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Primary
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Friday
12th
June
2026

School
News
No.0473

Dear Parents/Guardians: We have had lots to celebrate this week and the weather has not deterred us in our outdoor learning. I am extremely proud that we have achieved the School Games Platinum Award for the fifth year running. This is the highest award and shows how much we all put into this as a school community. Keep your fingers crossed for a dry day on Wednesday as we hold our annual CHSA Summer Fayre 5-7pm. See you there!

Stay safe and well.

****Next Week ****

Monday 15th June

Y5 Muddy Monday
LCC Music Bus on site all day
EYFS Home Visits
BSSP Tri Golf Event at 4pm
Full Governors at 5pm

Tuesday 16th June

Class Photos including staff photo at 8:30am
Y4 Teamwork Tuesday
Y5 Picnic Walk
East Lancashire Cross Country Finals
Good luck Edith!!

Wednesday 17th June

Non uniform for the England match.
Football kits, sporty outfits or red/white
Pls donate for our CHSA Summer Fayre
Bottles and Cakes
BSSP Dynamos Cricket event all day
School Council litter pick pm
CHSA Summer Fayre 5-7pm

Thursday 18th June

EYFS Thrilling Thursday
Farm Visit
Y2 Picnic Walk

Friday 19th June

Y1 trip to Smithills Farm

Prayer of the week

Bountiful God, giver of all gifts,
who poured your Spirit upon your servant Barnabas
and gave him grace to encourage others:
help us, by his example,
to be generous in our judgements
and unselfish in our service;
through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.
Amen.

Barnabas the Apostle

**CHSA Summer Fayre
Wednesday 17th June
5-7pm**

Looking for our lovely Cliviger family and
community to help at our school summer fair. Can
you help set up the summer fair and/or help on a
stall - sign up here

<https://volunteersignup.org/YTKJT>

The school Facebook account is Cliviger Primary School.

Dates: School closes for the summer on Friday 17th July and reopens on Thursday 3rd September 2026.

Thanks for your continued support.

Naomi R. Healey

Mrs N. R. Healey
Headteacher

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SUMMER TERM

Monday 22nd June

Assessment Week
EYFS Trip to Outdoor Elements
Y6 Leavers Service at Blackburn Cathedral
pm

Tuesday 23rd June

Y2 Teamwork Tuesday

Wednesday 24th June

Y6 Welly Wednesday
Y6 Unity transition visit (am)
9:30am School nurse drop in

Thursday 25th June

Y3 Thrilling Thursday
Choir have a session in school for the Burnley
Sings event with LCC
Y4 Picnic Walk

Friday 26th June

Y4 trip to Outdoor Elements
2:30pm EYFS Family Fun Friday

Monday 29th June

Pupil Conference Week
Y5 Muddy Monday
Transition morning – all children visiting
their new classrooms.
House Captain Day
Rounders and Cricket with Paddy Martin
Y6, Y2, Y1 and EYFS

Tuesday 30th June

Y4 Teamwork Tuesday
Y2 trip to Bring Yer Wellies
Y3 Picnic Walk
2:30pm EYFS Drop In
BSSP Y6/7 Transition Rounders all day

Wednesday 1st July

PoPs Review Day
Y1 Welly Wednesday
Rounders and Cricket with Paddy Martin
Y5, Y4 and Y3

Thursday 2nd July

Y5 Linking Project with Barden at Towneley
Y3 Thrilling Thursday
2:30pm EYFS Drop In

Attendance Figures

R – 94.3%
Y1 – 100%
Y2 – 91.3%
Y3 – 99.6%
Y4 – 98.3%
Y5 – 93.3%
Y6 – 99.4%

Overall school attendance was 96.5%.
Well done to the Y1 class who had the highest
attendance last week

Celebrating!



For the fourth year running.....

We are delighted to announce that we have
achieved the School Games Platinum Mark
Award for the 2025/26 academic year.

Parental Governor Elections

We will be holding nominations and elections
for a new Parent Governor.

The forms will be sent out after half term.

Being a governor at our school is an extremely
rewarding job. We are VA (voluntary aided) so
the decisions on the strategic improvement,
finance, property development and upkeep etc
falls to our governing body. They have the final
decision not the local authority.

Our school needs governors from all walks of
life and you will have many talents which could
contribute to ensuring our school continues to
move forwards.

If you would like to discuss this opportunity
further, please contact Mrs Healey.

Congratulations!



Well done to our amazing footballers from Year 5 and 6 for reaching the final of the girl's football tournament!! Every single girl played brilliantly in a very hard fought 2-1 against St Mary Magdalene's and showed fabulous team spirit. Thanks as always to Coach Anwar and well-done girls!

School Nurse Drop In



The school nurse Zoe Holt will be holding a drop in on Wednesday 24th June at 9:30am.

This is a great opportunity for parents to meet with the nurse, ask questions, and receive support or advice.

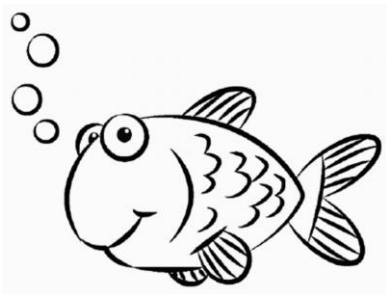
If you would like to attend, please email the school office to register your interest.

Blue Reading Book Bags



Thankyou for getting into the new routine of bringing the blue bags into school everyday. Please ensure they have your child's reading book inside also.

Makaton Sign of the Week Fish



<https://youtu.be/qMiXYDEITF4?si=PtwYeFE79e>
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Kindness in action!

Well done to Lilly and Ella who dropped their donation of £100 that they raised by making and selling loom bands into Derian House before half term.



Derian House

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Happy #ThankYouThursday everyone! Let's start off this week's terrific trilogy by celebrating our first bunch of supporters 🥰

♥️ Freya and Leigh from Rise called in with an amazing donation of £385 that was raised at their recent Padel tournament. They also dropped off an abundance of goodies for our staff and families.

♥️ Team members from Perch Group gave up a volunteering day to come and help paint our garden furniture up in Sunshine Park ready for the summer months.

♥️ Our volunteer Julie collected an incredible cheque for £1,000 from the folks at Cactus Line Dancing, who over the years have raised a stupendous £41,000 for the families in our care!

GOLDEN BOOK

EYFS

Being kind: Lucy Sutcliffe for always being helpful and kind.

Being respectful: Edward Scott for trying his best in phonics.

Friendship: Koban Duthoit for being a kind friend to others.

Thinking outside the box: Teddy Bradbury for great answers during class discussions.

Working hard: Jude Munro for great independent numeracy work.

Y1

Being kind: Lottie Salmon for showing care and compassion to her friends.

Being respectful: Spencer Vaughan for always helping and being a polite young man.

Friendship: Isaac McDonough for getting along with everyone and making people giggle.

Thinking outside the box: Penny-May Moody for using her initiative in our Art lesson.

Working hard: Henry Starkie for super phonics and asking mature questions.

Y2

Being kind: William Rigg for mature interactions with his friends.

Respect: Tommy Woinson for showing respect to his peers.

Friendship: James Rowe for playing kindly in a group.

Thinking outside the box: Bethany Waterhouse for using her maths knowledge to solve problems.

Working hard: Maggie Bolton for participating longer in lessons and showing good listening.

Year 3

Being kind: Athena Jane for being helpful and helping to tidy up in the classroom and cloakroom.

Being respectful: Nell Miller for speaking to everyone in school politely and respectfully.

Friendship: Daphne Flynn for always showing understanding to her friends.

Year 3

Thinking outside the box: Leo Lennox for using maths knowledge to work out time problems.

Working hard: Elsie Allum for working hard and having a great attitude to learning.

Year 4

Being kind: Orin Giles-McNamee for helping his teacher.

Being respectful: Sebastian Fritchley for great manners.

Friendship: Jessica Law for her mature attitude to her friends.

Thinking outside the box: Ivy Williamson for excellent writing.

Working hard: Penelope Lalor for super commitment to developing her learning.

Year 5

Working hard: Cora Pate for her excellent effort and positive attitude in her French lessons.

Thinking outside the box: Oliver Rickard for showing creativity and having imaginative ideas.

Friendship: Joey Jones for being a good friend to everybody in class.

Being kind: Robbie Pott for being a kind and supportive friend to others.

Being respectful: Cara Scrivener for demonstrating respect in all aspects of school life.

Year 6

Working hard: Ava-Willow Thomas for working hard to persevere and conquer her fears in Wales.

Thinking outside the box: Emily Parkinson for working hard and overcoming challenges in Wales.

Friendship: Violet Wall for being an excellent friend to everyone in Wales.

Being kind: Eva McNally for always being there to support those around her.

Being respectful: Jacob Leach for always showing a mature and respectful attitude towards the leaders in Wales.

CHSA 2026 Challenge

Charlie Nesbitt from Y1 took part in the fundraising challenge!
He invited family around to his house and made pizzas in his dad's pizza oven to sell to them - he called it 'Charlo's Pizzeria'!



Bethany has been doing her bit to fundraise for CHSA and has raised £25. She has been washing cars for family and helping with some jobs at home - she has been doing a brilliant job with the recycling!



As part of the CHSA £20.26 challenge, Lyla has been working hard to become independent and learn new life skills. She has helped with the shopping, scanned and packed bags at the checkout, and purchased her items by using her own money. She has also helped with chores at home by washing dishes and helping with laundry.



Oliver Law has raised £40 litter picking with his EYFS Classmates.



Eleanor in Y1 made cookies and crispy cakes and sold them to her family, neighbours and the ladies at her mum's work. She made £20.95.



Church Draw

The winner of the church draw for June 2026 is number 319, H Belafonte, with prize money of £149.00.

Silver medals!!

It was a magnificent performance in the football final by our girls. They played as a team, showed great skill and resilience throughout the match. The final score was 2-1 and they should be proud to be runners up of this tournament. There are 30 schools in Burnley, so this is a great achievement.

Huge thanks to Mr Klee, Mr Wall and Coach Anwar
Girl power in action!



Winners!!

Some of our Year 6 children have just taken part in the Bee Stinger Netball Final. They played 5 matches, won 4 and drew 1. They only conceded 1 goal throughout the tournament and came out as the overall winners. Well done, we are very proud of your teamwork and sportsmanship.



Libby and Lexi Wood made a grand total of £34 towards their £20.26 challenge selling lemonade and painted stones on our front street during the holidays! They have been the donated the difference and so have made the grand total of £40.52!! We had a lovely time making and selling everything and were lucky enough to be visited by some of their classmates as well as friends, family and neighbours.



The Jones family completed their challenge by climbing Ingleborough. Well done!



Eddie completed the mini great Manchester run for his 2026 fundraiser challenge 😊



Robyn McGivern and Renée O'Connor in Y2 raised £60.00 doing a book/Teddy and cake stall during half term.



Teddy (EYFS) making his orange and lavender bars of soap that him and Phoebe (Y3) sold to friends, relatives and neighbours to raise money for the challenge.

