

Newsletter

17.05.24



Key Stage 2 SATs

CONGRATULATIONS to Year 6!

This week Year 6 have completed their End of Key Stage 2 SATs. Year 6 did six different SATs tests in Grammar, Punctuation & Spelling, Reading and Maths. The staff have all been very impressed by Year 6's calm attitude, clear focus and resilience while managing all these tests. All children have kept going from the start to the end of the tests, used the different strategies they have been taught and really given their very best! We are incredibly proud of all of them! Today every member of Year 6 was presented with a special certificate and 100 dojos for being so incredible! Many thanks to all the staff who have supported Year 6 during this week! Special thanks to Mrs Cumpstey, Miss McPherson and Mrs Crewe for their on-going work with Year 6 this academic year. Children and parents will receive the SATs results in July.



KEEP OUR PLAY AREAS CLEAN!

Millie in Y6 was one of the winners of Colne Junior Council's Keep Our Play Areas Clean poster competition. Colne Town Council have just let us know that Millie's fantastic design has now been brought to life and installed at both West Street playground and Alkincoates Park, Colne. Great work Millie!



Dates for your diary

Tue 21st May

Library open after school

AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

Clubs run from 3.30-4.30

Tues: Y1/2 Football

Wed: Y1/2 Craft Club &
Y3/4 Streetdance

Thu: KS2 Craft Club &
Football with Mr Filder

Fri: Y5/6 Striking & fielding

Wed 22nd May

Supersonic Phonic Friends
Training for staff in school

Thu 23rd May

2.30 Meeting for parents
re: Y5/Y6 Ingleton Residential

Fri 24th May

9.10 Celebration Assembly
Pm Year 5 swimming session

**Nursery and School finish
for May half-term today**

**Nursery and School will
re-open on**

TUESDAY 4th JUNE



Year 6—life after SATs!



The ceremonial ripping of practice SATs papers - don't worry, the real SATs papers have been sent off for marking!

Playground fun!



School Dinners

This is the menu for school lunches next week. We are unable to provide alternative meals.

Monday

Sausage in bap or
Tomato pasta

Tuesday

Tondo panini pizza or

Wednesday

Roast dinner or Tomato
mascarpone pasta

Thursday

Picnic lunch or Pasta
Bolognese

Friday

Pizza or fish

The cost of school dinners
is: **£2.50 per day**
OR
£12.50 per week

Parents who pay for their child's school dinners should pay directly to the office staff. Payments can be made either by cash or cheque.



Are you interested in learning about the history of Colne? Do you love looking at old photos?

LANCASHIRE ARCHIVES & LOCAL HISTORY
KEEPING EAST LANCASHIRE IN THE PICTURE

Visit Colne library and
view some of the amazing
historic photographs of
Colne and the
surrounding area.



Albert Road, Colne (c. 1910)



Bolton Street, Colne (c.1890)

Friday 24 May 2024
11am – 2pm

View the exhibition of
historic photographs.

Find out about what our volunteers are doing.

Help us identify photographs. Share your memories.

View some photographic 'treasures'. Free Tea & Coffee.

Help add missing details to photographs.

Since January 2024, volunteers have been digitising the historic photographs stored at the library so that people can enjoy them at exhibitions and online.

You can see the images which have already been digitised at
<https://redrosecollections.lancashire.gov.uk/>.

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Then come along to Colne Library and find out more...



Absence Procedure

When you know your child is off school ill please call and leave us a message. Then we know why your child is not in school.

When your child is not in school, the office staff will:

- send a text message to remind parents that school needs to know why your child is absent.
- make a phone call when they have not yet heard back from you.
- ask Mrs. Peake to make a home visit.

When you receive a text from school you can either reply to the text we have sent you OR just give us a ring.



Contacting School

The school office is open from 8.30am.

Please leave a message on the answer phone before 8.30am. A member of staff will phone you back when necessary.



Supersonic Phonic Friends Training for staff

On Wednesday 22nd May, children in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 will be working with a Supersonic Phonic Friends trainer in school. Staff are looking forward to learning more about phonics teaching.



Fantastic Book Award

Also on Wednesday 22nd May, a group of Year 5 & Year 6 children and Miss. Milner will be going to Preston to take part in the Fantastic Book Awards.

First Aid Training for children

Following the success of last year's First Aid training for children, trainers from **I can save a life** will be in school again all day on Wednesday 5th June to work with all children from Reception to Year 6.



Year 5 & Year 6 Ingleton Residential

Year 5 and Year 6 will be heading to Ingleton in North Yorkshire for their residential from Wednesday 12th to Friday 14th June. They will be tackling the 4 1/2 mile Ingleton Waterfall Walk, visiting White Scar Caves and finding out more about Ingleton.





WE NEED

YOUR HELP

We at Lancashire Children's Safeguarding Assurance Partnership are looking for illustrations for our safeguarding annual report. We are asking all children and young people in Lancashire to draw a picture for a chance to be featured in our annual report and on our future website.

WHAT YOU NEED TO DO:

- Draw/create a picture of what makes you feel safe, for example a person, pet, place, or an object. This can be coloured in.
- Add a sentence about your picture
 - e.g. "XXX makes me feel safe."
- Include your first name and age in the submission.
- Scan the picture and email to lsbu@lancashire.gov.uk with the subject title as **Annual Report 2024**

Prizes

The top 5 picture creators will be announced in September and win a £20 gift voucher.



**Deadline:
30th June
2024**

For more information, contact us on: lsbu@lancashire.gov.uk

A massive well done and congratulations to our learners and readers of the week!!

GREAT JOB - You have earned 10 Dojo points!

THANK YOU to all those parents who joined us for this morning's Celebration Assembly to see your child receive an award.



Readers of the Week

- Year R** **Hasnain** for becoming a more fluent reader and having excellent phonics
- Year 1** **Jaxson** for applying our new switch it sounds to his reading
- Year 2** **Shania** for her great work finding information in the text
- Year 3** **Hasnain** for his beautiful, clear and expressive reading of our class novel
- Year 4** **Finley** for his improved focus during lessons, especially English
- Year 5** **Kyran** for becoming an enthusiastic reader

Learners of the Week

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| Year R Logan for his really positive attitude and willingness to learn | Tommy for his excellent maths work subitising and good answers at carpet time |
| Year 1 Victor for having excellent sticky knowledge | Freddie for writing a fabulous recount about the flood |
| Year 2 Chaise for his impressive sticky knowledge about the History topics we have learned | Maliyah for her improved confidence with her learning |
| Year 3 Deacon for an improved attitude in learning and fantastic money work in maths | Wynter for her outstanding effort and talent in music, even when it is tricky |
| Year 4 Sultan for his great progress and determination to learn his timetables | Betsy for her improved focus during lessons, especially English |
| Year 5 Taylor for working super hard and showing resilience in Maths | |
| Year 6 Callum for making so much progress so far this academic year | Levi for his improved behaviour |

