

07.06.2022

We hope you have had a good break and enjoyed the celebrations. This newsletter comes with our very best wishes for a **happy and successful** final half-term of the academic year for all our children and their families. This half-term is always a busy one – but is often filled with special moments for our pupils... so please take a moment over the next few weeks to enjoy the community events we have planned and celebrate the difference they make to all our children.

# Sarah Annette



Well done to our Half-Term Headteacher's Award Winners – what an amazing achievement!

- Reception: Sophia M. for amazing progress in all areas – a fantastic half-term's work.
- Y1: Holly G. for always setting a good example and doing her best work!
- ✤ Y2: Daisy H. for always doing her very best.
- ✤ Y2: Louise K. for always doing her very best.
- Y3: Zakariyah A. for really coming out of his shell this half-term and impressing everyone with his RE knowledge.
- Y4: Alice W. for her consistent hard-work all term leading to a fantastic independent write!
- Y5: Taylor S. for producing amazing work all half-term and setting a great example to others.
- ❖ Y6: Archie N. for getting involved with all lessons sharing brilliant ideas and following the rules to set a good example.





Happy Birthday: Meadow-Rose S. (Y1), Emily Mc (Y2), Mika K. (Y2), Taylor S. (Y5), Lukas O. (Y6), Thomas R. (Y5).

**Jim Jam Jog:** What an amazing event – the atmosphere was fantastic and the children absolutely loved it – they certainly earnt their breakfast! Thank you for all donations sent in so far – we are so close to raising what we need! If there are any donations still to be sent in please could you send them in by Friday of next week then we can share the fantastic news with you all!















**Platinum Jubilee Celebrations:** The children had a wonderful few days participating in a variety of Jubilee activities. These included the Jim Jam Jog, Pin the Tail on the Corgi, creating amazing Platinum Jubilee artwork of the Queen through the decades, creating crowns for the Queens Platinum Jubilee and learning a Jubilee dance through the decades. This was made even more special when our families joined us in a small presentation and enjoyed watching the children perform. It was a lovely way to end a very special week and we would like to thank everyone who attended. Huge thanks also to all the Staff for organising this lovely week.





Once again - Young Voices proved to be a memorable, lifechanging experience for all of the junior children who attended. The children didn't stop all day – the dancing carried on until the very last note played – I was so incredibly proud of all your hard work and hope that you all enjoyed it as much as me! Despite the delay to the event, teachers and pupils alike agreed it was unquestionably worth the wait!







'We Are 'Rivi!'

The Y4 residential trip to The Anderton Centre was a great success and the weather was beautiful. The children took part in canoeing, archery, jumped in the very cold reservoir, had a campfire and toasted marshmallows. Well done to everyone who went for your efforts and "can do" attitude! Particular thanks to Miss Whitehead and Miss Biggs for taking the Children!





'We Are 'Rivi!'







Non-uniform Days for the Summer Fair: We have two non-uniform days planned to help collect items for the Summer Fair which takes place on Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> July 11am-2pm. Historically, this has always been a huge fundraiser for school and will help in our efforts to improve early reading,

curriculum resources and playground provision.

The first of these two days will take place on **Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> June** when we are asking for donations of **toys**, **teddies**, **books (in good/safe condition and unwanted uniform**.

The second day will take place on **Friday 24<sup>th</sup> June** when we are asking for donations **of sweets and chocolate for our sweet tombola**.



## Easy Fundraising for Rivi: How does it work?

Easyfundraising turns your everyday online shopping into free donations for our school. Just start your online shopping first at Easyfundraising, then shop as normal. Retailers will then make a small donation to say "thank you". Better yet, some retailers make free donations just for switching to their services, participating in free trails or even simply

registering to receive emails from their website.

Start earning donations now by registering for one of the easiest fundraising ideas for our school. There's over 6,830 retailers to choose from and so far we've raised over £40 million for thousands of community groups, sports clubs, schools & PTA's and small & large charities across the UK!

https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/



### THE WILDLIFE TRUSTS



#### Sign up for the UK's biggest nature challenge!

30 Days Wild is The Wildlife Trusts' annual challenge where we ask everyone to do one wild thing a day throughout the month of June.

You can sign up below to receive a FREE pack - either through the post or via email (business pack only available digitally) - and receive lots of fun activities from us

throughout the month to keep you inspired. Please note that only the individuals & families pack contains wildflower seeds, but don't worry - the others contain lots more fun stuff!



**Preston Pretty Muddy 5k - A Message from Jack F (Y3) and James P (Y3):** James and Jack – alongside their Mums - are entering into the Preston pretty muddy 5k on 11 June 2022 in aid of breast cancer research <u>Preston Pretty Muddy 5k 2022 | Race for Life |</u> Cancer Research UK.

It's a 5km muddy obstacle course for children and adults. There are two waves for the children starting at either 12.30 or 12.45 and for the adults at 2pm and 2.15pm. Children have to be 1.2m tall to take part in the event. Adults accompanying the children will run alongside the course but are not allowed to take part on the obstacles.



Given success of the recent cross country event James and Jack were wondering if any of the other children in the school (and their parents of course) would like join us and take part?

We would love to encourage as many children as possible to join in, have fun, get muddy with their friends and raise money for a very worthy cause.

**Chorley & District Support for Ukraine**: For up-to-date information about the Sponsorship Scheme and donations for the Ukraine please follow this link: <u>https://www.facebook.com/groups/1121686242002113</u>



**Ukraine Emergency Appeal** - St Laurence's Church is acting as a drop off point for International Aid Trust's Ukrainian appeal. Any donations can be dropped off at St. Laurence's Church Tuesday – Friday 11am-2pm.

**Reminder: Fruit ONLY Snacks/NUT ALLERGY** - As we are a healthy school and we are educating and promoting healthy lifestyles to our children, fruit and vegetable only snacks are allowed for break times from September. **Please could you also ensure that your child does not bring any food into school that CONTAINS NUTS as we do have a child with a nut allergy in school.** Thank you for your co-operation.

Have a wonderful Week!

The Rivington Team

### Creating visions of the future through kindness and today's strong foundations. 'We Care, We Trust, We Believe, We Share, We Enjoy, We Achieve!'

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# Summer Term Key Dates so far:

Date: Summer 2	Event
Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> June	INSET Day
Wednesday 8 <sup>th</sup> June	Reception and Y6 Health Checks
Thursday 9 <sup>th</sup> June	History – The Blitz day – Y5/6
Friday 10 <sup>th</sup> June	Striking and Fielding Festival Reception
	and KS1 – all day – Chorley Cricket Club
Friday 17 <sup>th</sup> June	Y6 Cricket – all day – Chorley Cricket
	Club
Tuesday 28 <sup>th</sup> June	Sports Day @ West Way Sports Hub -
	Chorley
Friday 1 <sup>st</sup> July	Reception Class Assembly
Friday 1 <sup>st</sup> July	Y5 Cricket – all day – Chorley Cricket
	Club
Saturday 2 <sup>nd</sup> July 11-2pm in the School	Summer Fair
Grounds	
Wednesday 6 <sup>th</sup> July	New Reception Visits - pm
Wednesday 6 <sup>th</sup> July	Moving Up Afternoon
Friday 8 <sup>th</sup> July	KS1 Judaism Day
Friday 8 <sup>th</sup> July	New Reception Visits - pm
Friday 8 <sup>th</sup> July	Y3/4 Cricket Skills – Chorley
Monday 11 <sup>th</sup> July	'Rivi's Got Talent'
Tuesday 12 <sup>th</sup> July	'Rivi's Got Talent'
Wednesday 13 <sup>th</sup> July	Nursery visits pm
Thursday 14 <sup>th</sup> July	New Nursery Visits – pm
Friday 15 <sup>th</sup> July	End of Year Performance
Monday 18 <sup>th</sup> July	End of Year Performance
Tuesday 19 <sup>th</sup> July	Full Governors
Thursday 21 <sup>st</sup> July 1:30pm	Y6 Leavers Service
Thursday 21 <sup>st</sup> July	School Closes for Summer Holidays
	(re-opens Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> September)
Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup> July	INSET Day
Date: Autumn 1	Event
Thursday 1 <sup>st</sup> September	INSET Day



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