

2nd June 2025

St. Mary's Primary and Pre-school Newsletter (16)

WELCOME BACK

Welcome back to school after the half term holiday. We are really pleased also to welcome Alfie into Year 2 and Lillie and Isla-Mae into Preschool today. This is a 7 week term and we will be breaking up for the summer holidays on Friday, 18th July after our leavers assembly at 1.30pm.

SCHOOL PRODUCTION

Our school production is at Chipping Village Hall on Tuesday, 15th July at **10.30am** and **2pm**. This year, we are not going to have an evening show as we have found that the children are quite tired coming back in the evening - understandably. The show this year is called, 'Pirates Versus Mermaids.' The children have been told what role they are playing, and a letter will be sent out soon confirming this with more information. If you are able to support us by sorting out their costumes - that would be really appreciated. However, if you are unable to do this, please do let us know. Tickets will be available for sale soon.

TEACHING VACANCIES

There are now two teaching vacancies on the Lancashire Teaching Website at:

<https://schooljobs.lancashire.gov.uk>

One is for the Headteacher role for next January 2026, and the other is for a part-time teacher from September to cover two and a half days across school. If you know of anyone that may be interested in applying for either of these roles, please do let them know. They are also warmly invited to come into school and Mrs. Morris will show them around.

SCHOOL BBQ

Friends of St. Mary's and the school staff will be working together to organise a BBQ on our school field for all our families on Sat 12th July between 2pm and 5pm. There will be food, stalls, rounders and hopefully some dancing. Tickets will be sold soon and we hope that you are able to bring your camping / deck chairs and have a lovely afternoon.



What's Happening?

Fri 6th June - Years 5/6 swimming starts

Tues 10th June - Mini skills at Whitechapel for Reception

Weds 11th June - Hindu temple visit for Reception and Yrs 1/2/

Weds 11th June - Governor Committee meeting in school at 5.30pm

Thurs 12th June - Mass in Church at 9.30am

Tues 17th June - Lancashire Sings at Preston - Yrs 3/4/5/6 to Crossgate Church **(all day - need a packed lunch please)**

Weds 18th June - Reception new starters in school and new parents meeting (1.30pm - 3pm)

Weds 18th June - Full governors meeting at 5.30pm

Thurs 19th June - Pre-school sports afternoon at 2.30pm

Mon 23rd June - Years 4/5/6 to BAE Samlesbury for Engineering **(all day - need a packed lunch please)**

Tues 24th June - Let's Learn Moor - Years 4/5/6 to Bowland Fells to learn about looking after the moors **(all day - need a packed lunch please)**

Weds 25th June - Year 6 to Blackpool Pleasure Beach **(all day - need a packed lunch in a small rucksack please)**

Fri 27th June - School Sports Afternoon at 1.30pm (no assembly)

Tues 1st July - Friends of St. Mary's Meeting in School at 2pm

Sat 12th July - Family BBQ on the school field for all 2- 5pm

Tues 15th July - Whole school production at the Village Hall (10.30am and 2pm)

Thurs 17th July - Mass in Church at 9.30am

Fri 18th July - Leavers Assembly in the school hall at 1.30pm