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## Newsletter July 2022



I would like to begin by expressing my gratitude for the support that you have given school this academic year. This is our final newsletter which comes at the end of an extremely busy and learning packed year. Our learners have worked very hard to develop their skills, knowledge and vocabulary across the Curriculum as well as applying the learning powers of resilience, organisation, co-operation, perseverance, ambition, creativity, flexibility and passion.

We say a fond farewell to our year 6 learners who move onto their next step in their learning journey at high school. We are very proud of all that they have achieved this year in their learning and of course their achievement in SATs. In September we will welcome a new cohort of year 3 learners from Whitefield to Lomeshaye as we embark on a year full of our Lomeshaye Curriculum bringing engaging and meaningful learning experiences for all.

### **School Start and Finish Times**

In September, the timings of the school day will alter to facilitate a consistent finish time for all learners and ensure that we meet the government requirements for the length of the school week. Mrs Mason and I have worked together to ensure that there is enough time for parents to drop off and pick up at both schools at the beginning and end of the school day.

The start and finish times are as follow:

	<b>Gates Open</b>	<b>Register Closes</b>	<b>End of the day</b>
Lomeshaye Current	8.45am	8.55am	3.15pm
Lomeshaye September 2022	8.40am	8.50am	3.20pm
Whitefield September 2022	8.30am	8.40am	3.10pm



## **Attend Today, Achieve Tomorrow**

Following the last 2 years of unprecedented times and all the valuable school time that has been missed, attendance is more important than ever. In the new school year there will be even more focus on learner's attendance and we will be updating our procedures regularly, to ensure we are all doing all we can to improve our learner's attendance. At Lomeshaye we want the best for all our learners and for them to get on well in life; having a good education is important to ensure that they have the best opportunities in their adult life.

If children do not attend school regularly they may:

- Struggle to keep up with their learning
- Not reach their targets
- Miss out on the social side of school life. Poor attendance can affect children's ability to make friends and build relationships
- May have less chance of security a job when they are adults

Being on time is also vital. Arriving late at school can be very disruptive for your child, their teacher and the other child in the class.

Did you know:

- Missing 5% or 1 day a month over the course of a school year seriously affects students' academic success
- If your child is 5 minutes late every day – they will miss three days of learning each year

Please can all parents read, understand and adhere to the school's attendance policy. This can be found on our School Website.

Holidays in term time will not be authorised unless it is on extenuating circumstance in which case you **must make an appointment before you book your holiday.**

## **TT Rock Off – Friday 8<sup>th</sup> July**

On Friday 8<sup>th</sup> July, we held our annual TT RockStar competition in school. Every child in school took part and battled against learners of similar mathematical confidence in their class. Winners then went through to the final, which was held in the sports hall. The class champions of each stage competing against each other while their classmates cheered them on. The afternoon finished with one final 'Rock Off' celebration of our love for maths at Lomeshaye. The school champions were: Usman 6A, Abdul 6A, Ayaan 6R, Zahra 4CH, Abdul 3E, Umaima 3M and Hooriya 4W.



## **TT Rockstar Winners, House Point Winners and Reading Champions**

Last Friday, we celebrated our TT RockStar league champions 3Elm who finished the year with a grand total of 8 points, just pipping 5 Larch to title by 1 point. The winners were rewarded for their effort in learning their multiplication tables over the year with a bouncy slide party. House point winners along with readers, who had read between 1.5million and 100 thousand words through our new reading scheme, were also rewarded with time on the bouncy slide.



## **Borwick Hall**

What an amazing time our Year 6 learners had at Borwick Hall! After a year of showing real dedication to their learning, they thoroughly deserved the change to spend some quality time together and just enjoy being in one another's company for some well-deserved fun! The learners took part in several exciting activities including canoeing, climbing, caving, and a rocky ramble. The learners confronted every challenge with determination and a huge smile on their faces! A great time was had by all and lots of memories were made.

A huge well done to our Year 6 learners for their efforts over the course of the last academic year, for their attitude and resilience shown throughout their SATs tests and throughout their final term with us. We couldn't be prouder of them and know that they will go onto to achieve greatness.



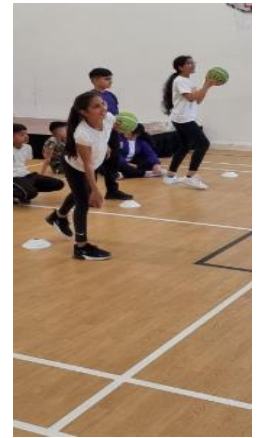
## **Sports Day**

Our learners had a fantastic, fun and memorable sports day on Monday 11<sup>th</sup> July 2022. It was great to see all the learners having a brilliant time competing in the events.

Thank you to the learners for your co-operation and sportsmanship during the day.

The learners competed in their House Teams and accumulated points. A huge congratulations to **Khwarizmi House** who were the overall sports day winners. And a final thanks to the Year 6 learners who helped run the events – we couldn't have done it without you!





## **School Meals**

Please consider in September moving your child to school dinners. They have been extremely popular this year with the addition of our new school cook Max and his enticing menu. Have a look at some of the meals below. From September the cost of a school meal is £2.40 a day, £12.00 per week. Please note when your child starts with us in Year 3, you will need to apply for free schools meals if you think you a eligible. Please visit this link on how to apply - <https://www.gov.uk/apply-free-school-meals>



## **Book Bags for September**

In September, all learners in school will be given a brand new personalised Lomeshaye Junior School book bag. We have limited space in school to store learner's belongings. As learners come to school in their PE kits, there is no need for them to bring in a large bag to school. Packed lunches should be in an appropriate container/lunch bag and these are stored separately to book bags. **Please do not purchase a back pack as these will not be permitted in school from September.**



**Events happening over the Summer!**

Lancashire  
County Council  
Monitoring  
Children

CFWS Pendle  
Pendle  
Family Zone

Family  
BINGO

Friday 26th August  
Time: 4:00pm to 5:30pm  
Bradley Neighbourhood Centre  
(formerly The Zone)  
Leeds Road  
Nelson  
BB9 8EL

FREE EVENT -  
PRIZES TO BE WON!

Facebook.com/pendlefamilyzone

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CRAFTS

GAMES

SPORTS

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

Victoria Park Nelson  
1.00pm - 3.00pm  
(CFWS Bradley if wet)

Alkincoats Park Colne  
1.00pm - 3.00pm  
(CFWS Colne if wet)

Ready Steady School  
CFWS Colne 10.00am - 11.30am  
CFWS Whitefield 1.00pm - 2.30pm

Victory Park, Barnoldswick  
1.00pm - 3.00pm  
(CFWS Barnoldswick if wet)

Mark with Rachel Norton

CFWS PENDLE FAMILY ZONE

KIDS FESTIVAL

Pendle  
Family Zone

CFWS PENDLE

Lancashire  
County Council  
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School's Out  
for  
Summer

Monday 25th July  
1.30pm - 3.00pm  
Brierfield Neighbourhood Centre  
Tunstall Square, Brierfield, BB9 5GZ  
(behind the library)

Fun Activities | Goody Bags | Snacks  
Activities for All Ages | Visit from Barney Bear

5th August  
MAN VS BEE

12th August  
PADDINGTON 2

19th August  
VIVO

Colne Neighbourhood  
Centre  
Walton Street, BB8 0EL

Barnoldswick  
Neighbourhood Centre  
Dam Head Road, BB18 5LS

Whitefield  
Neighbourhood Centre  
Maurice Street, BB9 7HS

FREE EVENT for 5-12 YEARS / FREE POPCORN & DRINKS

FACEBOOK.COM/PENDLEFAMILYZONE

w/c 25th July	w/c 1st August	w/c 8th August	w/c 15th August	w/c 22nd August
<p>Groups as usual, plus Schools Out for Summer Moving on Up (both at Brierfield on Monday)</p>  	 <p><b>TUESDAY</b> 1.00- 3.00pm Beach Week Victoria Park, Nelson, BB9 6DG</p> <p><b>WEDNESDAY</b> 1.00-3.00pm Beach Week Alkincoats Park, Colne BB8 9QQ</p> <p><b>THURSDAY</b> 10-11.30am Moving On Up Colne Neighbourhood Centre 1-2.30pm Moving On Up Whitefield Neighbourhood Centre</p> <p><b>FRIDAY</b> 11-2 Barlick Beach Albert Road, BB18 5AE 3.30-5.30pm Family Film Friday Colne Neighbourhood Centre "Man Vs Bee"</p>	 <p><b>TUESDAY</b> 1.00- 3.00pm Sports Week Victoria Park, Nelson, BB9 6DG</p> <p><b>WEDNESDAY</b> 1.00-3.00pm Sports Week Alkincoats Park, Colne BB8 9QQ</p> <p><b>THURSDAY</b> 10-11.30am Moving On Up Colne Neighbourhood Centre 1-2.30pm Moving On Up Whitefield Neighbourhood Centre</p> <p><b>FRIDAY</b> 11-2 Barlick Beach Albert Road, BB18 5AE *4-5.30pm Colourful Footsteps Colne Neighbourhood Centre 3.30-5.30pm Family Film Friday Barnoldswick Neighbourhood Centre "Paddington 2"</p>	 <p><b>TUESDAY</b> 1.00- 3.00pm Animal Week Victoria Park, Nelson, BB9 6DG</p> <p><b>WEDNESDAY</b> 1.00-3.00pm Animal Week Alkincoats Park, Colne BB8 9QQ</p> <p><b>THURSDAY</b> 10-11.30am Moving On Up Colne Neighbourhood Centre 1-2.30pm Moving On Up Whitefield Neighbourhood Centre</p> <p><b>FRIDAY</b> 11-2 Barlick Beach Albert Road, BB18 5AE *4-5.30pm Colourful Footsteps Colne Neighbourhood Centre 3.30-5.30pm Family Film Friday Whitefield Neighbourhood Centre "VIVO"</p>	 <p><b>TUESDAY</b> 1.00- 3.00pm Book Week Victoria Park, Nelson, BB9 6DG</p> <p><b>WEDNESDAY</b> 1.00-3.00pm Book Week Alkincoats Park, Colne BB8 9QQ</p> <p><b>THURSDAY</b> 10-11.30am Moving On Up Colne Neighbourhood Centre 1-2.30pm Moving On Up Whitefield Neighbourhood Centre</p> <p><b>FRIDAY</b> 11-2 Barlick Beach Albert Road, BB18 5AE *4-5.30pm Colourful Footsteps Colne Neighbourhood Centre 3.30-5.30pm Family Bingo Bradley Neighbourhood Centre</p>

Events in red have limited space -- please email to book a place \*cfwpendlerfs@lancashire.gov.uk \* SEND 5-11 Please email to enquire

## Drowning Prevention –

**When the warm weather hits, please don't be tempted to cool off in open water -**

- The water is colder than it looks, even on a warm evening
- This can lead to cold water shock
- The current is stronger than it looks
- There are hidden dangers beneath the surface

**If you see someone in trouble in the water:**

- call 999;
- encourage them not to panic;
- and, if they can't stand, float on their back in a starfish shape.

**Lancashire Fire and Rescue Service**

## Goodbyes and Welcomes

We say goodbye to Mrs Embley who will be retiring at the end of term and Mr Lawless who has secured a position in another school. We wish them all the best for their futures and thank them for all that they have done for our school.

In September we welcome the following colleagues to our Lomeshaye Team:

Emily Keys – year 4 Teacher  
Mia Whittaker – Year 5 Teacher  
Bethany Howarth – Year 5 Teacher  
Iona Shaw – Year 6 Teacher  
Lucy Whipp – School Librarian  
Sarah Richardson – LSA

We are pleased that Mrs Riley will be staying in year 3, Miss Taylor in year 4 and Miss Brennan will be teaching PPA.

## Finally

Have a restful Summer Holiday, enjoy the weather and keep safe. We look forward to welcoming you all back in the Autumn Term on 5<sup>th</sup> September 2022.