

## **Highlights of the week**

- Everyone taking part in football themed activities to celebrate England reaching the final
- Getting 2<sup>nd</sup> prize in the Preesall and Knott-End Scarecrow Competition
- A week of exciting History, Geography and Science activities through school













### **Public Speaking Competition Final**

This will be on Monday 12<sup>th</sup> July on Zoom from 9:30 am. Parents of finalists are welcome to join. The link will be posted on Class Dojo. We will start with Year 2 and work up to Year 6. One of our school governors, Mrs. McCann has kindly agreed to help me judge. There will be a winner in each year group and then an overall winner who will be awarded the Public Speaking Competition trophy next Friday.

I know England have a very important match on Sunday night but I will need **all** pupils in school for 9:15 am on Monday so that we can start promptly at 9:30 am.

### **Uniform Swap**

This will be on the playground at 3 pm on Monday – if you need any bits of uniform, come and have a look or if you have anything to donate, please send it into school.

### **Reports**

Your child will bring their end of year school report home on Wednesday next week. The teachers have assessed where they are across the curriculum in relation to age expectations for each year group. Our children have made fabulous progress despite disrupted learning but please bear in mind that these assessments are based on having taught a limited curriculum as recommended by the DFE. There will still be gaps in learning that we need to fill, especially in Maths.

### **New Teachers**

On Monday, next year's Oak and Willow classes will meet their new teachers. Mrs Oxley and Miss Reeves will be in school and will have a short outdoor session with their class so they can get to know each other.

### **Library Summer Reading**

### Challenge

The teachers won't be setting homework over the summer holidays but we would really like the children to keep reading. The library has launched a summer reading challenge which we would love as many pupils as possible to join in with - all you have to do is sign your child up in the library. More details below.

Any children who complete the challenge will get 10 Dojo points to start the new school year – I will need proof though!

Alongside that, Mrs. Pollard is making a new display for our school library. We want you to send in photos of your child/ children reading in an unusual place – the more unusual the better! Please email photos to the school office.

bursar@fleetwoods.lancs.sch.uk

Please complete the form for lunch arrangements next week... <a href="https://">https://</a> forms.office.com/r/GrPKrVYjXF

### Leavers Service - Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> July at 1:30 pm

Parents who have requested to attend will need to wear a face mask and follow the social distancing guidelines in the church. It will only be a short service, led by Father Andy Shaw, to celebrate our Year 6 pupils reaching the end of their journey with us. Year 6 pupils may go home after the service if you wish otherwise we will take them back to school. Miss Gemma's dance classes will be on as normal.

### **School Arrangements for September**

I will send this out in a separate letter early next week. I am just clarifying information that has come in from the DFE.



### **Dance**

Please make sure you have paid for dance classes this half-term. Order forms for uniform need to be handed in by Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> July. We will sort payment after the holiday.

Don't forget we finish at 2 pm on Friday 16<sup>th</sup> July and reopen on Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> September. Our whole school will see our Year 6 pupils off at 1:55 pm. Only Year 6 parents on the infant yard please.





Thank you to Kevin and
Richard Bradley for their
assistance and expertise when
retrieving the rope for the
Saint George's flag that we are
now flying!

### **Library Letter**

Hello again

It's that time of year again where we as a library are promoting the Summer Reading Challenge to maintain children's reading skills and progression throughout the summer holidays and after the last year as you know it is more important than ever for us to all try and do the best we can to promote this.

Our reading scheme this year is the Lancashire Libraries SCART Club which consists of topics including Science, Culture, Active, Reading and Technology and the aim is to encourage children to read four books and complete four fun tasks relating to the topics mentioned.

- 1) When they sign up to the Scart Club they are given a booklet with different zones with task ideas
- 2) The child then completes each zone by completing an activity task and reading a book of their choice
- 3) On completing one zone they can collect a lanyard and badge holder
- 4) On completing the other three tasks they can collect three pop badges

This will run from the end of June until the end of September, so plenty time for the children to complete.

Kind regards Sue

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#### **Data Collection Letters**

Pupils have been sent home with a form this evening—please complete and return to school by Wednesday next week. This is to ensure all information held in school is up to date and we can contact you with updates and in case of an emergency.



# Stars of the week

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	Pre School	Ash	Oak	Willow	Maple	Elm
Star of the week	Zachary for being an amazing chatterbox.	Ivy for great contributions in lessons and great photography skills in Geography!	Miah – For always having a caring personality and helping around the classroom.	Kayla – for trying really hard with her handwriting and assessed write.	James for his positive attitude whilst visiting St. Aiden's.	Elm Class for being wonderfully kind, resourceful and helpful!
Brave	Joe For being brave when he grazed his knee.	Wisey for being brave on the climbing dome and trying new tricks!	Kyle – For staying calm when he fell and grazed the back of his head.	John – Making the right choices and being honest.	Alfie for resilience throughout a tough few weeks.	Toby for adapting to change really well.
Kind	Lola for sharing with her friends.	Clara for looking out for her friends in Ash Class.	Sienna – For always showing concern for others around the class.	Becky - For helping one of her class mates by encouraging her and telling her she can do it! Well done Becky!	Sophie for sharing her knowledge to help others.	Poppy for showing kindness to others.
Respectful	Hazel for using good manners.	Rory for listening and following instructions in Ash Class.	Evelyn – For always using superb manners.	Leon – Being respectful when speaking to adults.	Tamara for improved listening to adult instruction.	Imogen for her amazing manners.
Dance	Lola- for her excellent dancing.	Wisey- for his natural flair	Evelyn – for an enthusiastic return to dance.	Macie – excellent focus and attitude.	Mia for being focused and determined.	Charlie – continued progress, perseverance and focus in class.
Behaviour Star		Emily for super behaviour all around school.	Ava – For always following the school rules at setting a good example.	Josh-For embracing his strategies and being kind and helpful.	Imogen for a more conscientious attitude towards her behaviour.	Adam for his impeccable behaviour and wonderful manners.
Wonderful work		Sophie for working hard in Maths this week. Felicity for creating super dinosaur poo!	Jordan - For working completely by himself on his independent piece of writing.	Luke – Always putting 100% into his work.	William for his input during lessons at St. Aiden's.	Ben for great illustrations and a superb castle.
Most Dojo points		Rory	Jacob	Grace	James	Freddie
Football Trainer	Everyone for their amazing football skills today					
Star of the forest	Holly for knowing lots of information in the outdoors.	Thomas for amazing contributions this morning.				