



Newsletter – WC 6th May 2024

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The words of Jesus: Our Christian Value this week is Forgiveness



A massive St John's well done to all our Silverdale Stars this week.

CURLEWS – Marnie

For always being curious to learn new skills and share her knowledge by asking and answering questions. Great effort Marnie

BITTERNS – Kara

For being brave throughout change and showing resilience

HARRIERS – Max

For positive energy, fun and enthusiasm for learning. You bring a sparkle to our class and you're a joy to teach!

SATS

Year 6 will be sitting their SATs next week. Please can we remind parents that a good night's sleep is essential (over the weekend too!) good diet and lots of encouragement!

It's hard managing test pressure when you are 11yrs old – all that goes with it physically, mentally, and emotionally. We know the children will do their very best.

There will be special breakfast in school from 08:30 that week. Brioche, fruit, yoghurt, croissants. All year 6 are invited.

Field and Fun Day

Field and Fun day is happening on **Sat 15th June 2024**. The committee need all trophies back from last year asap. If you have or know anyone that has a trophy, please can you drop it in at school. School will also be having a little stall. We need ideas for this! Children will be selling loom bands and selling crafts made by our after school club. We also need volunteers.. If you can give half an hour on 15th June, it would be very much appreciated.

Playground Project

We have had some disappointing news regarding the playground. The work now won't be started until June 17th. The drain contractors have fallen behind with other work, so our project has been put back. It WILL get done this academic year, we assure you. However, it is a little later than we had hoped. Thank you for your continued patience with this.

Attendance

From 02.05.24 – 09.05.24

Well done to Bitterns' class!

Curlews - 86.7%

Bitterns – 90.0%

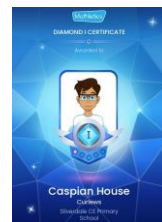
Harriers – 87.1%

Lunches

Week 2 WC 13.05.24



New 'first' certificates in Mathletics



Well done to these three hard working children – Thomas, Abigail and Caspian, for getting your first 'firsts' this week!

Transition Year 6 to Year 7

QES

Welcome evening for Parents and pupils - Thursday 20th June

Induction morning Monday 1st July.

Carnforth High School

Induction Day Thursday 4th July

Dallam

Induction evening - Monday 1st July at 6pm

Intake day Tuesday 2nd July.

Alternative day Wednesday 10th July PM



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Bitterns class are enjoying 'The Enchanted Wood' by Enid Blyton this week. Enid Blyton was one of Miss Sanderson's favourite authors when she was a child....

"I loved the Faraway Tree, as it was the beginning of many magical adventures for me, when I visited my grandma in the summer holidays. Just the idea of meeting Moonface, Saucepan Man and Silky the fairy (in my imagination) was enough to take me off for hours into the woods exploring!

LRGS/LGGS timetable for 2025 entry

Saturday 15 th June 2024	Open Day (from 9.00am - 1.00pm)
September 2024	Lancashire Admissions flyer circulated to parents via primary schools
Monday 9 th September 2024	Closing date for parents to return the LRGS on-line Application Form (paper copies should be sent directly to the Admissions Officer at LRGS)
Saturday 28 th September 2024	11+ assessment tests at LRGS.
Wednesday 9 th October 2024	Date by which results of 11+ assessment sent to parents
Thursday 31 st October 2024	Closing date for parents to return the LEA Application Form (this should be returned via your son's primary school) or online
Monday 9 th March 2025	Allocation of schools sent to parents (by Lancashire LEA) and 11+ results sent to parents (by LRGS)



Click [here](#) for admission booklet



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Class Blogs

It's Harriers' class this week! Please [click](#) on the link to gain an insight into what the children have been learning in class. Please also check out our school [Facebook](#) page.

Park Run

Meet tomorrow at 0845 at the Beach café, if you want to do Park Run. It's 5km. The weather is meant to be nice. Drinks at end provided. Mrs Taylor and Miss Sanderson will be there.

Next Week...

13.05.24 SATS English grammar and Spelling paper 09:15
14.05.24 – SATS English reading paper 09:15
15.05.24 – SATS Maths paper 1 and 2 09:15 & 11:00
15.05.24 – Dentist in to see all 5yr old children
15.05.24 – Starlings and Curlews forest school
16.05.24 – SATS Maths paper 3 – 09:15
CHECK THE SCHOOL [WEBSITE CALENDER](#) FOR FUTURE DIARY DATES

FOSS

FOSS is our PTA (parent teacher association), although it is slightly different to a PTA, as every person who is part of our school community is automatically a member. There are different aims for this group support. Advice and fundraising, are just a couple of them.

In order to be able to fund projects, we need to raise money! This is because there is just not enough in the school budget, provided by county. Therefore, we need people to organise and run fundraising events. The more people involved, the better. So far, over the last few years, a small team of parents have organised all FOSS events. However, for such a small team it is not sustainable. There will be a meeting on **Thursday 6th June at the Silverdale Hotel at 7pm**. Please, if you can, come along. It's always nice to see new faces, and to hear what gifts and skills parents have, that we might utilise in school to help raise money and support our children's education.

If you are on Facebook, there is a [Silverdale parent's page](#) (please let us know, if you don't not have access to this page). This might be a good place to post ideas, and find out the best times for us to meet to organise some Summer term events. A letter with these dates will be going out next week.

Friday Thought

For God did not appoint us to suffer wrath but to receive salvation through our Lord Jesus Christ. He died for us so that, whether we are awake or asleep, we may live together with him. —1 Thessalonians 5:9-10

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