



Euxton Church of England Primary School

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

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Dear Parents,

Euxton Superstars!

Congratulations to this week's class Superstars:

Reception: Rio, George & Oliver

Year 1: James

Year 2: Jese

Year 3: Luca

Year 4: Elizabeth

Year 5: Madison

Year 6: Libby

Well done to you all and I know you will continue to SHINE!

Bolton Iron Man - CONGRATULATIONS!

Well done to Rev Amy (Swim), Becky Edge (Bike) and Beth Palmer (Run) who finished the Iron Man women's relay race in a fantastic 3rd place! Still time to sponsor and support Euxton Parish Church.

<https://www.justgiving.com/campaign/euxtonparishchurchironmanfundraiser>

Year 5/6 Production

Everyone this week has enjoyed the fabulous Y5/6 performances of 'Shakespeare Rocks!'. The children dazzled us with their fantastic singing and storytelling. Well done to all involved 😊

Quad Kids



On Wednesday afternoon, nine of our year 4 children represented school at the Chorley SSP Quad Kids competition. They all competed in a 400m run, 50m sprint, standing long jump and howler throw and gave every event their all. We are so proud of everyone who took part!



Sports Day

Well done to our four school teams and to everyone for braving the changeable weather this week and supporting our sports day. The children had a great time and represented their teams brilliantly. Everyone gave it their best and crossed the line. We added all the points together and presented 'AIR' team with the winning cup at celebration worship this morning.





Colour Run

Thank you to all the families who took part in today's Colour Run and supporting this PTFA fundraiser. We had over 130 runners - a great turn out! We will share a total raised with you next week.



GROOVE Day

Next week we will be celebrating the art of dance as our focus for a PE day on **Thursday 11th July**. Please can children come to school in their **sporty clothes on Thursday not Tuesday** next week. Thank you.

Leaver's Service

Y6 Leaver's Service next **Tuesday 9th July** in church at 2pm. Children to be in school uniform. Y6 parents welcome to attend. Miss Lewis will be in school this day to say goodbye to staff and children. She will be presenting Y6 with their Leaver's Bibles.



Online safety

July's online safety newsletter attached- some good advice for screen time in the summer holidays.



PTFA meeting

PTFA meeting to discuss fundraising events and a review of the year will take place on **Monday 8th July** on Teams at **7.30pm**. All welcome. Please let the team know if you would like to receive the link to the meeting.

Message from School Office

As we approach the end of the summer term please can parents check their balances in ParentPay and settle any outstanding balances before the last day of term. We will continue to send out reminders. Year 6 parents please could you be mindful that your balances need to be cleared before the end of term, remembering not to send Mrs Ormes more OSC vouchers than necessary as these can't be refunded (Mrs Ormes has messaged you about this directly). Any outstanding ParentPay Y6 balances will be passed to siblings if they have one in school. Lots of uniform has been sent home and this is sent home in good faith before payment so please ensure this is paid for as soon as it is received. Please send any uniform orders to Mrs Ormes next week, avoiding the last week of term if at all possible. Thank you in advance for your co-operation with this. Mrs Hodges and Mrs Ormes.

School Meal Increase from September

We have been notified by Lancashire County Council that school meals for KS2 children (Y3-6) will increase to **£2.70** per day from 1st September. They remain free for infant children (YR, Y1 and Y2). School meals are still good value and particularly delicious prepared by Mrs Bradley so we would encourage as many children to enjoy one each day where possible. If your child is currently in Y2, they will be charged for a school meal as they join the juniors in Y3. If you would like your Y3 child in September to continue with a school meal there is nothing you need to do but if you would like them to bring their own packed lunch into school from September please inform Mrs Ormes (a.ormes@euxton.lancs.sch.uk) before the end of this term.

After School Club Routine

Please note staff have changed their location and practice to support a wider range of activities for the children at club. The new collection routine is to ring the mobile number **0773 0777136** and inform ASC staff when you are ready to collect e.g. approaching up the school drive or arrived at school. Staff will then be able to have children ready with their belongings for handover; either at the playground gate (if outside) or the OSC door (if indoors). Please save the mobile number to your contacts, and share this new method of communication with any key people who may collect your child on your behalf. Thank you for your support!

Class Photos

Apologies for the delay with these - Adam, our photographer, has been really busy but he has promised that we will have them to send home before the end of term.

Churchyard Clean Up Day



The poster features the Euxton Parish Church logo on the left, which includes a stylized cross and the text 'Euxton Parish Church'. To the right of the logo, the text reads 'Churchyard Clean Up Day Saturday 13th July, 10am - 1pm'. Below this text is a photograph of the church building and its surrounding churchyard. To the right of the photograph, there is an illustration of a wheelbarrow, a pair of green gloves, and a garden fork. The text on the poster says: 'Please come along! Bring your gloves & garden hand tools. Refreshments provided. Help us keep our churchyard clean and welcoming for all visitors.'

Saturday 13th July, 10am-1pm, church grounds

Euxton Parish Church are looking to transform the churchyard for the upcoming summer months and ensure it is clean, tidy and welcoming for all their visitors.

Any help from all ages and abilities will be most welcome and appreciated. From edging, pruning, sweeping and general tidying, there is a job for everyone! Please just turn up, with your gardening gloves and any hand tools. Thank you!

Summer Term Key Dates Ahead

Saturday 6th July - Euxton Gala Day on school field.

Monday 8th July - Last swimming session for Y3.

Thursday 11th July - Last homework club with Mrs Rowan.

Thursday 11th July - PTFA Leaver's Disco (Y4-6) 6-8pm in the school hall.

Friday 12th July - Last celebration assembly for certificates/trophies/birthdays.

Tuesday 16th July - Papa's Pizzas Y6 treat for lunch in school.

Wednesday 17th July - Leaver's Lunch.

Wednesday 17th July at 2pm - Euxton Factor (Auditions in class w/c **8th July**) £1 donation to Rainbow Hub for colourful non-uniform day!

Thursday 18th July - End of school year. Awards Assembly for Y6 class 9.05am. School finishes at 1.30pm. No ASC on this day.

Have a great weekend.

Best wishes,
Mrs Mairi Ash
Headteacher

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