

Ribchester St. Wilfrid's C of E Primary School

NEWSLETTER 6 MARCH 2017

Welcome to our latest newsletter.

Sainsbury's Vouchers 2017

Once again we are collecting Sainsbury's Active Kids vouchers that allow us to order extra equipment for school. The collection box for vouchers can be found in the porch near the school office.

Battery Collection

The next battery collection will be taking place before the end of this term. Lancashire County Council now only issue one set of prizes for the whole county, not for each academic district, so we need your old batteries even more to be in with a chance of winning supplies for school.

Thank you once again to Spar for collecting batteries for us.

Please note we no longer collect plastic bottle tops. Lush in Preston will accept lids for recycling, or leave in your blue bin for recycling.

Attendance For September 2016 – February 2017

Calder: 95.98% (Amber) Hodder: 95.67% (Amber) Ribble: 96.92% (Green) Wyre: 96.13% (Green)

We have a traffic light system for individual and class attendance Red below 90% Amber 90% - 95.99% Green 96% and above.

Lockerbie Manor Residential Trip

The Year 5 and 6s who went to Lockerbie last week had a fantastic, muddy and busy time. They were a credit to you as parents and to the school. We look forward to them sharing their experiences with their families and the rest of the school in their sharing assembly on Friday. Thanks again to the members of staff who accompanied them, without who the trip wouldn't be possible.

World Book Day – 2nd March 2017

The children, and staff, looked wonderful on World Book Day. Photographs of some of the amazing costumes will soon be on the website. Remember World Book Day vouchers can be used to purchase books via the Scholastic Book Club http://schools.scholastic.co.uk/ribchester.

Parents' Evening Wednesday 8th March

This term's parents' evening takes place on Wednesday evening. Appointment times were issued last week.

Year 5 Taster & Year 4 STEM at Longridge High School

Year 5 will be visiting Longridge High School on Thursday 9th March and Year 4 on Friday 10th March. Please return reply slips before these dates. Children need to be at school ready for the Longridge High minibus picking up at 8.40am and require a packed lunch which they will eat on return to school.

easyfundraising

Many thanks to everyone who has been using easyfundraising when ordering online. Total raised: £284.28

It's easy to set up just visit https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/ribchesterswcptfa/

Thank you.

Headteacher Awards



Week ending 24 February 2017 Calder Class: George Small Hodder Class: Megan Greaves **Ribble Class:** Stefan Sabanovic Wyre Class: Jemima Green

Week ending 3 March 2017 Calder Class: Alfie Walmsley Hodder Class: Lily Whiteside **Ribble Class: Madaline Maguire**

Diary of Dates:

8 th March	Parents' Evening
9 th March	Year 5 - Longridge High School Taster morning (Date Changed)
10 th March	Wyre Class Sharing Assembly
10 th March	Year 4 - STEM at Longridge High School
15 th March	Year 5 - Hockey tournament at Longridge High School
16 th March	Wyre Class trip to Liverpool Philharmonic
23 rd March	Tempest Photography – Class Photographs (Year 6 & Reception)
24 th March	Calder Class Sharing Assembly
27 th March	Ribble Class visit to All Hallows Church, Mitton with Blackburn Diocese
Sunday 26 th March	Mothering Sunday Service at St Wilfrid's Church
29 th March	PTFA EVENT – Pyjama Party 5pm to 7.30pm School Hall
Friday 31 st March	School closes for Easter Holidays
Tuesday 18 th April	School re-opens
Monday 1 st May	School closed – May Day Bank Holiday
5 th May	Calder Class Sharing Assembly
5 th May	Year 5 Next Step Day at St Cecilia's High School
12 th May	Gardening Day
19 th May	Wyre Class Sharing Assembly
19 th May	PTFA EVENT – 80s Disco and Gin Bar 7.30pm Ribchester Village Hall
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Friday 26 th May	School closes for Half-Term holidays

Diary dates can also be view on the School Events page of the website: www.ribchester-st-wilfrids.lancs.sch.uk/events/

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	After School Clubs for this half-term		
	Monday:	Hockey with ProSport (whole school - 27 th February to 27 th March)	
	Tuesday:	French Club with Mrs Sweeten-Dewhurst (Year 1 – 6)	
	Wednesday:	Striking and Fielding (whole school - 1st March to 29th March)	
	After School Clubs after Easter Holidays		
	Monday:	Drama Club with Ribcaged (more details to follow)	
	Tuesday:	French Club with Mrs Sweeten-Dewhurst (Year 1 – 6)	
	Wednesday:	Multi-sports (whole school - 26th April to 24th May)	



Fairtrade Friday – Afternoon break

Carton of Juice / Hot Chocolate = 30p Biscuit = 20p Friday 21st April Friday 5th May Friday 9th June Friday 7th July