

# Ormskirk Church of England Primary School

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And so encourage one another and help one another, just as you are now doing. 1 Thessalonians 5:11

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Our worship theme this half term is Friendship.

17th March 2023

## Tuesday 21st March

4-6pm

or

## Thursday 23rd March

5-7pm Parents' Evening

## Wednesday 22nd March

Year 1 trip to The Storybarn in Liverpool

## Tuesday 28th March

Reception trip to Imagine That in Liverpool

## Thursday 30th March

9am Easter Church Service

led by Year 5

Parents welcome

PFA Easter Family Bingo

Arrive from 6pm.

Games start at 6:30pm.

See page 2.

## Monday 24th April

Class photos

## Monday 8th May

Bank Holiday for the King's Coronation

## Monday 10th -

## Wednesday 12th July

Year 5 trip to York

## Wednesday 12th - Friday

## 14th July

Year 6 trip to London

## Commonwealth Flag Raising



On Monday, members of the school council, attended the raising of the

Commonwealth Flag at



West Lancashire Borough Council offices on

Derby Street. The Mayor of West Lancashire and other special dignitaries were in attendance. The children were invited to the Mayor's parlour for refreshments and visited the council chamber for a question and answer session with the Mayor of West Lancashire. The children represented school brilliantly and we would like to extend our thanks to West Lancashire Borough Council for the invite to the ceremony.



Congratulations to our award winners from last week.

**Well Done** Rosie, Maya, Alex, Ted, Lexi, Sofia, Lexie, Atharva, Tom, Jade, Yetta, Brooke, and Joshua



## Science Week



Some of our Year 5 & 6 children took part in a science workshop to build robotic vehicles with children from five other

schools.



**Easter Holiday Club** for Reception to Year 6 will run Monday 3rd April - Thursday 6th April and Tuesday 11th April - Friday 14th April. 8:00am - 5:30pm each day. Sessions can now be booked on the School Gateway.

**Nursery Easter Holiday Club** for 2 year olds and older will run Monday 3rd April - Thursday 6th April and Tuesday 11th April and Wednesday 12th April. 8:30am - 5:30pm each day.

There is a ceiling on the number of children attending so do book in advance.

**NB.** from now on, Holiday Club bookings will be non-refundable.



### Swimming Days

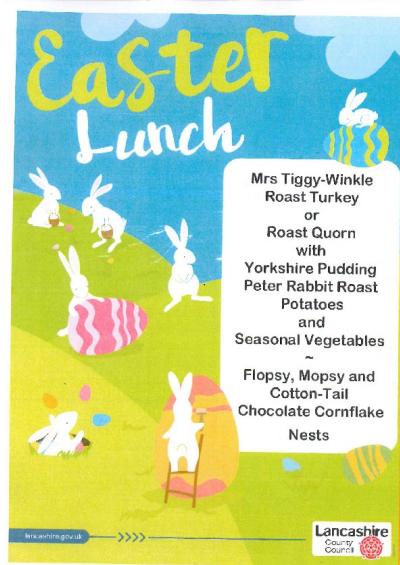
Reception Wednesday morning  
 Year 1 Wednesday afternoon  
 Year 2 Tuesday afternoon  
 Year 3 Thursday afternoon  
 Year 4 Tuesday morning  
 Year 5 Thursday morning  
 Nursery Friday afternoon

**All children need a swimming hat or they will not be able to swim.**

These can be bought from the offices for £3.

There is now a new screen in the hall which means that the 'Born to Move' sessions will be starting again next week on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday mornings for Years 3, 4 & 5. Mr Peetoom will send a message to parents with days for each class.

Clubs running week beginning Monday 20th March				
20th Mar	21st Mar	22nd Mar	23rd Mar	24th Mar
Taekwondo Lunchtime				Years 2-6 Cross Country  Lunchtime
Board Games Club Lunchtime	Library Lunch Club  Years 3 - 6 Chess Club	Library Lunch Club	Board Games Club Lunchtime	Board Games Club Lunchtime
Years 1-6 Football 3:30 - 4:30		Years 1-6 Tennis 3:30 - 4:20	Years 1-6 Girls' Football 3:30 - 4:30	Year 4 Netball 3:30 - 4:30  Years 2 & 3 Dodgeball 3:30 - 4:30



**Easter Lunch**  
 Wednesday 29th March.  
 Book on the Gateway app.  
**Blue** option for Turkey and  
**Yellow** option for Quorn.  
 There will not be the Red option available.

A new 'Infant Playground Award' started this week. Well Done to:  
**Oliver** for being a natural gardener with wonderful ideas and so polite.  
**Lucus** for good listening and being an amazing help with the gardening.  
**Violet** for single-handedly de-mossing the infant steps.



Come and join us for the PFA Family Bingo night  
 Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> March, 6pm to 8pm in the Junior Dining Hall



Entry is pay on the door in cash, £2.50 per person and we have some eggcellent Easter themed prizes!



There will also be a raffle and refreshments available, again please bring cash.

Entry is via the hub and parking will be available on the infant playground



As part of Science Week, Years 1 & 4 had a visit from some creepy crawlies. Some of them seemed to enjoy the experience more than others! Year 4 are studying habitats and environments and they found this really interesting.