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Newsletter May 2023

We would like to wish all our learners and families a safe and peaceful half term holiday. Please be reminded that the final Summer Term will begin on Monday 12th June.

SATs for Year 6

We could not be prouder of all out our Year 6 learners this month with how they approached their SATs Tests. They have shown ambition, resilience and enthusiasm. They are a credit to themselves, their families and our school.

To demonstrate our appreciation, we celebrated the end of SATs with an ice-cream in the park, some relaxation and a 90-minute football match.

It is evident that many learners have regular support from home and this is very much appreciated by school and class teachers. Daily reading is vital for all learners as this directly impacts on improving writing, handwriting, spelling and acquisition of knowledge across the curriculum.



Spring Music Showcase

Over 150 parents attended our Spring Music Showcase this week. All year groups took part and performances included: the keyboard, guitar, the Nasheed Choir, soloist singers, as well as a Samba band and many more. Thank you to all family and friends who attended the performances, and of course Mrs Brunton our fabulous music teacher. At Lomeshaye we are very proud of the fact that all our learners learn to play an instrument by the time they leave year 6. We have many talented learners and a performance such as this allows for these talents to be celebrated.



Year 5 Mathematicians – Maths challenge final!

On Friday 19th May our year 5 maths team represented our school at the Pennine Trust and Burnley FC Maths Challenge Final. They scored highly on all of the events and were able to apply

many of the skills they have been taught in school. As part of the day the learners and Mr Heseldon were treated to a tour of the Stadium, Turf Moor.



Reading at Lomeshaye

Please can you ensure that your child/ren read during the half term holidays. Nelson library will be open from 9.00am to 5pm on a Monday, Tuesday, Friday and Saturday and on Wednesday 1.00pm till 7.00pm.

Word count for the whole year so far:

3 Maple	951 910	5 Larch	5 829 541
3 Elm	747 236	5 Cedar	5 137 178
3 Oak	1 704 976	5 Beech	9 412 349
4 Sycamore	812 907	6 Rowan	7 790 967
4 Willow	2 486 702	6 Ash	15 341 867
4 Chestnut	3 387 856	6 Elder	13 715 323

Food and Nutrition Success



Congratulations to our year 6 learners who have all successfully completed the Lancashire County Council Food and Nutrition course. During their final session they prepared a deliciously healthy and nutritious pasta salad, by applying all of their learning from the past few months.



ParentPay Info for Newsletter

We are very excited to share with you that we are now moving towards being a Cashless School. Your child should have come home with an activation letter which you will need to set up your ParentPay account. We have slowly started the transition but from September, our school will be a cashless school. You will be able to view and keep on top of School Dinner balances and also pay for any items which become available, for example School Trips, Dinner Money, Breakfast Club and any other payment items. We will set up some parent drop in sessions where Mrs Melling and Mrs Butt will be able to talk you through your activation and set up which will help you in the future to make payments. We have had a lot of parents asking for this over the last few years, so we are extremely excited we are now taking this step. We encourage all parents to set up their account as soon as possible.



School Uniform - Reminder

Last year, we sought parent feedback on our school uniform. Following this feedback, from September, **ALL** learners will move to the purple sweatshirt and jade polo shirt. If your child outgrows their sweatshirt and requires a new sweatshirt, school will now allow all year groups to wear a purple sweatshirt. Thank you.



PE Kit

From September all learners will be required to wear the school's PE Kit. There will be further information in next month's newsletter and an opportunity to purchase new kit from school before the Summer holidays.

School Sport

On Thursday 18th May Year 3 and Year 4 Girls attended a Tri Golf Event. The event took place at Prairie Sports Village on the 3G pitch. They completed 8 different events, focusing on putting and chipping. The team competed against 6 other schools and gained a whopping 259 points! Our star of the tournament was Hawa B from 4 Willow.

Dates for your Diaries

Week Beginning 12 th June	Year 4 timestable screening
Monday 3 rd July	Learners and parents informed of their teachers for next year
Wednesday 5 th July – Friday 7 th July	Year 6 Borwick Residential
Friday 7 th July	Year 2 visiting their new teacher
Monday 10 th July	Year 6 uniform drop off to 6 Ash
Monday 10 th July	Year 6 Parent Information afternoon beginning at 2.00pm in the School hall – all parents to attend
Tuesday 11 th July	Year 5 Parent Information afternoon beginning at 2.00pm in the School hall – all parents to attend
Wednesday 12 th July	Year 4 Parent Information afternoon beginning at 2.00pm in the School hall – all parents to attend
Thursday 13 th July	Year 3 Parent Information afternoon beginning at 2.00pm in the School hall – all parents to attend
Wednesday 19 th July	Donate a chocolate non-uniform day
Thursday 20 th July	Summer Fair
Thursday 20 th July	PE uniform available to purchase
Friday 21 st July	Reports out to Parents
Monday 24 th July	Year 6 show am and party pm
Tuesday 25 th July	Year 6 Prize Giving

Parent and Family Information

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Pendle Festival of Culture & Pendle Peace Walks

SATURDAY 1st JULY 2023
10.30am - 6.00pm

Join us for a family fun day, celebrating people and culture

**WORLD MUSIC • STREET FOOD • ART WORKSHOPS
RIDES • STORYTELLING • FACE PAINTING
STALLS • TALK A OKE • SPOKEN WORD • AND MORE!**

Nelson Town Centre; Market street and Scotland Road

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Pendle Peace Walks

SATURDAY 1st JULY 2023
Meeting at 9.45am - 10.30am start

BRIERFIELD TO NELSON, STARTING POINT:
Main entrance
Pendleside Hospice,
Colne Rd, Burnley - BB10 2JW

TWO ROUTES TO CHOOSE FROM

COLNE TO NELSON, STARTING POINT:
St Bartholomew's Church
28 Leggate, Church St
Colne - BB8 0LD

BOTH GROUPS WILL MEET AT THE SHUTTLE IN NELSON TOWN CENTRE FOR THE FESTIVAL OF CULTURE (opposite Salford - BB9 9SX)

To register for the peace walk and a flag making kit please contact:
shabaz@buildingbridgespendle.org.uk or 07938 982546

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Thank you for your continued support. If you have any concerns please do not hesitate to contact the Office to arrange a meeting with the appropriate member of staff.