



SPRING TERM NEWSLETTER

W/E 26TH JANUARY 2024

Dear Parents & Carers,

Thank you to all the children who have been working hard to think of ideas for our school motto this week. They have done a great job of recognising the things that are most important to us here at Buckshaw such as working together, caring for each other, trying our best. This week we will be working on coming up with a shortlist of mottos to put out to the family vote on next week's newsletter - watch this space!

Next week, children in Y3-6 will welcome author Susan Brownrigg into school. Susan is going to talk to them about the writing competition which is open to all the children and share some of her writing with them. I'm sure she will inspire some super writing!

Online Safety

We are having a number of issues with older children and the messages they are sending each other online. Apps such as WhatsApp and Snapchat have age ratings unsuitable for primary aged children. Please make sure that you monitor your child's use of any phones or other devices.

Valentine's Disco

A reminder to book your tickets on ScoPay. Please see the poster at the end of this letter for details. We would be very grateful of anyone who is able to volunteer either in setting up the hall from 2pm, or to help with supervision during the discos. Please contact the office if you are able to help.

Mothers' Day Lunch

A reminder that bookings for this will close on Friday 9th February. Please see the poster at the end of this letter for details.

Volunteers

We are always on the look out for parents, grandparents and any other willing volunteers to help out in school by hearing children read. Practising reading skills is essential if the children are going to become fluent readers. If you, or someone you know could spare a couple of hours each week to help us, please get in touch via the office.

WHOLE SCHOOL

ATTENDANCE:

93.95%

LUNCHES: W/C 29/1/24

**WEEK 2- Autumn / Winter
Menu**





CELEBRATIONS & OTHER NEWS

THIS WEEKS ACHIEVEMENTS



RECEPTION

Bahaa

Jaxon

YEAR 1

Emily

Diamond

YEAR 2

Ivana

Georgia

YEAR 3

Erin

Riziah

YEAR 4

Leo

Oscar

YEAR 5

Zoya

Bella

YEAR 6

Sophie

Rihanna

Can you please ensure that you clear any outstanding payments on SCOPAY.

We have monies outstanding for Kids Club. No bookings will be taken for Kids Club where there is an outstanding balance in excess of £50 or more until this balance has been cleared.

Useful Information

Eden Hair Salon in Chorley will be offering free dry haircuts for primary and secondary school children who are in receipt of Universal Credit or who are experiencing financial difficulty. Everyone deserves a haircut. Especially children in tough times. Hair must be fresh and clean

Focus Value of the term

Our focus value is determination— we show determination when things get tough

NURSERY BREAD MAKING

Nursery have been busy baking bread this week to celebrate their story of the week 'The Little Red Hen' and exploring changing materials in the baking process as part of their understanding of the world. The children enjoyed the experience and can't wait to bake again.



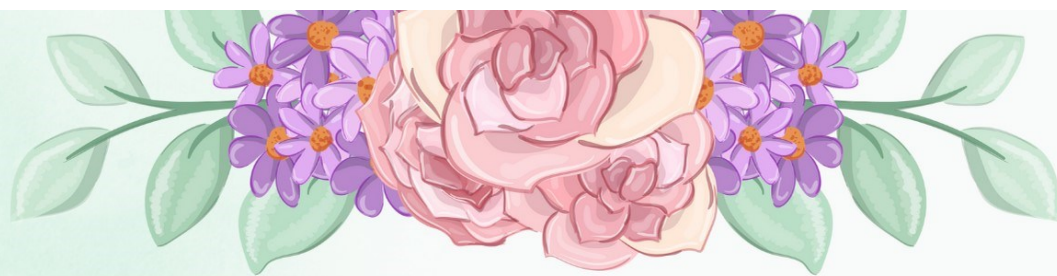
COME AND JOIN
OUR
Valentine's
Disco
Tickets
£2.50

KS 1 Disco 4-5pm
KS2 Disco 5.30-6.30pm

Crisps, sweets and a drink
included

Tuesday 6th February 2024

PLEASE BOOK VIA SCOPAY



WEDNESDAY 6TH MARCH 2024

MOTHER'S DAY LUNCH

12 NOON

ALL MUMS, STEP-MUMS, GRANDMAS (OR ANY
OTHER IMPORTANT GROWN-UP) WELCOME!

ROAST TURKEY
DINNER WITH
ROAST
POTATOES AND
VEGETABLES

£3.10

QUORN
FILLET WITH
ROAST
POTATOES
AND
VEGETABLES

PRE-ORDERING IS
ESSENTIAL VIA SCOPAY

PLEASE BOOK YOUR PLACE AND
PRE-ORDER NO LATER THAN
FRIDAY 9TH FEBRUARY 2024

NO ORDERS WILL BE TAKEN AFTER
THIS DATE

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DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Friday 2 nd February	Author visit for KS2 1.30-2.30pm
Tuesday 6 th February	Valentine's Disco KS1—4.00pm—5.00pm KS2—5.30pm—6.30pm
Wednesday 7 th February	Young Voices Choir to Manchester
Friday 9 th February	Visit from Sir Lindsay Hoyle, Speaker of the House
Tuesday 20 th February	4.00pm—7.30pm Parents' Evening
Wednesday 21 st February	3.30-5.30pm Parents' Evening
Wednesday 6 th March	Mother's Day lunch—details to follow
Thursday 7 th March	World Book Day - Dress up as your favourite character and enjoy a themed meal at lunchtime
Thursday 14 th March	Y5 Bikeability
Friday 15 th March	Non-uniform day — for chocolate donations Y5 Bikeability
Thursday 21 st March	6.00pm Family chocolate bingo
Saturday 23 rd March	Cross Country Competition and Family Fun Run in Astley Park
Tuesday 26 th March	Parents reading session with Caroline Yabantu
Wednesday 27 th March	Easter themed lunch

WORLD BOOK DAY



Easter Lunch

Mrs Tiggy-Winkle
Roast Turkey
or Quorn Fillet
with
Yorkshire Pudding
Peter Rabbit's
Roast Potatoes
&
Seasonal Vegetables

~
Flopsy, Mopsy
and Cotton-Tail
Chocolate Cornflake Nests



St George's Dramatic and Musical Society

Present....

Sinbad the Sailor

A Pantomime by

Alan P Frayn



Choose fun at



3-12
Years



A menu
of 50+
activities



Ofsted Registered

VENUES

St Leonard's C of E Primary, Walton-le-Dale , PRESTON
Euxton Primrose Hill Primary, Euxton , CHORLEY
Eccleston Primary, Eccleston , CHORLEY

Opening Times 7:30am-6:00pm

Choose fun at



Full day, full week & sibling discounts available

No extra charges for 7:30am drop off or 6:00pm pickup

Tax Free Childcare vouchers accepted

HOLIDAY CLUB

Holiday's 2024	Opening Dates	Timetable Launch
February	12th - 16th February	8th January
Easter	2nd - 12th April	19th February
May	28th May - 31st May	15th April
Summer	23rd July - 1st Sept	3rd June

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MULTI-SPORTS PROGRAMME



FEB
HOLIDAY
CLUB 8.30AM
- 4.00PM

Scan to Book



CHORLEY:
BUCKSHAW PRIMARY SCHOOL

MON 12TH - FRI 16TH FEBRUARY

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