



NEWSLETTER

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June 19th 2026

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Upcoming Dates

Sun 21st June – Father’s Day Service – Y1 & Y5 leading the service

Tues 23rd June – Y4 Class Worship at St. Lawrence Church – 9.15am

Thurs 25th June – Sports Day

Fri 26th June – Non-uniform day – sweet donations

Y6 to leavers service at St George’s in Chorley
Y1 trip to Bowland Wild Boar Park

Sat 27th June – Rose Festival

Sun 28th June – Rose Festival Church Service 10am

Tues 30th June – Y6 Class Worship at St. Lawrence Church – 9.15am

Thurs 2nd July – Broughton High School and Garstang Community Academy transition day

Fri 3rd July – Y6 trip to London

Mon 6th July – Messy Church – 3.30 – 4.30pm

Tues 7th July – EYFS class worship at St. Lawrence Church – 9.15am

Mon 13th July – Y3 class trip – details to follow

Tues 14th July – Y6 play – SHREK at 6pm – tickets on sale soon

Wed 15th July – Y6 play – SHREK at 6pm - Tickets on sale soon

Thurs 16th July – Y6 Leavers lunch

Fri 17th July – Y6 leavers party – details to follow

Mon 20th July – PTFA summer fun day

Tues 21st July – School close at 1.30pm

Wed 2nd Sept – School reopens

Mon 14th Sept – Y6 trip to Robinwood

Mr. Crook’s message

It has been another full and enjoyable week in school, with lots of opportunities for our children to learn, grow and experience something new together. It has been lovely to continue welcoming our new Reception families for EYFS inductions and to begin building those early relationships as they join the St Lawrence family. Tuesday’s KS2 Sports Festival was a real highlight. The children showed great enthusiasm, teamwork and encouragement and it was wonderful to see so many smiles when they returned to school. Thank you to Mr McKnight for organising such a successful event and to the volunteers who supported it. Unfortunately, we had to postpone Thursday’s Sports Day. The forecast changed early on Tuesday, with rain expected and the field was wet and slippery. Although the rain stayed away, conditions were not safe. We know this was disappointing, but as a school, we will always put the safety of our children first. Thank you for your understanding and we look forward to holding Sports Day next Thursday. Year 2 led a thoughtful and reflective class worship this week, sharing their learning with confidence and respect and our netball team have once again represented the school brilliantly with their teamwork and sportsmanship. Year 5 have also enjoyed their Forest School session today, developing confidence and resilience through outdoor learning. Finally, thank you to our PTFA for organising the Father’s Day shop - a lovely opportunity for the children and much appreciated by us all. Thank you, as always, for your continued support. You are all welcome to attend our Father’s Day service at Church on Sunday at 10.00

Stars of the Week

Nursery – Amira and Penny

EYFS – Oliver and Noah

Year 1 – Heidi and Gabriel

Year 2 – Frankie and Bella

Year 3 – Zachariah and Oliver

Year 4 – Zack El and Woody

Year 5 – Freddie and Daisy

Year 6 – Freddie

Times Tables; Huge congratulations to Jonah in Year 5 who has passed all of his times tables. Well done Jonah - you have worked so hard.

Well done to Emma in Year 6, Thomas in Year 5 and Liyaana Rouza in Year 4 who have all achieved a new status on TTRockstars.

Reading; Jordan and Ivy in Year 1, Essie and Lily in Year 3

Music; Myla and Theo in Year 1 and Jude in Year 5

Headteacher's Award

Harry in EYFS, George in Year 2, Muhammad and Isabella in Year 6

SPORTS FESTIVAL - On Tuesday, we took all of our Year 4, 5 and 6 children, along with a group of Year 3 pupils, to the Sports Festival at UCLAN Sports Arena.

It was a fantastic day, with the children taking part in a wide range of activities including netball, cricket, tennis, football, hockey, ultimate frisbee and much more. There was a real sense of energy and enthusiasm throughout the day, and it was wonderful to see so many children giving their best, encouraging one another and representing our school so positively.

We were incredibly proud of their achievements too, with teams returning with bronze medals in cricket, hockey and girls' football, and an outstanding performance from our giant skills team who were crowned gold medal winners!

Most importantly, the children had a truly wonderful day, building confidence, teamwork and a love of sport.

A heartfelt thank you must also go to our amazing volunteers and staff who gave up their time to support the event. We simply couldn't offer opportunities like this without your generosity and commitment.



NON-UNIFORM DAY & SWEET DONATIONS 🍬 - We will be holding a non-uniform day on **Friday 26th June** in support of our Rose Festival. We kindly ask children to bring in a donation of sweets (nut-free, please) for our sweetie tombola.

ROSE FESTIVAL – The Rose Festival and Family Fun Day will take place this year on **Saturday 27th June**. For parents who haven't attended before, you can look forward to a fun-filled afternoon for the whole family. The celebrations begin with the crowning of our new Rose King and Queen, followed by a wide range of activities on the school field, including games and stalls, a bouncy castle, a BBQ, and a refreshment tent.

The parade to the church for the crowning ceremony will leave the school at 2:30pm. We expect to return to school by 3:00pm, when all stalls and activities will open.

To make the day a success, we rely on the support of a large team of volunteers. If you are able to spare an hour or two to help on the day, please let Mrs Higham know. Tasks include setting up the field between 10:00am and 12:00 noon, helping to run a stall between 3:00pm and 5:00pm, or assisting with clearing away afterwards

BREAKFAST AND AFTER SCHOOL BOOKINGS - If your requirements for breakfast and after school care are not changing for September 2026, you do not have to do anything as existing bookings will be carried over. If your requirements are going to change, please inform Mrs Greenhalgh on bartonpreschool@gmail.com ASAP as sessions are very busy.

OUT OF SCHOOL ACHIEVEMENTS



- Myerscough children had a fabulous weekend with lots of awards being given out – Henry (Y1), Andreas (Y2), Archie (Y2) and Shayan (Y4). Well done boys you must have worked hard!



- Sienna (Year 3) received medals for tap, ballet and modern and won the trophy for Junior Tap Award. Sienna dances with children in an older age group and is excelling. Well done Sienna!
- Faye (Year 2) received a whopping two stage certificates for swimming. She has now passed stage 3 and 4. Well done Faye!
- Xander (Year 2) received his 10m swimming certificate and a certificate for trying very hard to achieve this even though he was feeling a little nervous. Well done Xander!