



Head's Message

Dear Parents and Carers,

Big congratulations to Singing Club who won the East Lancashire regional heat of the Last Choir Singing Competition, on Thursday 21st March. This year, the choir were presented with a range of new vocal challenges and the children made Miss Greenhalgh and me so proud with their stunning performances of the set song, as well as our very own version of **Diamonds**. The children will now perform at the grand final at King George's Hall, Blackburn on 21st June. Tickets will be available to purchase from Monday 1st April via King George's Hall box office - 01254 582579, or online via www.kinggeorghall.com. It is better to book at the box office as this is cheaper than booking online, via Ticketmaster.



In other choir news, Singing Club is honoured to have been invited to perform at the annual conference for the Diocese of Manchester, held at the University of Bolton Stadium. The children will lead sung worship at the closing Eucharist of the annual conference and will lead two hymns during the service. Pupils will also be chosen to do a reading and lead the prayers. The conference will take place on the afternoon of Friday 26th April and a letter with the full details will be sent home next week. There will no charge to parents for this event.

We have enjoyed more sporting success this week. On Tuesday, the netball team won both of their matches, 7-1 and 9-0. Edenfield remain at the top of the Rossendale League with two matches to play next week. We wish all our netballers and Miss Harris the very best of luck – the championship is within our grasp!

As Easter falls at the very end of the holidays, we will be holding our annual Easter events, week commencing 23rd April. Please keep your eyes peeled next week for details about the return of our Eggstastic Easter Competition. This will provide a fun activity for your child to complete during the holidays. Other Easter themed events will take place during that week.

Please note, the Easter Service will take place as normal on the last Friday of term, 5th April at 1.30pm. The service will be led by years 5 and 6 with singing accompaniment provided by the choir. We look forward to welcoming you to our end of term events next week.

Warm wishes,

C. L. Garner



Extra-Curricular Activities

Week commencing: 1st April 2019

Clubs take place from 3.15pm - 4.15pm unless otherwise indicated.

Day	Activity	Year Group
Tues	Ethos Committee (Lunchtime Club)	Years 3, 4, 5 and 6
Tues	Boys' Football	Years 5 and 6
Tues	Skiing (Club finishes at 5pm)	Years 3, 4, 5 and 6
Wed	Singing Club (Lunchtime Club)	Year 3, 4, 5 and 6
Wed	Judo	Paid for activity (Years 1-6)
Thurs	Multi Fitness	Years 2 and 3
Thurs	Digital Leaders (Lunchtime Club)	Year 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6

Please Note: As per the text messages sent there will be no Netball or Rugby next week and Multi Fitness will be after school on Thursday.

Whole School Awards

Whole School Awards will take place on Thursday 4th April at 2.00pm. This will include performances from the dance troupe and Singing Club.

PGL Payment

Thank you to everyone who has sent the final payment for PGL. The final balance is due today. If you have any queries please contact the school office.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Thurs 4 th Apr	Easter School Celebration Lunch
Thurs 4 th Apr	Whole School Awards at 2.00pm
Fri 5 th Apr	Easter Service in Church at 1.30pm
Fri 5 th Apr	School closes for end of term
Tues 23 rd Apr	School reopens at 9am
Thurs 2 nd May	Class 3 Trip to Grosvenor Museum
Mon 6 th May	School closed May Day Holiday
Thurs 16 th May	Teddy Bears Picnic School Lunch
Mon 20 th May	Class 6 Heartstart training
Tues 21 st May	Class 1 Trip to Smithills Farm
Tues 21 st May	Class 5 Trip to Chester Zoo
Fri 24 th May	School closes at 3.15pm for half term
Mon 3 rd Jun	School closed for INSET day
Tues 4 th Jun	School reopens at 9am
Mon 10 th Jun	Class 5 and 6 PGL trip to Boreatton Park
Tues 11 th Jun	Class 5 and 6 PGL trip to Boreatton Park
Weds 12 th Jun	Class 5 and 6 PGL trip to Boreatton Park
Thurs 13 th Jun	Class 5 Haslingden High School Taster Morning
Mon 17 th Jun	Class 6 Haslingden High School Taster Afternoon
Tues 18 th Jun	Class 2 Trip to Blackpool Tower
Tues 18 th Jun	BRGS Open Evening
Thurs 20 th Jun	Class R Height and Weight Check
Fri 21 st Jun	Last Choir Singing Final
Sat 29 th Jun	Summer Fair
Thurs 11 th Jul	KS2 Summer Show
Fri 12 th Jul	KS2 Summer Show



STARS OF THE WEEK

Friday 22nd March



Reception Class: Penelope Milne, Sol Robinson

Class 1: Tess Giblin, Kayden Barrow

Class 2: Harlow Smethurst, Amie Redfearn

Class 3: Grace Cotton, Isla Firth

Class 4: Henry Johnston, Claudia Lord

Class 5: Richard Moorhouse-Holt, Ronnie Rathmill

Class 6: Harry Nolan, James Nuttall

Friday 29th March

Reception Class: Jake Watson-Hoy, Tomas Higgins

Class 1: Poppy Ashton, Whole of Class 1

Class 2: William Johnston, Rosie Bullen

Class 3: Evie Scully, Francesca Ball

Class 4: Harrison Sims, Kate Wild

Class 5: Morgan Bevan, Molly Morris

Class 6: Grace Newton, Cameron Stretch

PTA Cake Sale

The PTA will be holding their ever popular cake sale on Friday 5th April at the end of the school day, following the Easter Service in Church. All offers of cakes and biscuits gratefully received! Please bring donations to school on the morning of the 5th.

School Dinners

A reminder that dinner money is due in advance, and the cost for the next half-term is £50.60. Alternatively, parents or carers may pay £11 each week. Please send weekly payments into school on Mondays. Please make all cheques payable to **Lancashire County Council**.

Library Books

Please can all library books be returned to school by next Wednesday 3rd April.

Guitar Lesson

Pupils who have guitar lessons on a Wednesday will be having an extra lesson on Wednesday 3rd April. This is lieu of the lesson cancelled on 30th January. Please can all pupils bring their guitars on this day.

EBASC Holiday Club

EBASC are running a Holiday Club during the Easter Holidays from Monday 8th April to Friday 12th April. Places are limited. Please contact EBASC on 07561 166664 for further information.

Thought of the Week

Optimism is the faith that leads to achievement. Nothing can be done without hope and confidence.
Helen Keller