

# Ormskirk Church of England Primary School

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Enter the temple gates with thanksgiving, go into it's courts with praise. Give thanks to him and praise him.  
Psalms 100:4

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Our worship theme this half term is Thankfulness

28th June 2024

## Wednesday 3rd July

Year 1 trip to Kenyon Hall Farm (children will need to wear wellies)

## Thursday 4th July

Year 2 trip to Brockholes  
Year 3 trip to Chester

## Wednesday 3rd July

9:15am or 1:15pm School Open Day

## Friday 5th July

9:00am 1W worship  
Parents welcome to attend.

## Friday 12th July

9:00am 1B worship  
Parents welcome to attend.

## Tuesday 9th-Thursday

### 11th July

Year 5 residential to York

## Tuesday 16th July

7pm Year 6 production

## Friday 19th July

9:00am Year 6 Leavers' Service, Ormskirk Parish Church

Parents welcome to attend

End of Term

(school finishes at the normal time)

## Wednesday 4th

### September

School re-opens

New Reception children

start on **Monday 9th**

**September** for either mornings or afternoons for the first 3 days. See your admission pack for more details.

## First Mathematics Challenge 2024

10 children from Year 3 and Year 4 participated in the First Mathematics Challenge this week, organised by the Mathematics Association.

They answered 20 multiple choice questions, increasing in difficulty. Well done to all of the children who took part. Here's how they got on:

Gold: Rishik, Amelia and Harry  
Silver: Harry, Tyron and Mustafa  
Bronze: Isaac, Belle, Emily and Verity  
A special well done to Harry M who only dropped 1 mark!  
Perhaps you'd like to have a go at a couple of the questions they answered?  
See page 2.



Congratulations to our award winners last week and this

week.

**Well Done** Grace, Harrison, Noah, Sophie, Maryam, Belle, Olivia, Lois, Ted, All of Year 4, Maisie, Sidney and Keziah.



Please be patient when awaiting school gates to be opened at the end of the day. We cannot open the gates whilst there are children still on the playground having just finished outdoor lessons. This is to ensure that children remain safe. Thank you in advance for your continued cooperation.

★  
**Library Book Sale**  
Tuesday 2nd July  
**Straight After School**  
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★  
End of year sale of seconds and duplicate books

← In the dining hall.  
Books will be priced from  
50p - £1.50.

See page 2 for the  
new swimming  
timetable.

**SCHOOL OPEN DAY**  
**WEDNESDAY 3rd JULY**  
**9:15am or 1:15pm**



### New Swimming Timetable

Reception	Tuesday afternoon
Year 1	Wednesday afternoon
Year 2	Thursday morning
Year 3	Thursday afternoon
Year 4	Wednesday morning
Year 5	Wednesday morning
Pre-school	Friday afternoon

Swimming hats can be bought from either office for £5 cash.

### New Website

We are in the process of converting over to a new format website. It is live but will have any glitches and inaccuracies corrected and ironed out over the next few weeks as we prepare for an official launch before the end of term. Please be aware that the prices for clubs and Nursery are out of date on the website. If you are in doubt, please ring school.

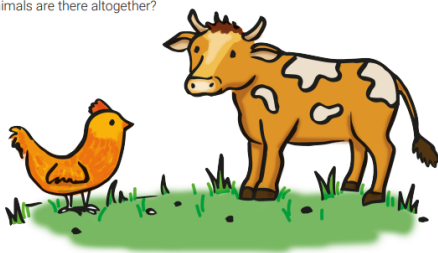
Clubs running week beginning Monday 1st July				
1st July	2nd July	3rd July	4th July	5th July
Years 1-6 Taekwondo Lunchtime		Year 6 Netball Lunchtime		Years 3-6 Cross Country Lunchtime
Busy Bees Club Lunchtime	Busy Bees Club Lunchtime	Busy Bees Club Lunchtime	Busy Bees Club Lunchtime	Busy Bees Club Lunchtime
Years 1-6 Football 3:30 - 4:30	Reception - Year 2 Dance Club 3:30 - 4:30	Year 4 Tag Rugby Years 2 & 3 Dodgeball 3:30 - 4:30	Year 4 Netball Years 1-6 Girls' Football 3:30 - 4:30	Year 5 Netball Years 4 - 6 Dodgeball 3:30-4:30

**General Election on Thursday 4th July. Dropping children off on the main drive is fine but park elsewhere at the end of the day (not across people's driveways please). If you or your child has a disability, you can still park on the main drive.**

### Mathematics Challenge Questions

Answers next week!

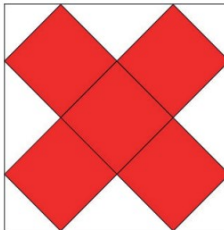
A farmer has 20 cows, some chickens and no other animals. The total number of chicken legs is equal to the number of cow legs. How many animals are there altogether?



- A  $\frac{1}{2}$       B  $\frac{5}{8}$       C  $\frac{3}{4}$       D  $\frac{3}{4}$       E  $\frac{7}{8}$

- A 30      B 40      C 50      D 60      E 70

What fraction of the diagram is shaded ?



**FAMILY HUBS NETWORK** **Building Stronger Relationships**

Relationship disagreements and difficulties are a normal part of everyday life. Many of us experience challenging times in our lives.

Are you a parent dealing with stress and want to communicate better?

Are you willing to try something new to help with communication and resolving disagreements?

Join us for our free 3 week course to learn about arguing and communicating better.

To book a place visit <https://events.apps.lancashire.gov.uk/webpage/event-details?eventid=715345>

Or scan the QR Code

**ENDEAVOUR COMMUNITY** JOIN US FOR A **FAMILY BIKE RIDE** Lancashire County Council

Pedal your way through the beauty of West Lancs

LED BY OUR EXPERT INSTRUCTORS

CHILD FRIENDLY ROUTES

DATES AVAILABLE ACROSS JUNE, JULY AND AUGUST

**FREE EVENT**

Burscough, Ormskirk, Skelmersdale

For enquiries only, please contact: [communityconnectors@westlancs.gov.uk](mailto:communityconnectors@westlancs.gov.uk)

Scan the QR code and click Community Activity for more information, all dates and to register!

**Diddi Doodlerz**

**SUMMER HOLIDAY ARTS & CRAFT CAMP**

BURSCOUGH VILLAGE PRIMARY SCHOOL  
Times: 9am-3pm Ages: 4-11 (R-Y6)

**DATES:**  
 WEEK 1: TUES 23RD - THURS 25TH JULY  
 WEEK 2: MON 29TH - WED 31ST JULY  
 WEEK 3: MON 19TH AUG - WED 21ST AUG  
 WEEK 4: TUES 27TH AUG - THURS 29TH AUG

**WHAT DOES A DIDI DOODLERZ DAY LOOK LIKE?**  
 ARTS & CRAFTS  
 GAMES & ACTIVITIES  
 MOVIES  
 INFLATABLES (LAST DAY ONLY)

**BOOK YOUR PLACE**  
[info@diddidoodlerz.co.uk](mailto:info@diddidoodlerz.co.uk)    3 DAY +55  
 07931 615473    1 DAY +20

Partnered with JN Sports to offer a wider range of activities for all.

**ONE STOP SHOP**

A monthly drop in where families can access support on:  
 Housing  
 Finance  
 Emotional Health and Wellbeing

Access to service for:  
 Employment advice  
 Relationship advice  
 Home safety

Find out about:  
 Mental health support  
 Accessing Food Banks  
 Household living support

**First Thursday of the month, 9am 'til 12 noon**

**FAMILY HUB** The West Lancs Family Hub and Zone  
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 Skelmersdale  
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