



Euxton Church of England Primary School

In our Christian family, we all SHINE in the light of Jesus.

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Friday 7th June 2024

Dear Parents,

Welcome back to school for the final half term of the school year. End of year is always a very busy time, with lots of events, so please do read the newsletter each week to keep up to date.



Celebration Worship

Class superstars will resume next week. We had lots of lovely achievements and birthdays to celebrate today!

PTFA Lucky Numbers

Congratulations to Helen Waugh, one of our Governors who won the ± 20 draw on the day we broke up for half term.



<u>New School Website</u>

We are very excited to announce the launch of our new school website from today! Every Friday, each class will post a blog on their class page to share current learning, photos and homework for that week. Please do make a habit of reading the blogs each week, as they will contain important information about

your child's class and promote conversations about our wonderful curriculum at home. There is also a school calendar to keep you up to date with future events and we are in the process of updating lots of information so please do take time to look around – www.euxtonceprimary.co.uk. This will become our platform for parent communication via a downloadable App and we will let you know when more aspects of the new website are to be launched.

<u>Reading</u>



At school we always promote a love of reading. Please continue to support reading at home and spend at least 15 minutes a day reading with your child. Literacy is fundamental to all areas of learning, as it unlocks access to our wonderful curriculum for all children to enjoy.

Healthy Snacks



We offer all children morning toast and Infants are provided with daily free fruit which they tend to have at afternoon break. KS2 children would only need **one** snack if opted in for toast. Please ensure snacks are nutfree and a healthy option to promote healthy body and mind e.g. try to

avoid crisps, sweets and chocolate. Children are free to refill their water bottles during the day. Please fill with water and not juice. Thank you.

<u>Social Media & Online Safety</u>



Please remember **not to post photos** of children, other than your own, on social media platforms; for example, photos from celebration worship. Not all children have permission from their parents for pictures to be shared online. Please see attached the online safety newsletter for June which highlights how to check age ratings and awareness about chatting online.

Thank you for your support in keeping children safe online.

Next week trips

Y5 trip to Manchester Museum on **Tuesday 11th June**. Y4 trip to Ewood Park on **Wednesday 12th June**. I'm sure the children will enjoy these curriculum enriching experiences. Thank you to the PTFA for their contribution to costs and Tyrer's Coaches for providing transport.

PTFA:

Thank you to all those who attended the PTFA meeting this morning to discuss forthcoming events and more fantastic fundraising opportunities.



Next week is **Superhero Breakfast** - **Friday 14th June 7.45-8.30am**. Please come and enjoy a sausage sandwich with your child which can be eaten in the hall or outside on the playground picnic benches. If you would like to bring along a picnic blanket please feel free to do so. Please remain and supervise your child during the event until the school gates open - which will be at the earlier

time of 8.40am. Thank you if you have returned your slip and money for this event and for supporting our PTFA – no more people can be added sadly as we are at full capacity.

Sports Day

Sports Day will take place on **Tuesday 2nd July**. Infant races start at 1.15pm and Juniors at 2.15pm. You may collect your infant child from classroom doors via the playground once finished. Children are to wear a coloured T shirt (or a T shirt which has some of their team colour on) to match team colours: Air- Yellow, Earth - Green, Fire - Red, Water - Blue. Trainers can be worn for races. Any questions please ask a member of your child's class staff. PTFA will be offering a tuck shop, drinks and ice lollies from 2pm.

<u>EuX</u>

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We are happy to announce that our annual EuXton Factor performance will be taking place on **Wednesday 17th July** at 2pm this year. Auditions will take place in class during the week beginning **8th July**. All children from **years 1-6** are welcome to showcase their talents for the rest of their class, either in groups or on their own. All talents are encouraged, and we can't wait to see everyone's performances. Parents of the children who are chosen to perform in the whole school performance will be informed by **Friday 12th July**.

Out of School Club

Message from the OSC staff - if your child is being collected by someone who isn't on the designated pick up list or is not attending the club but is booked in, please let the staff know by either ringing the OSC mobile (0773 0777136) or the school office until 4.30pm (01257 263454) or speaking to the ASC staff in person. Thank you!

St Catherine's Hospice Art Competition

Please see the flyer below with all the details on for your child to take part in this competition - good luck to all that enter!

Summer Term Key Dates Ahead

Tuesday 11th June - Y5 trip to Manchester Museum Wednesday 12th June - Y4 trip to Ewood Park Tuesday 18th June - Y3 trip to Bolton Museum Wednesday 19th June - Y6 trip to Leyland Trucks Monday 24th June - Wednesday 26th June - Y6 Residential to Robinwood. **Tuesday 25th June** - Y2 trip to Clitheroe castle Friday 28th June - PTFA Colour Run 3.30pm **Tuesday 2nd July** - Sports Day for whole school Wednesday 3rd July - Move up morning for classes to meet spend time in new classrooms. **Thursday 4th July** - Y5/6 Production 'Shakespeare Rocks!' - 2pm & 6pm performances. Saturday 6th July - Euxton Gala on school field. Monday 8th July - Last swimming session for Y3. Tuesday 9th July - Y6 Leaver's Service - 2pm in church. Thursday 11th July - PTFA Leaver's Disco (Y4-6) 6-8pm in the school hall. Wednesday 17th July - Leaver's Lunch Thursday 18th July - End of school year. School finishes at 1.30pm.

Family Wellbeing Festival 2024

This not for profit family event is taking place on Sunday 16th June in Rivington and is aimed at encouraging parents and children to embrace nature and engage in activities as a family. Please go to their website for more information www.itsmental.co.uk/familywellbeingfestival and see flyer below.

Have a lovely weekend. Best wishes, Mrs Mairi Ash, Headteacher

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COMPETITION

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The winning entries will be printed and featured in the St Catherine's official 2025 calendar sold across our shops within Central Lancashire and online. All 12 winners will receive a free calendar showcasing their work.

How to take part:

1. Create your artwork inspired by nature and the environment, using paintings, drawings, or digital art (artwork will need to be A4 landscape in size)

 Submit your art digitally via fundraising@stcatherines.co.uk OR by sending via post or person to: Schools Art Competition, St Catherine's Hospice, Lostock Lane, Lostock Hall, Preston PR5 5XU

Closing date for entries is 30th June 2024 | On all submissions, please include your name, age, school or college, artwork title, email address and phone number.

Questions? Email fundraising@stcatherines.co.uk

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St Cat

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