



# Larkholme Primary School

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**Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> May 2026**

## Well Done Year 6

We would like to say a huge well done to all our Year 6 children who worked incredibly hard and completed their SATs last week. We couldn't be prouder of each and every one of you.

To celebrate their fantastic efforts, the children enjoyed an ice



cream in the sunshine and were presented with their leavers' hoodies, kindly donated by Larkholme PALs.

Year 6 are now welcome to wear their hoodies as part of their school uniform.



## Key Assessment Dates

We would like to remind families of the upcoming statutory assessments taking place next half term:

- Year 1 Phonics Screening – Wednesday 10th June to Friday 12th June
- Year 4 Multiplication Tables Check – Wednesday 10th June to Friday 12th June

Please ensure your child is in school on time these days so they can complete their assessments confidently and without disruption. Thank you for your support.



## Sports Day

Our school sports days will take place next half term, and we welcome all parents, carers and grandparents to come along and cheer the children on. On the day, pupils in Year 2 and above should come to school wearing their PE kit. Please ensure your child also has a sun hat, sun cream already applied, and a refillable water bottle.

- Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 – Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> June at 1:30pm
- Year 3 and Year 4 – Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> June at 1:30pm
- Year 5 and Year 6 – Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> June at 1:30pm

We look forward to seeing you there and celebrating a fantastic week of sport together.





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## Important Reminder: Children Collection

We kindly remind all families that children must not be called over to the school gate when the children are outside during break, lunch or lesson times. This can cause disruption, creates safeguarding concerns, and makes it difficult for staff to supervise children safely.

For the safety and wellbeing of all children, parents and carers must remain in the foyer when collecting their child during the school day.

## Mobile Phones – Updated Morning Procedure

To ease morning congestion at the school office, after half term children will hand in their mobile phones at the Reflection Room instead of the office.

We also ask that mobile phones are put away as soon as children enter the school site, including the playground and the area outside the school office where children wait for the gate to open. This helps us keep everyone safe and ensures a smooth start to the school day.

## Attendance and Home Visits – From September

From **September**, our school will be introducing an updated attendance procedure. If we do **not** see your child in school for **two consecutive school days**, we will carry out a **home visit, even if you have contacted the school** to report the absence.

This approach helps us ensure the safety and wellbeing of all our pupils and allows us to offer support where needed.

## School Meals for Key Stage 2

As a reminder, once children move into **Year 3**, they are **no longer eligible** for Universal Infant Free School Meals. This means that pupils who are **not in receipt of Pupil Premium** will need to pay for their school dinners **from the start of Key Stage 2**.

Families who believe they may be entitled to **Free School Meals** are encouraged to check eligibility and apply as soon as possible, as this may also provide additional funding to support your child in school.

<https://www.lancashire.gov.uk/children-education-families/schools/free-school-meals/>





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## Summer Raffle Time!



Raffle strips are **still on sale** for just **£2 a strip**, giving you the chance to win a fantastic **garden swing set** — perfect for summer fun!

Please return your money in a **named envelope** so we can enter you into the draw.

## Celebrating Our Attendance Heroes

Please join us in congratulating our Attendance Heroes from the last two weeks. These children have shown fantastic commitment by coming to school every day, ready to learn and give their best. We're incredibly proud of their effort and dedication.

**EYFS** – Vanessa, Harleigh

**KS1** – Samara, Ottis, Mylo, Roman

**KS2** – Emily, Harriet, Tafara, Alice, Shanchayan, Reggie, Jaxon, Toby



## Best Attenders



Well done to class **Rowan** and **Maple** Class for having the best attendance the last two weeks!!

Remember that we miss you when you are not in school and we love seeing your smiling faces every day.



Across the school we have had **15** children late and **173** minutes lost of learning this week.

## Child Places in Each Year



We have places available in the following current year groups: **Reception, Y1, Y2, Y3 and Y6**. If you know anyone who would like a place for their child at Larkholme, please ask them to apply through Lancashire County Council.



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## Diary Dates

Year 1 Phonics Screening – Wednesday 10th June – Friday 12th June

Year 4 Multiplication Tables Check – Wednesday 10th June – Friday 12th June

Maple and Oak Class History Workshop – Monday 15<sup>th</sup> June

Juniper Class History Workshop – Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> June

Brain Architecture Game - Parent Only – Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> June – 2pm

Outdoor Learning Festival – Friday 19<sup>th</sup> and 26<sup>th</sup> June – 1.30pm – 3pm

Sports Day - Year 5&6 – Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> June at 1:30pm

Sports Day - Reception, Year 1&2 – Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> June at 1:30pm

Sports Day - Year 3&4 – Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> June at 1:30pm

Transition Day – Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> July

Hazel Class History Workshop – Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> July

**School closes for Half Term – Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> May at 3.15pm**

**School re-opens – Monday 8<sup>th</sup> June at 8:40am**

## Extra-Curricular Clubs

Year 3&4 Athletics Club – Tuesday – 3.15pm – 4.15pm (starting Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> June)

Comp Choir - Wednesday - 3:15pm – 4:15pm

Year 5&6 Tennis Club - Wednesday - 3:15pm – 4:15pm (starting Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> June)

EYFS and Year 1 Reading Club – Wednesday - 3:15pm – 4:15pm (starting Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> June)

EYFS and KS1 Craft Club – Wednesday - 3:15pm – 4:15pm (starting Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> June)

KS1 Multi Skills Club – Thursday – 3.15pm – 4.15pm (starting Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> June)

Year 5&6 Tag Rugby – Friday – 3.15pm – 4.15pm (starting Friday 12<sup>th</sup> June)

## Previous Clubs

KS1 Construction Club

Year 3&4 Football

Year 5 Retro Club

Year 5&6 Netball

KS2 Dodgeball

Year 5&6 Girls Football

Year 4 Karaoke Club

Year 3&4 Running Club

KS2 Multi Sports Club

Year 4,5 & 6 Cheerleading

Phonics Booster Club

Mad Science

KS2 Boccia



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## Information and Things to Do

### Half-Term Splash: Free Swimming for Fleetwood Families

Fleetwood residents aged 0–16 get **FREE public swimming sessions** at Fleetwood Health and Fitness Centre and **FREE access to Marine Splash**, thanks to the FY7 Free Swimming Scheme funded by Fleetwood Town Council!

With half term just around the corner, it's the perfect time to make the most of your local pool. If you're not already registered for the scheme, simply pop into reception with proof of address and we'll get you signed up and ready to swim.

**MULTISPORTS HOLIDAY CAMP**  
AT ANSDELL PRIMARY SCHOOL

**ACTIVITIES**

- FOOTBALL
- BASKETBALL
- DODGEBALL
- ARCHERY
- ARTS AND CRAFTS
- TEAM GAMES & FUN ACTIVITIES

**Dates & time**  
25<sup>th</sup> - 29<sup>th</sup> May  
DROP OFF: 8:45AM - 9:AM  
PICK UP: 4:30PM - 5:00PM

**Cost**  
£25 A DAY  
£100 FOR THE WEEK  
AGES 5-12  
PRE BOOKINGS ONLY  
PAID FOR IN ADVANCE

**MR. BASKETBALL**

**MAX ALLITT**

First Aid Trained | Level 2 BE  
Basketball Coach | DBS Checked |  
Safeguarding Trained

**BOOK NOW:**

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MR.Basketball  
mrbasketballnorthwest@gmail.com

Please bring plenty of drinks and a packed lunch

**KIDS RUGBY & MULTI-SPORTS CAMPS MAY 2026**

From rugby, football, and basketball to arts, crafts, and exciting team games - there's something for every child to enjoy!

**GARSTANG RUGBY CLUB**  
TUES 26<sup>TH</sup> - THUR 28<sup>TH</sup> MAY

CHILDREN AGED 5-11  
ONLY £15 PER DAY  
9:00AM - 3:30PM

Scan me to book!

**GARSTANG RUFC, OFF HIGH STREET, GARSTANG, PR3 1EB**  
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**FAMILY FUN DAY**  
@ Marine Hall Gardens  
Thursday, 28th May 2026  
10am-2pm

A day for families to enjoy time together  
A relaxed, fun day for parents/carers and children to reconnect through play and shared activities — supporting trust, communication and stronger relationships.

**Stronger Connections—Better Together**

Bring your best 'play' energy — we're focusing on connection through games, creativity and laughter (not behaviour 'fixing')

**Free Entry**      **Buffet Lunch**

PLEASE KEEP PHONES AWAY DURING THE EVENT: parents/carers are asked to put mobiles away and join in the fun with their children.

In Partnership with:

### June at Fleetwood Library

#### Regular Events

**Thursdays: The Calm Chapter Club (4.30pm-5.30pm)**  
Join us for a chilled session with guided breathing, fun mindfulness games and activities, friendly book discussion and crafts. A relaxing way to unwind, connect and boost your focus.  
Ages 11-16.  
Please contact the library directly to express interest: [fleetwood.library@lancashire.gov.uk](mailto:fleetwood.library@lancashire.gov.uk)

**Thursdays: Quiet Hour (5pm-6pm)**  
Enjoy all the library has to offer with a little less noise.

**Fridays: Baby Bounce and Rhyme with Story Time (10am-11am)**  
Sing, bounce and jingle every Friday morning in our bubbly Baby Bounce session where all the classic nursery rhymes feature. All infants under school age are welcome to join in our lively sing-a-long and also stay for our Friday morning story time session too.

**Saturdays: Little Steps Session (11am-11.30am)**  
Come along to this regular family session aimed at children aged 2 to 5 years. It's all about chatting, playing, reading and learning. We will be reading stories followed by a craft activity.

**Saturdays: Family Board Games (2.30pm-4pm)**  
Families are welcome to join us to play board games, you can bring your own or play a brand new one here at the library.

**Saturdays: Lego and STEM Club (10.30am-11.30am)**  
Calling all master builders and Lego enthusiasts. Come and share your passion and amazing creations at our Lego/STEM Club where you can also try out some fun STEM based games.

All children under 8 must be accompanied by an adult.

For further information about any of these events. Please contact:  
Tel: 0300 123 6703 or Email: [fleetwood.library@lancashire.gov.uk](mailto:fleetwood.library@lancashire.gov.uk)

Fleetwood Library Opening Hours:  
Mon 9 – 5, Tue 9 – 5, Wed 9 – 5, Thu 9 – 7, Fri 9 – 5 and Sat 9 – 5

