



- 14th Family Service in school 4pm
- 15th Y6 Bikeability
Keyboard concert 9:30am and 10:15am
- 16th **Non-uniform day (chocolate fine)**
Friends Summer Disco
- 17th School's Out Leavers' Party
- 19th Leavers' Service in church at 9:15am (Y6 parents event in school following the service)
Break up for summer holidays



- 2nd INSET day
- 3rd School Reopens after summer break

Clubs WB 15th July

- Mon:** Football - boys and girls
- Weds:** Ribcaged drama
Cricket

End of another year

This will be the final newsletter of this school year and next week we say goodbye to another cohort as they move on to secondary school. Parents are welcome to join us as we 'celebrate' the end of term at the leavers service in church at 9:15am on Friday. The children in Y6 have put together a short presentation and song as part of the service. Following this, Year Six parents are invited into school at around 10am for presentations to each Year Six leaver.

Year Sixes can bring a spare t-shirt into school on the final day to be signed by their friends but this should only be worn once the service and presentations are finished.

Next week, please could children bring a strong carrier bag into school so that they can take their books home on Tuesday.

End of Year Reports

Your child should have received their end of year report today. The report format is similar to last year and gradings and assessments are explained on the back sheet. If you wish to discuss any issues raised on the reports with the classteacher, please ring the school office to arrange a convenient time.

Sports Kit

We are still missing some school sports kit—the blue and black striped football shirts, black shorts and black socks with blue trim, netball polo shirts with the school crest and blue skirts and also the blue sports t-shirts with 'Whalley' across the back. Please could any outstanding kit be returned to school as soon as possible.

Medicines

We are holding on to lots of medicines which have been sent in to school over the year. If you would like to reclaim your child's medication, please collect it from the office before the end of term. Any medicine which is left once school finishes will be disposed of.

Mon	Tues	Weds	Thurs	Fri
Fish burger in a bun, wedges & veg	Pork meatballs gravy & mash	Roast beef dinner, carrots & broccoli	Chicken & veg curry, rice & naan	Sausage Roll with chips
Tomato Pasta	Veggie sausage, mash, veg and gravy	Quorn & veg chilli tortilla boats, wedges & salad	Cheese & onion lattice fingers, veg, potato noisettes	Cheese and tomato pizza, veg sticks
Soft white roll with choice of fillings & veg sticks	Jacket potato with Cheese or beans or tuna mayo	Jacket potato with Cheese or beans or tuna mayo	Pork sausage bun, potato noisettes & baked beans	Filled sandwich roll



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SATs Results

Children in Year Six have received their SATs scores this week. The provisional results are still unverified and there is a limited picture of the national outcomes but, the school results are shown in the table.

Thank you to all the Y6 children for all their hard work in achieving these results. The maths scores and higher standard percentages, in particular, were excellent and we are, as always, very proud of the effort the children made.

(national 2019) (national 2018*)	Expected +	Higher Standard 110+
Reading	74% (73%)	38% (28%)*
Writing	81% (78%)*	25% (20%)*
Grammar, Punctuation and Spelling	81% (78%)	48% (34%)*
Maths	98% (79%)	38% (24%)*

End of Year Disco

Summer Disco. Tuesday 16th July.

Dance routines, games and fun!

KS1 6pm-7pm KS2 7.15pm-8.15pm

Year 6 only 8.15pm-8.45pm

£2 Entry.

Water, juice, snacks and tattoos will all be on sale.

Helpers are also required, and always much appreciated.

Friends.

Library Books

Please could all reading books, library books and accelerated reading books be returned to school on Monday.

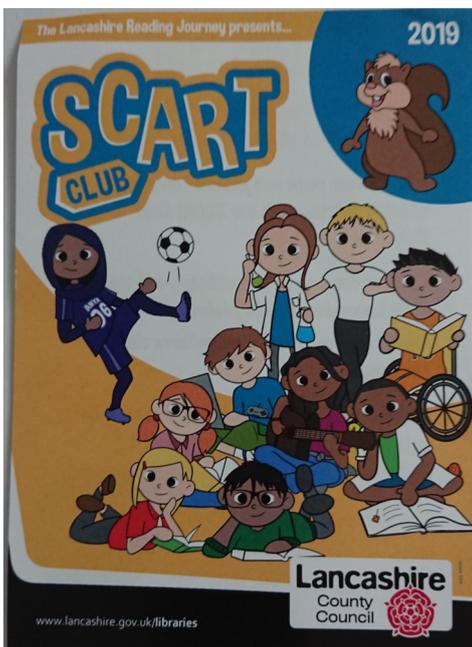
Uniform

I would like to reiterate that the new uniform (other than PE kit) is entirely optional from September. If your child's current uniform is still in decent condition, please continue to wear it.

Community Notices

Tables Challenge

We had a very exciting maths competition recently where children from the three Year Three classes competed against one another in a times tables competition. The standard was very high across the board with Sycamore Class eventually coming out as champions. Pictures can be seen on the Twitter feed.



Ribble Valley Tennis Centre

Summer Holiday Tennis Sessions

Details of week long courses at the tennis centre at Roefield are available from the school office

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There is still a huge pile of lost property in the cupboard in the corridor to Oak Class.

Lost Property

Please could all dinner money balances be settled before the end of term. There is still a large amount of money outstanding.

Outstanding Payments

Also, please could I remind parents of children going on the residential visit to Robinwood that ideally the balance needs to be paid prior to the trip. If this is going to be difficult, please speak to the office to discuss options. .

It was a real privilege to attend each performance of 'Porridge' this week. It was lovely to see the enthusiasm and enjoyment displayed by the children as they performed on the stage and the confidence was amazing! Thank you to all the parents, friends and relatives who supported the children. Orders for the DVD will need to be placed by the end of school today (Friday) to guarantee delivery before the end of term.

KS2 Production

Mr Barker has availability for any children from Y2 and above who would like to have guitar lessons next term. If you are interested, please contact the school office or Mr Barker directly on 01254 56826

Guitar, Keyboard and violin Lessons

Also, if any children in Y2 and above wish to play keyboard with Mr Lee or violin with Mrs Burrows from September, details can be collected from the school office.

I would like to thank all the children, teachers, teaching assistants, support staff and governors for all their hard work this year. We will return in September

And finally

ready to strive to make our school a happy, vibrant community where children enjoy learning and make good progress. Throughout the year, as parents you have supported the school in so many ways and I am extremely grateful for this. The Friends of the Whalley School, in particular, deserve special mention for their tireless work to raise money to provide resources for the children. As the school budget become increasingly tight, financial support such as this will make a massive difference to the quality of provision we can offer.

Best wishes to all our Year Six leavers. It has been a pleasure to have you at Whalley and you are always welcome to come back and visit. I would like to give special thanks to parents for whom the link with Whalley School is finishing - for all the support you have provided for your child and the school during their association with us .

I would like to thank Mrs Ellel and Miss Walker - both of whom are finishing at the end of term to start new ventures - with Mrs Ellel taking up the position of Headteacher at Wellfield Primary School and Miss Walker focusing upon her own business. They have both made a huge contribution to the life of the school over the past few years and we will miss them. Best wishes also go to Miss Oakley.

It was lovely to welcome Mrs Holland into school for the performance on Weds afternoon. She was looking really well but she still has a further operation scheduled over the summer holidays. We hope she will be well enough to return sometime in the Autumn.

I hope you all have a relaxing summer break and I look forward to welcoming all the children back in September - especially our new starters.

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