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07.07.2022

Well done to our Seven Wonders Award Winners W/B 24.06.2022 – what an amazing achievement!

- ❖ **Reception: Tilly C. – for having the best ideas! Always making interesting things in the workshop (usually headwear!).**
- ❖ **Y1: Ava S. – for super writing- using all her phonics!**
- ❖ **Y1: Abbie W. – for fabulous maths work!**
- ❖ **Y3: Toby C. – for his amazing hard-work in maths and using all the methods needed in your tests.**
- ❖ **Y4: Mae R. – for your fantastic attitude towards learning. Your hand has been up constantly and you have tried so hard.**
- ❖ **Y5: Louis A. – for taking part in all activities and having an amazing week.**
- ❖ **Y6: Ollie H. – for having an amazing team spirit and encouraging others all week!**



Happy Birthday: Thomas D. (Y1), Charlie D. (Y5), Lewis B. (Y5), Tilly C. (Rec), Bella K. (Y5), Beau B. (Y4), Freddie M (Y1), Toby C. (Y3), Zain A-K. (Y6).

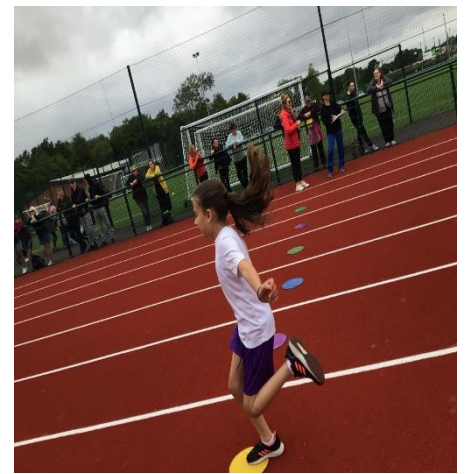
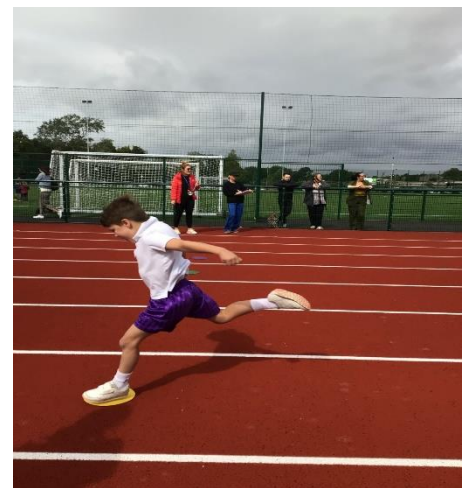
Sports Day – Thursday 4th July: The children were brilliant on Sports Day - we are very proud of them all. They were so supporting and encouraging of each other and did their very best in all events - showing great resilience. Most importantly, the children looked like they had lots of fun! Thank you to everyone who came to support us and to Westway, Chorley who helped to organise the event. We would also like to say a massive thank you to all the parents and families who supported us during the morning – it certainly was a fantastic experience for us all!

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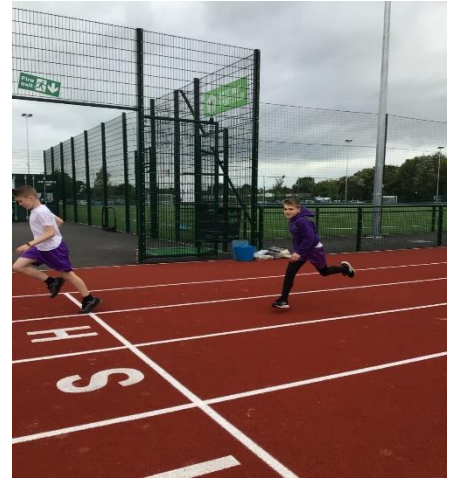


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Mr. Martindale: It is with some sadness that we share the sad news that Mr. Martindale is retiring. We are very grateful to Alan for his many years of dedication to the Late-Stay Club and for his wonderful care for the children – we know that our

children can make the best dens and paper aeroplanes in Lancashire and it's all thanks to Mr. Martindale! His contributions – no matter how small - to the lives of our children make such a difference to their day. I know that they treasure the books and drawings he has given them over the years. We also know that Alan will miss the children very much and we and that they will certainly miss him. May I take this opportunity, on behalf of the governors and myself, to greatly thank Alan for all the hard work and immense commitment he has given to Rivington and its wrap around provision. Alan has provided endless fun, happiness and learning to our pupils that I

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know (from what they say - including my own children) they will treasure and remember forever. Mr. Martindale has also always provided a happy peace of mind to our parents that their most important treasures - their children - are happy, safe and experiencing life to the fullest. Thank you, Alan. We all wish you the very best for a relaxed, enjoyable and well-deserved retirement.



We are delighted to announce that Rivington Foundation Primary School, has achieved the School Games Gold Mark Award for the 2021/22 academic year.

A special thanks to: Mrs. Cliffe as PE co-ordinator (for all her hard-work and completing the bid) and to all the staff who have attended competitions and supported our children in PE sessions and out-of-school clubs! We look forward to applying once again in 2023!



Summer Fair: We would like to say a huge thank you to The Friends of Rivington Primary School and our families for all your support. The Summer Fair and raffle raised a record breaking amount of money -

£2400! We have never raised so much

and this was down to the hard-work and commitment of our wonderful staff and a number of amazing parents! Thank you to everyone who contributed towards the raffle prizes which were amazing – the raffle alone raised around **£750** towards the total collection. The children had great fun.

We are so grateful for all the hard work and all the funds raised which will go a long way to support your children in school – contributing towards our foundation curriculum subjects and improving our outdoor space.

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The next Friends of Rivington Primary School meeting is on **Friday 9th September at 2pm**. We are desperate to appoint a new Chair, Vice Chair and Treasurer as our present committee's children move off to high school. If you are interested in these positions please contact the office (01204 696951) or head@rivington.lancs.sch.uk

Please come along to get to know the team. We have some very exciting plans for the new academic year and want to start preparing for the Christmas fair. Everyone is welcome and we look forward to seeing you there.

May I take this opportunity to thank Mrs. Noblett, Mrs. Tomlinson, Mrs. Greenhalgh and Mrs. Houseman for all their contributions towards the Friends of Rivington Foundation Primary School – and the difference this has made to the education of our children.



SUMMER FAIR!
Saturday 2nd July from 11am - 2pm
Rivington Foundation Primary School
Horrobin Lane, Rivington BL6 7SE

- DJ / MUSIC
- BBQ
- ICE CREAMS
- BOOK STALL
- TOY STALL
- CAKES
- BEAT THE GOALIE
- TOMBOLA
- PLAY STATION GAMES
- ...AND LOT'S MORE

All proceeds will go towards supporting wider curriculum provisions and resources in School.

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Jim Jam Jog: The results are in! A massive, huge THANK YOU to everyone who supported and sponsored our children at this year's Jim Jam Jog! After counting all the sponsor money, we can confirm that we raised £1500 which we will use to purchase resources and training for the foundation subjects and equipment for PE. Many, many thanks!



Small Schools Swimming Gala 2022: Team Rivi completed a super swim at the CSSP small schools competition, collecting the following medals;

- Individual gold for 25m breast stroke
- Individual silver for 25m butterfly
- Team gold for 4x25m mixed medley relay
- Team silver in the Aqua Splash

And we very narrowly missed out on a team medal for the mixed cannon freestyle too!

Go team Rivi! Well done to all involved, you were quite simply brilliant 🥳

Congratulations to Y6: Well done to our Y6 pupils who, after 2 years of huge disruption, managed to achieve a combined Reading, Writing and Maths of **80%**! This is fantastic compared to the national average of **59%**. Here is a further comparison with us and the national averages:

- 59% of pupils met the expected standard in all of reading, writing and maths, down from 65% in 2019. **School achieved 80%!**
- 74% of pupils met the expected standard in reading, up from 73% in 2019. **School achieved 93%!**
- 71% of pupils met the expected standard in maths, down from 79% in 2019. **School achieved 80%!**
- 69% of pupils met the expected standard in writing, down from 78% in 2019. **School achieved 80%!**
- 72% of pupils met the expected standard in grammar, punctuation and spelling, down from 78% in 2019. **School achieved 80%!**
- 79% of pupils met the expected standard in science, down from 83% in 2019. **School achieved 93%!**

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Sparkle Day: On Monday we held a 'Sparkle Day' to raise money for the 'Sparkle Bean Charity' in memory of Saffie Rose Roussos a former pupil of Tarleton Community Primary School who was tragically killed in the Manchester Arena attack in 2017. Monday would have been Saffie's 14th birthday.

'Sparkle Day' day raised money for the charity and it was a day for the teachers and children to focus on having fun and celebrating the innocence of childhood! It was a fantastic way to come together to raise money for a good cause and remember a young life in a positive way.

Children and staff joined together to wear sparkly outfits, sparkly hairstyles, sparkly face paints and even had sparkly tattoos.

Thank you to everyone for your support and generosity for this valuable cause. The money raised will go to the Sparkle Bean Trust which is a new charity that aims to support primary schools with advice and grants following the sudden death of a pupil, so that school communities are supported.

Warm Weather: Please could all parents/carers ensure that your child has sun cream applied before they come into school and that they bring a sunhat and a water bottle.

Parking- Thank you for all your efforts with our impossible situation! Please stay away from the yellow zig-zagged lines - patrols are in place! Please can you not leave cars near to the entrance to the rear carpark – these cars are requiring children and families to walk into the road – presenting families with a very dangerous situation.

School respectfully asks Parents/Carers/Grandparents not to park on the Church driveway opposite school. It is used by people attending the church to visit graves, attend a service or those dealing with general church business. It is crucial for school that we have the best relationship possible with our neighbours – especially the Church.

Name in Uniform: Please could all parents ensure that their child's uniform is named. With the weather getting warmer children are taking off cardigans and jumpers during the day and they are being misplaced. Please be aware that the iron-on nametags soon start to come off. Please also write names in shoes as several children tend to have the same style. Thank you.

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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 trials 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/>

Chorley & District Support for Ukraine: For up-to-date information about the Sponsorship Scheme and donations for the Ukraine please follow this link:

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/1121686242002113>

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

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Summer Term Key Dates so far:

| Date: Summer 2 | Event |
|---------------------------------------|---|
| Wednesday 6 th July | New Reception Visits - pm |
| Wednesday 6 th July | Moving Up Afternoon |
| Friday 8 th July | KS1 Judaism Day |
| Friday 8 th July | New Reception Visits - pm |
| Friday 8 th July | Y3/4 Cricket Skills – Chorley |
| Monday 11 th July | 'Rivi's Got Talent' |
| Tuesday 12 th July | 'Rivi's Got Talent' |
| Wednesday 13 th July | Nursery visits pm |
| Thursday 14 th July | New Nursery Visits – pm |
| Friday 15 th July | End of Year Performance |
| Monday 18 th July | End of Year Performance |
| Tuesday 19 th July | Full Governors |
| Thursday 21 st July 1:30pm | Y6 Leavers Service |
| Thursday 21 st July | School Closes for Summer Holidays (re-opens Monday 5th September) |
| Friday 22 nd July | INSET Day |
| Date: Autumn 1 | Event |
| Thursday 1 st September | INSET Day |
| Friday 2 nd September | INSET Day |
| Monday 5 th September | School Opens |
| Friday 9 th September | Friends of Rivington Foundation Primary School Meeting 2-3pm in the Treehouse. |

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