



Welcome to the last newsletter of this academic year. Our Year 6 pupils are off on their treat day today at Level in Preston. We hope that they enjoy their last week with us and wish them all the very best for their futures at High School. On Friday, the last day of term, we will be saying goodbye to the Year 6 pupils at our Leavers Service at St Wilfrid's Church at 2pm. Everyone is welcome to join us for the service. Following the service we will return to school and the pupils can be collected from school at around 2.40pm.

During the service we will also be saying a sad goodbye to Miss Bolton and Mr Walker. Miss Bolton has been a member of staff at St Wilfrid's for over 17 years, and is unfortunately leaving due to voluntary redundancy. Mr Walker has been with us for 4 years and is leaving our team of Welfare Assistants. We wish them all the very best for the future and hope they will enjoy lots of travel together.

Please note there is a wedding taking place at church on Friday, therefore we have been asked that parents do not arrive before 1.50pm to allow time for the wedding party and guests to have left.

PTFA Summer Fair and Rectory Garden Party

Many thanks to everyone who helped organise, contributed and supported the summer fair and garden party – it was a beautiful day and lots of people have commented on the lovely atmosphere and how good the event was. A fantastic amount of £1800 was raised to be split between church and school.

Uniform

Uniform orders are ready for collection. Please make cheques payable to LCC. Payments can also be made via the 'shop' on schoolmoney.co.uk. Please note Miss Bailey will be in the school office at the end of the school day on Wednesday if this helps with paying and collection.



Chess Club

We are looking to start a Chess Club in September. The club will be held at lunchtime every week. We currently have 4 volunteers but would ideally like 4 more to plan a rota and share the fun! Please let Mrs Mason or the school office know if you would be able to help.



PTFA Disco

**The end of year disco will be taking place on Wednesday 17th July
Whole School 6-7.30pm.**

Looking forward to September 2019

School will re-open for all children on Tuesday 3rd September. Attached is a copy of next year's holiday pattern. This is also available to view on the school website. Please note the movement of the May Day bank holiday from Monday 4th May to Friday 8th May in 2020 to commemorate the 75th anniversary of VE Day. <https://www.gov.uk/government/news/2020-may-bank-holiday-will-be-moved-to-mark-75th-anniversary-of-ve-day>

Year 7 and Reception Admissions for September 2020

Applications are to be made via the Schools section of the Lancashire County Council website www.lancashire.gov.uk. This will go live in September 2019. Secondary School applications need to be in by 31st October 2019 and Primary applications by 15th January 2020.

Headteacher Awards



Week ending 5 July 2019

Calder Class: Lily-Anne Cobden
Hodder Class: Harry Cronshaw
Ribble Class: Whole Class
Wyre Class: Lewis Procter

Week ending 13 July 2019

Calder Class: Reception Class
Hodder Class: Chloe Flitcroft
Ribble Class: Finley Bretherton
Wyre Class: Whole Class

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Diary of Dates:

17 July	PTFA Disco
19 July	Last day of Term and Leavers Service at St Wilfrid's Church
3 September (Tues)	School Re-Opens
7 September or 8 September (TBC)	PTFA Fun Run and BBQ 2pm – 4pm
9th September	Meet the teacher meetings – 4pm to 5.30pm (letter to follow first week back)
13 September	Life Bus
23 September	School photographs – individual and family
18 October	School closes at 3.30pm for half term
31 October	Deadline for secondary school applications

Ribchester St Wilfrid's C of E Primary - School Holiday Pattern 2019/2020

AUTUMN TERM 2019

Monday 2nd September 2019 (INSET)

Re-open on for children:

Tuesday 3rd September 2019

Half-Term closure after school on:

Friday 18th October -
Monday 28th October 2019 (INSET)

Re-open on

Tuesday 29th October 2019

Closure after school after school on:

Friday 20th December 2019

Number of openings:

73

SPRING TERM 2020

Re-open on for children:

Monday 6th January 2020

Half-Term closure after school on:

Friday 14th February –
Monday 24th February 2020 (INSET)

Re-open on for children:

Tuesday 25th February 2020

Closure after school on:

Friday 3rd April 2020

Number of openings:

59

SUMMER TERM 2020

Re-open on for children

Monday 20th April 2020

May Day / VE Day Closure:

Friday 8th May 2020

Half-Term closure after school on:

Friday 22nd May – Friday 29th May
Monday 1st June 2020 (INSET)

Re-open on for children

Tuesday 2nd June 2020

Closure after school on:

Friday 17th July 2020

(Monday 20 July 2020 – Twilight INSET)

Number of openings:

58

TOTAL NUMBER OF OPENINGS:

190