

## Orton Church of England Primary School

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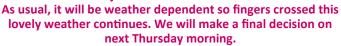
## This half term

We've had a great start to the half term. Swimming has gone really well with us seeing so much progress already. Woggle Goggle's new facility is amazing! We have already booked next year's swimming in with Woggle Goggle—a week in the Autumn and a week in the Summer. Thank you to all our parents for sending the children with the right kit every day. We know it's not easy to get kit washed and dried so quickly but you've done a great job and we really appreciate your support with this.

This is the last half term of the academic year and it's another busy half term ahead at Orton. Sometimes I think it simply can't get any busier but we just seem to cram more and more in!!!! Please keep your eye on the diary dates so you don't miss anything.

## Sports Day

We are hoping to hold Sports day next Thursday on the school field from 10am! Everyone is welcome to join us on the school field.



## **Morning Drop Off Safety**

Please could all parents of at least KS1 children accompany their children to their classroom doors. Please do not leave KS1 children at the school gate as we cannot be responsible for them if they are left at the school gate.



## **Class 4 Bikeability**

Next week Class 4 need to bring their bikes and helmets everyday for Bikeabilty. Please bring them onto the back playground. Children are welcome to leave their bikes in school overnight. They will be brought into the hall so they are se-\*

## **Photographs**

Next Wednesday Tempest will be in school to take school photos. Please send your child in their smartest, clean uniform! If you have younger or older children who aren't at Orton you are welcome to bring them into school from 8.45am to have a family group photo.

Summer Holiday Club—BOOKINGS OPEN!



Once again we are offering a Summer Holiday

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Club. This will run from Monday 24th July—Friday 28th July. See attached poster. Bookings are now open, places are limited.

#### Stars

Our next Stars Assembly is Friday 23rd June at 9.15am. Visitors are very welcome to join us in school for our Stars Celebration! We hope you can join us. If you would like a Zoom link please let us know and we can set

one up.

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## **Christian Value**

This half term our Christian Value is Koinonia. Koinonia's origin is in the Greek word koinonos, which means partner, sharer and companion. We will be thinking about how we can be 'better together' and team work.

## Courier Service Help!!!!

Long Marton School has a small piece of equipment that they no longer need but we can make use of. We just need to arrange to collect.! Are you able to call into Long Marton School to collect for us? Let us know if you can help.

#### **Urgent Volunteers Needed**

We still need volunteers to help us with Bikeability next week at the following times;

- •Monday 12<sup>th</sup> June 1-3pm
- •Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> June 10-12pm •Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> June 1-3pm
- •Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> June 1-3pm

Also Class 4's trip to UCC on 27th June



To make these events work for our children we desperately need help! Please give this some serious consideration and let us know ASAP if you can help. Please don't assume someone else will volunteer!!! We need YOU!!!

# Diary Dates



All diary dates are subject to last minute change. More details will follow near the time.

Blue denotes new dates FOOS—Ice Cream Friday

9/6/23

10/6/23 Greenholme Show

W/c 12/6/23 Phonics Screening Wk & Cyclewise for Class 4

13/6/23 Yr6 Leavers Service Carlisle Cathedral Sports Day (AM)—Weather dependent 15/6/23 14/6/23 Tempest Photos—Individual/ families/Class 6.30pm KSGS Yr 6 Transition Evening

15/6/23 10am Sports Day

16/6/23 FOOS—Ice Cream Friday

W/c19/6/23 Whole school swimming – every afternoon

9.15am Class 4 Residential Assembly 20/6/23

22/6/23 Charlie's Church 23/6/23 9.15am Stars

FOOS—Ice Cream Friday

7pm FOOS Meeting—All Welcome 26/6/23 27/6/23 Class 4 Science/ DT visit to UCC

29/6/23 Reserve Sports Day (AM)

30/6/23 Class 3 & 4 Sportshall Athletics KSGS

FOOS—Ice Cream Friday

6/7/23 Moving Up Day

17/7/23

7/7/23 1pm Appleby Sports

2pm & 6pm End of Year Show 12/7/23

2pm Music Concert

**FOOS Family BBQ** 13/7/23 14/7/23 2.50pm Stars

19/7/23 9.30am End of Year / Leavers Service

End of Term

W/c 24/7/23 Summer Holiday Club 6/9/23 Start of Autumn Term