

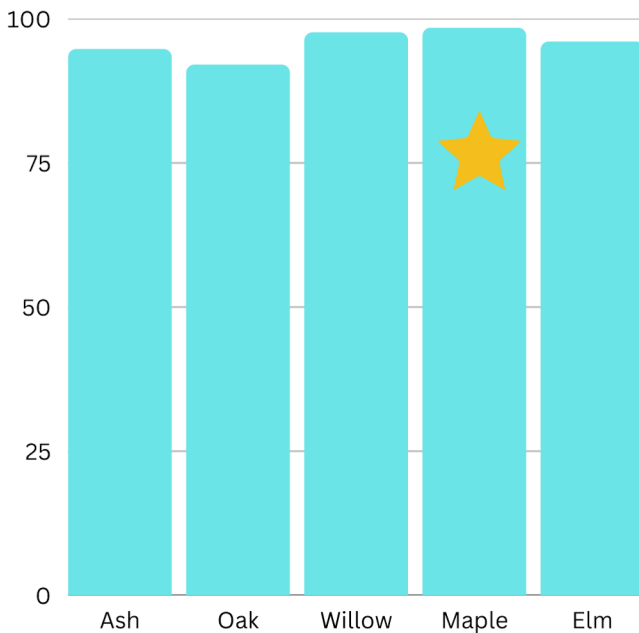
Friday 16th June 2023



Newsletter



Attendance



The whole school attendance for this week is 95.7%, with Maple achieving 98.4%.

Highlights

- Year 6 pupils completed their water safety session this week, part of which was learning how to rescue someone who is in trouble in open water – great life skills!
- It has been very hot this week, but we love the gorgeous weather!
- Year 6 are currently enjoying their final half-term of being in the forest – today they have learnt about fire safety, done some environmental art and enjoyed some smores. Mrs Crompton said behaviour was exemplary.

Sweet Tuck Shop

Year 6 are now fund-raising for their end of year activities. There will be a sweet tuck shop at the end of the school day for 4 weeks starting today, from 3:20-3:45pm on Friday.

Lunches

Please complete the lunch form for ALL pupils in school
<https://forms.office.com/r/exTQMJtNLL>

Premier League Primary Stars Trophy Visit

We are very excited to let you know that next Thursday, Fleetwood Town Community Trust have arranged for the Premier League Trophy to visit school. This will take place in the afternoon. Each class will have an opportunity for a photo with the trophy; there will be a full school assembly and Year 5 and 6 will take part in some sports activities with the coaches. Please can Year 5 and 6 pupils wear their PE kit on Thursday.

Class Photographs:

Order forms have been sent home this afternoon. Please follow the instructions in the envelope.

Fleetwood Town Summer Holiday Camp

This will be available for booking shortly through Fleetwood Town. Just to let you know, the camp will run for 5 weeks from week commencing Monday 24th July to Friday 25th August. There will be free places available for pupils in receipt of free school meals throughout the 5 weeks. Don't miss out on booking this great opportunity!

Lockerbie Manor Residential

September 2023:

There will be a meeting for parents and pupils in school on Tuesday 4th July at 6pm. Mrs Simpson will provide more details about what pupils need to take with them and you will be able to ask any questions you may have.

Please make sure your payment for the visit is complete by the end of the summer term.

Don't worry about anything; instead, pray about everything. Tell God what you need and thank him for all he has done.

Philippians 4:6



Celebrating Success

This week saw our first Gold award from class dojo; one of our Year 6 pupils has been awarded 750 dojo points since September... well done!



Wyre Juniors held their annual presentation event on Sunday of last week. These are just some of our pupils who training with and play for Wyre Juniors FC. We have some Players and Managers Players of the year, some awards for achievement in their leagues and all players received a trophy for their hard work and dedication. We think Miss Brakewell deserves an award for her hard work and dedication to Wyre Juniors too!



One of our pupils from Year 1 has achieved his Duckling 2 swimming award. This involved swimming, floats and maneuvers in the water.

A pupil from Year 2 won a ping-pong competition when she was on holiday.





YOU'RE INVITED!

Music demonstration for parents who are
interested in their child learning to play an
instrument.

**COME ALONG TO SCHOOL ON TUESDAY 20TH
JUNE AT 9:15AM**

Dates:



Tuesday 20th June – Peripatetic Music Demonstration – 9:15am

Wednesday 21st June – Willow and Maple Class trip to Lancaster

Wednesday 21st June – Year 6 swimming assessment

Monday 26th June - Gala Netball Tournament 4pm at Preesall Sports Hall

Wednesday 28th June – Year 5 Water Safety session

Friday 30th June – Year 6 Transition Day at high school (details will be sent from the high schools)

Gala Football - TBC

Whole School Moving Up Day – Date TBC

Monday 3rd July – Knott-End Library visiting school to share information on Summer Reading Programme

Tuesday 4th July – Parent/Pupil Meeting for Lockerbie Residential 6pm

Friday 7th July – Cat Smith (MP) visiting Year 6

Saturday 8th July - Preesall and Knott End Gala - school float in the procession and Cheer Group walking in the procession/performing on gala field

Wednesday 12th July - Year 6 trip

Thursday 13th July – End of year reports out

Friday 14th July – Whole School Family Disco/Leavers' Prom at St. Oswald's 6pm

Monday 17th July – Year 6 Activity Day (details to follow)

Tuesday 18th July – Celebration Day for Mrs Crompton – parents invited from 2pm (this has replaced the summer fair)

Leavers' Service date and time to be confirmed



Celebrating *Mrs Crompton*

Tuesday 18th July

Families welcome to join us at school from 2pm - 5pm

Celebration assembly - 2pm

Outside activities from 3pm



We are having a day in school to celebrate Mrs Crompton and everything she does within school and pre school prior to her retirement at the end of term. Families are welcome to join us for some forest fun, traditional games and a refreshments tent. We're hoping the ice cream man will pay us a visit too!



What Parents & Carers Need to Know about MONEY MULING

Money muling involves individuals – very frequently young people – being recruited to transfer illegally obtained funds into and out of their bank account on behalf of criminals (often without even realising that's the kind of activity they've become embroiled in), and usually being allowed to keep a certain amount for themselves. It's essentially a digital form of money laundering. This guide highlights some of the risks associated with money muling, and provides parents and carers with useful tips to help safeguard young people against becoming ensnared by this growing online hazard.

WHAT ARE THE RISKS?

LEGAL REPERCUSSIONS

Young people may be lured by the promise of quick, easy money, but by doing so they will become unwitting participants in activities that can have severe legal and financial consequences. Money muling is a serious offence under UK law: involvement in such schemes can result in imprisonment and fines (or both). Remember, the threshold for criminal responsibility in the UK is 10 years of age.

ONLINE RECRUITMENT

Cyber-savvy criminals are increasingly using various online methods, including social media apps and gaming platforms, in their attempts to recruit young people as potential money mules. The criminals often deploy persuasive, deceptive tactics to gain children's initial interest and attention, then seek to exploit their trust and naivety.

POSSIBLE EXPLOITATION

Money muling is frequently carried out in tandem with other organised criminal activities such as the drugs trade or human trafficking. Not only is money muling a criminal offence in its own right, therefore, but it could also expose young people to harmful situations as well as potentially putting them in contact with some extremely dangerous individuals.

FINANCIAL LOSSES

If they (even unknowingly) transfer funds that are traced back to criminal activities, money mules can face considerable financial losses: their bank may freeze their accounts, and they can be held liable for any illegally obtained funds. People involved in money muling often also find themselves at greater risk of becoming entangled in other forms of criminal financial exploitation and fraud.

LONG-TERM CONSEQUENCES

Involvement in money muling can have a lasting negative impact on a young person's reputation, education and employment prospects, and place colossal strain on their family life. A conviction for financial fraud would significantly damage a young person's future opportunities: they could be blocked from opening a bank account, taking out a mortgage or even securing a phone contract.

Advice for Parents & Carers

EDUCATE AND COMMUNICATE

Talk to your child about the risks and consequences of money muling, emphasising the importance of making informed decisions and seeking guidance if they need it. Create an open, non-judgmental space which encourages them to share their concerns and experiences, ensuring they feel comfortable getting help if they suspect they may have become involved in money muling.

MONITOR ONLINE ACTIVITIES

If you have concerns, you might want keep a closer than usual eye on your child's online presence, including their profiles on social media and any gaming platforms that they use. These can often serve as useful early warning systems which might help you to detect any signs of attempted recruitment by criminals or other types of suspicious behaviour.

TALK ABOUT MONEY

Discussions about avoiding being recruited as a money mule are also good opportunities for a refresher with your child about financial responsibility and good money management. It's also a helpful starting point for highlighting the importance of earning their money by honest means and the potential consequences of getting involved in illegal activities, both online and offline.

STAY INFORMED

Criminals' methods and approaches to recruiting young people as money mules frequently evolve to reflect the online landscape. Try to stay aware of criminals' current tactics and make time to regularly check out resources provided by schools, law enforcement and financial organisations. The Don't Be Fooled Campaign (at www.moneymules.co.uk) has plenty of useful information and advice.

REPORT YOUR SUSPICIONS

If you have reason to believe that your child, one of their friends, or someone they know has been recruited into a money muling operation, seek support and then report your suspicions. For your own safety, please don't attempt to directly confront anyone you suspect of organising money muling. Instead, contact Crimestoppers anonymously on 0800 555 111.

Meet Our Expert

Ross Savage has a proven track record in countering financial crime, having spent 13 years with UK law enforcement – specialising in money laundering investigations and asset recovery from organised criminal groups. He now holds senior visiting expert positions at various organisations and delivers customised training and consultancy to government and private-sector clients worldwide.



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Source: www.moneymules.co.uk | <https://nationalcrimeagency.gov.uk/moneymuling>
www.ukfinance.org.uk/press/press-releases/parents-urged-help-stop-rise-child-money-mules



Pilling Methodist Chapel

STALLS 11-3PM
SHORT SERVICE 3PM

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100 YEAR
SUNDAY SCHOOL
ANNIVERSARY

Market Stalls
Chapel Memorabilia
Food & Refreshments
Music
Bouncy Castles
Balloon Modelling
Ice Cream
Soft Play Area

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FAMILY EVENT
ALL ARE WELCOME

11-3PM

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