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STRIKE LANE NEWS

2nd May 2025

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Dear Parents/Carers,

What a glorious week we have had weather-wise, it makes such a difference to all of our moods and to our wonderful learning environment.

I have to say a huge thank you to our parents who helped with tidying up our outdoor areas last Sunday, including the gravelled area outside Year 3. We are so grateful for your help and the sunshine has really shown off all your hard work to full advantage this week.

Another thank you goes to everybody who has brought in sponsor money following our Danceathon – so far, we have raised £925.45 Our final day for collecting money will be Wednesday next week so that we can have this banked and placed in the GoFundMe page by the end of the week. Amazingly, the total for Churchtown Playground Fund has now reached over £367,000. Today Year 5 have been to West View Climbing Wall and have enjoyed challenging themselves to be bigger and braver than they ever thought possible. This is a great icebreaker for the Winmarleigh residential at the beginning of Year 6 in September. Next week on Thursday 8th May we will be holding celebrations for the 80th anniversary of VE Day. All the children will be involved in activities across the school, and we are hoping to have a street party style picnic lunch outside (weather permitting). Year 6 will be starting off the proceedings by visiting with the residents of Croft Manor on Wednesday to sing some war time classics with them and to listen to memories of their younger years either during or post war.

Have a wonderful long weekend everybody, and we will see you back in school on Tuesday 6th May.

Take care,

Katherine Shuttleworth

Dates for your diary (new dates in red)

Monday 5th May – May Day Closure

Tuesday 6th May - School Re-opens For All Pupils

Wednesday 7th May – Y6 Visit Croft Manor

Thursday 8th May – VE Day Celebrations

Thursday 8th May – 5:30pm-6:30pm - Reception 25 New Starter Induction Meeting

Monday 12th May – Y6 SATS Week

Thursday 15th May – Y1 Library Visit

Monday 19th May – 3:00pm – Y1 & Y2 iPad Meeting

Thursday 22nd May – 5:00pm-6:30pm – Disco

Friday 23rd May - Progress & Kindness Cup Assembly

Friday 23rd May - School Closes for Half Term (*usual finishing times apply*)

Monday 2nd June – Staff Inset Day

Tuesday 3rd June - School Re-opens For All Pupils

Thursday 5th June – Rec Library Visit

Friday 6th June - 08:30am-2:00pm - Y3 Imagine That! Trip

Wednesday 11th June – Y1 & Y2 Farmer Parr's Trip

Thursday 12th June – Y4 Paddle Sports at Fairhaven Lake

Free School Meals/Pupil Premium

If your financial circumstances have changed your child may be entitled to free school meals/pupil premium. You can quickly check your eligibility by visiting the following website,

<https://www.lancashire.gov.uk/children-education-families/schools/free-school-meals/>

Please be aware school receives additional funding for any pupil premium children we have on roll so it would be appreciated if you check your eligibility and apply if entitled.

Class Attendance (week ending 02/05/25)	Weekly
Oak	92.7%
Beech	98.6%
Rowan	91.5%
Maple	99.4%
Willow	99.4%
Sycamore	91.7%
Hornbeam	96.6%

Stars Of The Week

Well done to all our Winners
You should be very proud of your achievements

Year Group	Stars Of The Week
Oak	Cora & Oliver
Beech	Rose & Archie
Rowan	Bonnie & Maycie
Maple	Jessica & Florence
Willow	Theo & Jacob
Sycamore	Laila & Ava
Hornbeam	Lenny & Sienna

Attendance

Well done to Beech, Maple, Willow & Hornbeam classes for achieving over 96% attendance this week.

100 Club

The Friends have done their 100 Club Draw today and the winners are as follows:

1st Prize - £15
Alexander – Y6

2nd Prize - £10
Cian – Y4

3rd Prize - £5
Joshua – Y2

We hope you enjoy your spends!!

Summer Disco

Summer Disco tickets are now available within the "School Shop" section of your Arbor app at a cost of £2.50 per child.

The disco will take place on **Thursday 22nd May 5:00pm - 6:30pm**. Due to health and safety measures and staffing, we must limit the disco attendance to 120 children.

Please note: Payments must be made by **9pm on Wednesday 21st May** and we will not be able to accept any children after the payment item closes or the maximum number of attendees is reached.

Warmer Weather

As the weather continues to get warmer, we recommend applying sun cream to your child in a morning prior to them arriving at school.

If your child would like to bring in a sun hat from home to wear during breaks and lunchtimes, they are permitted to do so.

It would also be appreciated if parents/carers could ensure that their child has their water bottle in school each day. Please also note that water bottles are to be filled with water and not juice.

Pre-Loved Uniform

We are still accepting uniform donations so if anyone has any uniform items in good, clean condition please could they be brought to the school office.

Our uniform rail outside the office is there for everyone so if you are in need of any uniform items for your child/ren, please pop in to see what is available.



SUMMER FAIR



STRIKE LANE SCHOOL

Friday 11th July 2025

Donations Wanted!

- Good Quality Teddies
- Wine
- Tombola Prizes
- Raffle Prizes



Friends



of Strike Lane School



Lower Lane After-School Club

FREE

Ages 8 to 15



Football



Dodgeball



Cricket



Axe
Throwing



LaserTag

EVERY FRIDAY 3:45pm - 4:45pm

Lower Lane Community
Centre, Freckleton

This free club is funded by



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Join FRECKLETON BAND & SPECIAL GUESTS FOR OUR

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COMMEMORATIVE CONCERT

SATURDAY - MAY 3RD - 7.30PM
 LYTHAM METHODIST CHURCH

Ticket info



FYLDE JUNIOR CHESS CLUB



Fylde Junior Chess Club is now taking applications for Summer Term
 which will start on 1st May

The club meets on Thursdays at Lytham Assembly Rooms 3.45pm to 5.15pm and is
 managed by adults with an Enhanced DBS.

Very much a beginners club for children from ages 7-16.

Should your child be interested in joining then please contact Richard Smith @
r.smith56@btinternet.com or tel 07486655193 as soon as possible as places are limited



QUIZ NIGHT



SATURDAY, 17th MAY 2025
at Freckleton Village Hall
7.00 pm

£4.00 each
TEAMS OF 6



(Bring Your Own Drink)



Proceeds to "Bring Danny Home"

For details tel. 01772 631707



Holy Trinity Church
Lytham Road
Freckleton
Preston
PR4 1AA



Schedule – May 2025

Sun. 04 May	11:00	Worship4U
Sat. 10 May	10:00	St Paul's Little Café
Sun. 11 May	11:00	Parish Communion
	14:30	Rose Queen Social Rawstorne Centre tickets: adults £5, under 16s £2
Wed. 14 May	14:00	Mothers' Union
Sun. 18 May	11:00	Parish Communion
Sun. 25 May	11:00	Parish Communion
Thu. 29 May	19:00	Ascension Thursday

Evening Prayer Mondays at 16:00, except 05 and 26 May
Next Coffee and Toasties: 28 June



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