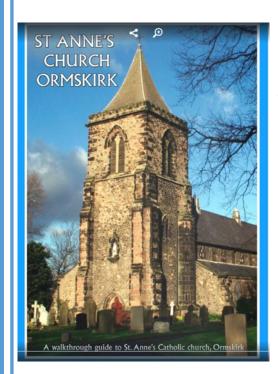




14th June 2024

Spotlight on Nursery

We went for a visit to St Anne's Church this week.



As we walked to Church, we looked around, the children noticed the Cross above the trees as we approached and were fascinated with how tall it was! The children talked about if they had been to Church before as we walked up, some recalled being Baptised there.



We used our 'treasure maps' to look for different features of the Church, we talked about the different statues and their names, the shapes of the windows and doors, how many windows and doors we could see.

We looked at all the beautiful painted stones by Our Lady of Lourdes statue and what we could see on them.

Finally we went to the large grass area behind the Church, and talked about how we have a family at home, at Nursery and at Church. To celebrate we had a lovely game of 'Duck Duck Goose' and a big race.

Thank You to the Parents/Carers that came with us.

Stars of the Week: Reuben R, Jadon R

Mission Statement: Maddox C



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Message from Headteacher

Dear parents, carers and grandparents,

Please keep the children who are celebrating their 1st Holy Communion at St Anne's this weekend in your thoughts and prayers.

Mr Knowles' Sky Dive

On Saturday 15th June, I will be skydiving from 15,000 ft at The Black Knights Skydiving Centre, Cockerham. All funds raised from this event will be donated to St. Anne's Church Roof Fund. Every penny is appreciated and will definitely be going to a good cause. If you would like to make a donation to my Just Giving page, just scan the QR code below and follow the instructions. Thank you all for your support. Wish me luck!



<u>Sports Days</u> – Following the success of previous years, we will continue with the same planned approach. Sports days will take place in the afternoon with starting times communicated nearer the date. Unless rain makes sports days unsafe or uncomfortable, we will go ahead as planned. If it is too wet on the planned and reserve dates, children will complete sports days during PE lessons.

Year groups	Planned date	Reserve date
Nursery and Reception	Monday 24th June	Monday 1st July
Year 1 and Year 2	Tuesday 25th June	Tuesday 2nd July
Year 3 and Year 4	Wednesday 26th June	Wednesday 3rd July
Year 5 and Year 6	Thursday 27th June	Thursday 4th July

Please can I remind parents that suncreams must be applied at home and that school staff cannot apply suncream in school. Hayfever medication must be taken in the morning too. Children are welcome to bring a cap or summer hat into school when the sun is shining.

Reminder – We have several children in school with severe nut allergies. There can be no raw nuts or nut products brought into school. Please check snacks and packed lunches carefully. All snacks need to be healthy!

Wishing all our families a wonderful weekend,

Mr P Bates

Headteacher

St Anne's Church Bulletin

The Bulletin is available on the Church website: stannes-ormskirk.org.uk A link is available at the bottom of every page on our school website also.



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Curriculum News

Nursery See Spotlight

Reception This week in Reception we have been writing our own ending to The Gingerbread Man, we thought of some great ideas and have written some sentences independently. In maths this week we have been learning about odd and even numbers and we have been learning our double facts to double 5. We have been learning about maps and we used a map of school to complete a scavenger hunt.

Year 1 Year 1 have worked so hard this week, and we are incredibly proud of how well they have done this week and the amazing attitude they have shown. In English we began our English theme on Stories with a familiar setting: The Secret Path. In maths we have compared numbers 50-100.

Year 2 We have has such a creative and exciting week in Year 2! This week, we have begun reading 'The Day the Crayons Quit', we really love our new text. We have identified different features of the crayon's letters, identified the various feeling of the crayons and collected some exciting vocabulary from their letters. In Design Technology, we have designed and build our own crayon forts for our own crayons to live in because we don't want them to quit Year 2.

Year 3 The Year 3 children have been colouring mixing in Art this week and using this skill to complete effective paintings. In English the children have written, as a class, their own version of the classic poem 'From a Railway Carriage' by Robert Louis Stevenson, focusing on a modern view out of a train window and keeping to the exact syllables and adding rhyming couplets.

Year 4 In Science, we have been learning about States of Matter. We have set up an experiment to find out about evaporation and we have learned about changing states by freezing and melting. In PE we practised our backhand in tennis and then tested our teamwork skills trying to get from one island to another using communication.

Year 5 are using their knowledge of forces and pulleys to make the most amazing bridges in woodwork - we have some budding Isambard Kingdom Brunel's - next we make cars!!!!!!!!! In Maths we have begun to look at exchanging units of measurements (for example kg into g) and in history we have been looking at the legacy of Ancient Greece - there are ionic and doric column everywhere!

Year 6 Exciting times in Year 6 this week as rehearsals have begun for their end of year play...Shrek! With modern songs and a Year 6 twist we are sure the children will put on a wonderful performance in a few weeks. The children have also completed an art competition as one of their 'bucket list' items and also enjoyed a 'Heads Up' transition session altogether.





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Our Award Winners!

Star of the Week

All of Class 4 Florence McN

All of Class 3 Lenny A

Leyton B Jayden J

Jeron J Charlie C

Daisy F Theodora W

Dexter C Oliver J

Rosa B Lucy B

Parker D Michael C

Trudi C Chloe L

Sebastian A Phoebe S

James McN Ruby P

Avary B Neave B-M

Christopher W-B Emelia A

Theo G Harry E

Attendance for Week Ending 07/06/2024 % Attend-Sessions Class **No Pupils** Rank Missed ance Class 1 21 93.30% 14 5 Class 6 are the winners of the Class 2 23 85.20% 34 6 Attendance Award for this week in Class 3 25 95.20% 12 2 Key Stage 1 Class 4 24 94.60% 13 3 Class 5 25 16 4 93.60% Class 6 24 95.80% 10 1 Class 7 24 92.90% 5 17 Class 8 22 26 7 88.70% Class 9 32 94.40% 18 4 Class 11 are the winners of the Class 10 3 32 95.90% 13 Attendance Award for this week in Class 11 25 98.80% 3 1 Key Stage 2 Class 12 24 91.70% 20 6 Class 13 31 97.10% 9 2 Class 14 30 87.40% 39 8





PTA News



Summer Festival 2024

Dear Parents and Carers.

The PTA are organising a wonderful Summer Festival for the children. This will be taking place on Friday 5th July in school hours. We will send further details soon.

As part of the Summer Festival we will be having a Tombola stall. We are asking for donations in exchange for wearing own clothes on the festival day! We want to ensure we have a prize for every child, so we are reliant on your help. Please bring donations of a new/nearly new toy/cuddly toy/craft item to your childs classroom on Friday 21st June.



TOMBOLA DONATIONS

New or nearly new:

- Toy
- Cuddly Toy
- Craft Item

Please bring donations to classrooms: Friday 21st June

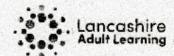
Summer Festival Volunteers

If you are able to help at the event or in the preparation, please get in touch with your PTA Year Rep. These events rely on the support of our members.

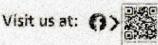
Thank you for your on-going Suppot St Anne's PTA Volunteers















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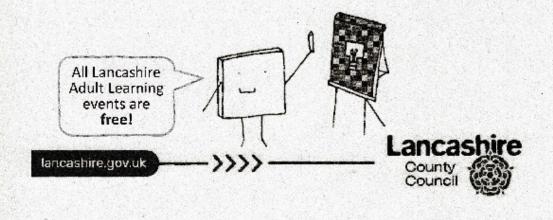
Ormskirk Library Ozobots

An introduction for families to coding and programming suitable for an adult/carer plus a child - Suitable for KS1 and KS2 children.

Booking essential

Saturday 29 June

10.00am - 12.30pm









Saturday 6th July 2024 10am to 5pm

Visit our fantastic facilities. register for your FREE one-to-one taster session and enter our prize draw for a chance to win one of our amazing prizes including:

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🕡 A FREE one-to-one lesson

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