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**UPCOMING EVENTS:**

- > **Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> June**  
Library Book Sale  
(8:15am - 9:00am)
- > **Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> June**  
Y5/6 Cricket Playoff
- > **Friday 27<sup>th</sup> June**  
1W class worship at 9:10  
(parents are welcome);  
Sports Day &  
PFA Summer Fayre
- > **Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> June**  
Shine Out Committee  
leading Worship in  
Church (at 10:30 am)
- > **Monday 30<sup>th</sup> June -  
Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> July**  
Year 6 Residential to  
London
- > **Friday 4<sup>th</sup> July**  
1B class worship at 9:10  
(parents are welcome)
- > **Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> July**  
Year 3 Trip to Chester
- > **Monday 14<sup>th</sup> -  
Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> July**  
Year 5 Trip to York
- > **Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> July**  
Y6 Memories & Awards;  
End of Summer Term
- > **Monday 1<sup>st</sup> September -  
Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> September**  
INSET Days - School  
closed

**HEADTEACHER UPDATES**

The last week in school was hectic, but the children had a huge amount of fun, showing resilience, talent and confidence in many ways.

The week started with Year 3 learning about habitats at **Martin Mere**. This is a fantastic trip with workshops run by the very knowledgeable staff from the Wildlife Trust.

Virtually all of the Juniors chose to participate in the **triathlon** later in the week. They competed against a good friend and started off with a four-length swim in our pool. Then they battled putting wet feet into trainers before jumping on pedal go-karts and racing around the playground. Next, they ran around the big tree on the edge of our largest field. Finally, they navigated through a bouncy obstacle course and slid down a bouncy slide. Well done to all of those who joined in and completed this physical challenge.

On Thursday evening, Mrs Hardman led approximately fifteen of our Year 6 girls to join a **dance festival at Ormskirk High School**. Our dancers moved in precise harmony with each other, and they were definitely the coolest act of the evening. The dance ended with Felicity performing a perfect aerial cartwheel (no hands)!



The **Year 4 Camp Night** was a great success and was helped by an energetic and enthusiastic staff team, coupled with beautiful weather. There were lots of sporty events in the evening, but also a campfire, fun songs and tasty food. Staff were very impressed with the children's teamwork skills and

overall behaviour. This was exemplified by six children in three tents who awoke earlier than intended in the morning (4:30am). Instead of running around and waking everyone else up, they quietly played cards for an hour or so. Thank you to all of the staff who slept over and somehow stayed so cheerful on the Friday.

2B started Friday with a professional and very clear assembly all about the **importance of respecting each other**. Children were in **non-uniform** and Friday felt like it should have been the last day of term. The children were all buzzing and excited as they were joined by bears of all shapes and sizes for our **teddy bears' picnic**, spread out across various school fields.



## SPORTS DAY & SUMMER FAYRE

With **Sports Day** fast approaching, please ensure your child knows which colour shirt they need to wear. Class teachers and the office can help if needed — just message on Gateway.

Please start arriving from 1:00pm, as we aim to begin at 1:15pm. Reception will start promptly with the obstacle course near the big tree — they get a head start, as it takes them a little longer. Then, at approximately 1:23pm, all other year groups will begin at their various stations. These will be clearly signposted, and maps will be handed out to spectators on arrival.

Reception will finish at the drinks stop, giving their parents a little more time for safe collection. Collection for all children will be directly from staff on the school field.

The toilets near the main school office will remain open throughout both Sports Day and the Summer Fayre. After Sports Day, access towards Ormskirk train station and ‘the Pads’ will be via the Hub.

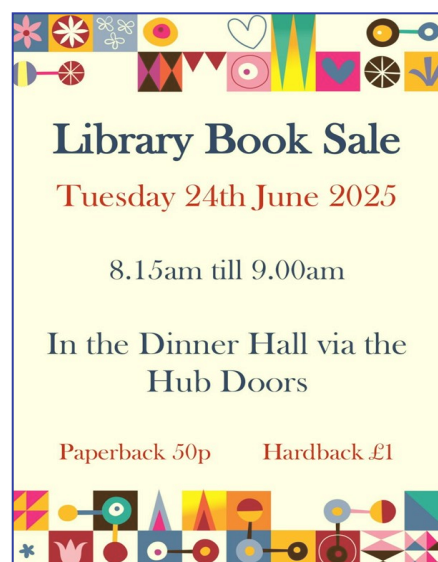
The **Summer Fayre** will begin immediately after Sports Day on the front field. This year, the event will be supported by the Air Cadets, as the PFA will not be running it. Although it will be a more modest affair, there’s still plenty to enjoy, including: ice cream van, hot dogs, cakes, goal shoot-out, netball shooting, bottle tombola, bouncy slide & castles and a brand-new attraction: bouncy axe throwing — very fitting for our Viking Town!

The fayre is expected to finish by 5:00pm.

**We are short on volunteers**, and staff will already be tired from running Sports Day. If you’re able to help for even half an hour — 3:30–4:00pm, 4:00–4:30pm or 4:30–5:00pm — please message on Gateway.

We also welcome help with setting up from 11:30am to noon or packing away from 5:00 to 5:30pm. Many hands make light work — and we really do need many hands! The biggest help of all will be to bring **50 pence and £1 coins — cash, not cards.**

Thank you,  
Mr Storch



## SCHOOL ACTIVITIES AND CLUBS

Mon 23 <sup>rd</sup> June	Tue 24 <sup>th</sup> June	Wed 25 <sup>th</sup> June	Thu 26 <sup>th</sup> June	Fri 27 <sup>th</sup> June
Lunchtime				
Year 3-6 Taekwondo*		Netball squad development	Year 6 Dance Fever	Year 4 Netball
Year 3-6 Cross Country			Year 5-6 Netball	
Busy Bees Club	Busy Bees Club		Library Club	Busy Bees Club
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After school				
<b>Football Club**</b> 3:30 – 4:30	Rec, Year 1-2 Infant Dance Club		<b>Year 1-6 Girl's Football</b> **	<b>Year 1-6 Handball Club</b> **
<b>Taekwondo</b> 5:30 – 6:30				

Year 2 to 6: **Busy Bees Club** is in the hall and is a mixture of board games, Lego, chess and art. Children just drop in.

Meanwhile, **Library Club** is silent reading and some puzzles in the library area.

\* Taekwondo is paid for a session at a time. Just send your child in with £5 each week. This is held in the gym.

\*\* £5.50 per session (Block Booking). Sign up through [www.active-sport.co.uk](http://www.active-sport.co.uk)