fun taking part in games, challenges, tournaments and singing and dancing. It is also to support the Year 4 children who will be taking part in the multiplication tests after the half term



LIBRARY FURNITURE

Our library settee has very kindly been beautifully reupholstered by Evertaut, a local company who specialise in seating for schools, colleges, universities, public buildings, theatres, cinemas and stadiums right across the UK! Thank you so much, it is fantastic and will be enjoyed by many children for years to come.



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THE CANCER BANK

A reminder that we are still collecting items for an amazing local charity, The Cancer Bank, which has been set up by a local headteacher, Dan Theobalds.

The Cancer Bank supports people going through treatment for cancer. They provide packages of essential items donated by members of the public, to people who are just beginning their cancer journey. Ashleigh will be a drop off point for some of the things they are collecting.

They are asking for the following new, sealed items:

- soft hair brushes
- transfer eyebrow tattoos
- dark nail polish
- large tooth combs
- thermometers
- shower sleeves
- hats
- gloves
- scarves
- snoods
- headscarves
- thermal slippers/socks (with grip soles)
- soft toothbrushes
- non-alcoholic mouthwash
- lip balm
- hand sanitiser

Please note, they can only accept brand new products in original packaging with labels. This is due to the risk of infection control. Please drop items off at the main office.

This is a fantastic local charity who are supporting people during really challenging times.

Thank you so much to everyone who has so far managed to contribute items to support this incredibly worthwhile venture. Mr. Matthews

Have a lovely May Bank Holiday weekend. We will see you all on Tuesday 7th May.



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May Day Bank Holiday - School Closed	Monday 6th May	
Outdoor Learning - Year 4	Tuesday 7 th May	AM
Outdoor Learning - Year 3		PM
Year 6 SAT's Week	Monday 13th May - Thursday 16th May	
Outdoor Learning - Year 2	Tuesday 14 th May	AM
Outdoor Learning - Year 1/2		PM
Outdoor Learning - Reception	Tuesday 21 st May	AM
Outdoor Learning - Year 1		PM
The Maya Workshop in School - Year 5	Thursday 23 rd May	All Day
Cross Country at St Peters School	Thursday 23 rd May	3.30pm - 5.00pm
TT Rockstars Day! - Whole School	Friday 24 th May	
School Closes for Half-Term	Friday 24th May	3.30pm
School Re-opens	Monday 10th June	8.45am
Outdoor Learning - Year 6	Tuesday 11 th June	AM
Outdoor Learning - Year 5		PM
Darwen Fire Brigade - Year 2 children	Wednesday 12 th June	
Mini Cops - Bowley Scout Camp	Thursday 13 th June	
New Intake Meeting	Thursday 13 th June	6.00pm - 7.00pm
Rotakids Conference - Lancaster University	Friday 14 th June	
Outdoor Learning - Year 4	Tuesday 18 th June	AM
Outdoor Learning - Year 3		PM
Mini Cops Final Presentation @ The Redeemer	Wednesday 19 th June	6.00pm
Year 6 - Winmarleigh Trip	Friday 21 st June - Sunday 23 rd June	
Outdoor Learning - Year 2	Tuesday 25 th June	AM
Outdoor Learning - Year 1/2		PM
Year 1 & Year 1/2 - Visit to Ridgeway Farm, Blackpool	Wednesday 26 th June	
Year 2 & Year 3 - Visit to Manchester Museum	Thursday 11 th July	
Year 4 Visit to Ribchester Roman Museum (half of class)	Friday 12 th July	
Year 4 Visit to Ribchester Roman Museum (half of class)	Thursday 18 th July	
Non-uniform - Whole School	Monday 22 nd July	
School Closes for Summer Holidays	Monday 22nd July	1.00pm



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