



ST. LUKE'S CHURCH OF ENGLAND PRIMARY SCHOOL Newsletter

Friday 14th June 2024

Week Commencing Monday 17th June 2024

Monday **Woodwind Lessons**



Tuesday **Violin/Guitar Lessons**

Year 4 Wider Opportunities Brass Lessons

Inspire for our new Reception Class

Gardening Club

Wednesday **Year 3 Trip to Chester**

Voice/Percussion Lessons

Inspire for our new Reception Class

Thursday **Piano/Keyboard/Brass Lessons**

Infant Choir Club

Presentation to Year 4+5 Parents from Mr Larkin

Headteacher at Lowton High School 3.15pm in School

Friday **Junior Sports Day — Parents will be informed if Sports Day is postponed for any reason, please do not call the school office regarding this.**

School Meals

Could we please remind parents that school meals must be ordered by 9.30am each morning.



School meals are prepared according to the numbers ordered before 9.30am each day, which means that it is possible that the only option available after 9.30am is a sandwich.

Meals can be ordered on Lunch Shop up to two weeks in advance. Thank you.

After School Tuck Shop on Sports Day



To celebrate the achievements of all the children on their Sports Days the Friends of St Luke's will be running a Tuck Shop after school on the playground following both events.

Children and their families will be able to buy treats from the Tuck Shop after school on both days.

Junior Sports Day will be held on Friday 21st June and Infant Sports Day will be held on Thursday 4th July.



Happy Father's Day!



Father's Day Sale

Thank you to the Friends of St Luke's for organising another fantastic Father's Day sale.

The children have all enjoyed buying gifts for their special someone and valuable funds have been raised which will benefit all the children in school.



Summer Festival Non-Uniform Day



There will be a non-uniform day on Friday 5th July for the Summer Festival.

We are asking the Infants to bring in sports equipment and the Juniors to bring in bottles for the tombolas.

The Summer Festival will take place on the school field after school on Friday 5th July — further details to follow.



Non-Uniform Day

We will be holding a non-uniform day on Friday 19th July, the last day of the Summer Term.

We are asking that donations are sent in towards the School Fund.



Our School Fund is money that is used towards school prizes, Infant and Junior Bible gifts, costumes for performances, pays the donation towards Timothy our sponsored child in Africa and much more.

All contributions will be gratefully received.

Thank you.



Sports Days

Our Infant Sports Day will be held on Thursday 4th July and our Junior Sports Day on Friday 21st June.

This year we are introducing a different format to that of previous years, where each class will have its own time slot for activities. All activities will take place on the school field as follows:

FRIDAY 4th July — INFANTS

Reception – activities will take place between 9:00am and 10:15am

Year 1 – activities will take place between 1:15pm and 2:30pm

Year 2 - activities will take place between 10:30am and 11:45am

FRIDAY 21st JUNE - JUNIORS

Year 3 – activities will take place between 9:00am and 10:15am

Year 4 – activities will take place between 10:30am and 11:45am

Year 5 – activities will take place between 1:00pm and 2:00pm

Year 6 - activities will take place between 2:00pm and 3:00pm

Please send children to school in their outdoor PE kits with a sun hat and water bottle. We strongly advise that you apply high factor, long lasting sun protection cream before they come to school to ensure that their skin is properly protected in the event of sunny weather.

If you would like to watch your child's Sports Day events please make your way to the school field, via the main drive, no more than fifteen minutes before their class time slot.



Upcoming Sports Fixtures

There will be a number of Sports Competitions taking place over the next academic term.

If your child is chosen to take part in one of these competitions you will be notified.

The events will take place during the school day and transport will be provided by school.

Thursday 27th June — Year 2 and 3 Football

Monday 1st July — Year 5+6 LLG Cricket Competition



Absence and Change of Pick Up Arrangements



Could we please remind parents and carers that if your child is absent from school for any reason, or if there is a change to pick up arrangements, that you must telephone the school office.

Please do not email or DOJO message on the day as there is no guarantee that the teacher or office will see the message if they are teaching or off site.

Annual Awards Trophies

Please could any trophies that were won last year at the annual awards presentation be returned to school by Friday 21st June, this will enable us to have them engraved for this year's annual award presentation.



Thank you.

Bikes, Scooters and Play Equipment

For health and safety reasons could we please remind parents and carers that children and parents must not ride bikes and scooters on the school paths and playground.



Could we please also remind parents and carers that the school play equipment must only be used by the children during the school day when under the supervision of school staff.

Thank you for your continued support and understanding.

Lowton C of E High school

There will be a presentation by Mr Larkin, Headteacher of Lowton Church of England High School, on Thursday 20th June at 3.15pm in school.

Year 4 and 5 parents are invited to attend.



Sports Report

Well done to all the Year 5 and 6 children who took part in the Wigan School Games cricket competitions this week.

The children all showed great sportsmanship and played extremely well, finishing in second place on Tuesday. Unfortunately the competition had to finish early on Thursday due to the poor weather conditions.



School Trips



Class trips in the summer term are as follows:

Year 1 - Imagine That! - 27 June

Year 3 - Chester - 19 June

Year 4 - Liverpool World Museum - 10 July



All trips can be contributed towards on Lunch Shop.

Please contact the School Office in the strictest confidence if you are experiencing difficulty in contributing towards the trips to discuss payment options.

Thank you for your continued understanding and support.

Dates For Your Dairy



Tuesday 18th June — Inspire

Wednesday 19th June — Inspire

Friday 21st June — Junior Sports Day

Monday 24th June — Year 1 Visit to St Luke's Church

Thursday 27th June — Year 2+3 LLG Football Competition

Thursday 27th June — Inspire

Thursday 27th June — Year 1 Trip

Friday 28th June — Class Photographs

Monday 1st July — Year 5+6 LLG Cricket Competition

Friday 5th July — Non Uniform Day (Infants please bring in sports equipment and Juniors bring in bottles for the tombola at the Summer Festival)

Friday 5th July — Summer Festival after School

Tuesday 9th July — Year 3 Gala Concert at Robin Park

Wednesday 10th July — Year 4 Trip

Thursday 11th July — Year 5+6 End of Term Production (1.45pm and 6.30pm in school)

Thursday 18th July — Presentation of Year 6 Bibles and Annual Awards Celebration 1.45pm

Friday 19th July — Non Uniform Day please bring in donations for the School Fund (this fund provides school prizes, costumes for productions, pays for our sponsored child and much more)

Friday 19th July — School Closes for Summer at 3.15pm (ASC open as usual)

Tuesday 3rd September — Return to School





News from St Luke's Church



Lowton and Golborne Food Bank

St Luke's Church collect food items weekly for the food bank run by All Saints Church in Golborne. All the items collected are distributed to those who are in need within the Lowton and Golborne area.

If you would like to contribute towards the Food Bank, items can be brought to St Luke's Church before or after the services on Wednesday or Sunday morning (services run from 10.00am until approximately 11.00am) or be taken to St Luke's Church Thursday Coffee Morning. Thank you.



Coffee Morning



Every Thursday St Luke's Church Fellowship Room (access on Slag Lane opposite Lowton West School), is open during the morning school run from 8.45am until 10.00am for tea, coffee and a chat.

Teddy Bear Service and Picnic

This service will take place in St Luke's Church at 10.00am on Saturday 23rd June



Forget-Me-Not Café



The café has relocated to Broadmead on Golborne Road where there should be adequate on site car parking spaces for everyone.

St Luke's Church Services

Sunday Club will take place in the Community Centre from 9.30am every second Sunday

Every fourth Sunday a Family Service will take place from 10.00am in Church

Refreshments will be served after the services in the Fellowship Room.



Vestry Service

Weddings and baptisms can be booked every Tuesday evening between 7.00pm and 8.00pm in St Luke's Church Fellowship Room (access on Slag Lane).



It all starts with...



We all play at:

Golborne Cricket Club

Session dates:

2nd June to 28th July

Session timings:

10am to 11am

Contact:

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