



St. Gabriel's C.E. Primary School

"Stand firm... be courageous" 1 Corinthians 16:13

June 2022

Staff Changes

At the end of June Miss Barker, our office assistant, will be going on maternity leave. We wish her and her baby all the very best!

Meanwhile, in the office we welcome Miss Iqbal who will be covering Miss Barker's maternity leave for the duration of the next academic year. We look forward to working alongside her and welcoming her into our school family.



Classes for September

Reception	Mrs. Holdbrook	Y4	Mrs. Cooper
Y1	Mrs. Mackley	Y5	Mrs. Wilson
Y2	Mrs. Cross	Y6	Mr. Cross
Y3	Mr. Madeley		



Mrs. Wilson—As you may be aware already, Mrs. Wilson has been teaching Y5 throughout the Spring and Summer term. We are pleased to inform you that from September, she will officially be taking over the role as Y5 class teacher and we look forward to welcoming her into the St. Gabriel's family.

Parent Governor— We would like to thank Mrs Hamid for her role as Parent Governor since February 2019. Unfortunately, she has had to step down from this position this term. However, we are pleased to welcome Mrs. Ramsden to the post—who stood as the second candidate during the Autumn 2021 parent election.



Girls' KWIK Cricket—Well done to the girls who took part in a KWIK Cricket Tournament on Wednesday 8th June. They all played extremely well and were up against some challenging competition.

Blackpool Zoo—Y3 had an amazing time at Blackpool Zoo learning about a variety of animals and their habitats. Thank you to Mr Madeley and all of the other adults who accompanied the children on the trip.



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Reception Trip to Smithill's Farm—On Wednesday 25th May, Reception went on a trip to Smithill's Farm. They had a brilliant time interacting with the animals and feeding them too. Thank you to all the staff on the Reception Class trip who made sure the children had a wonderful time!



Imagine That

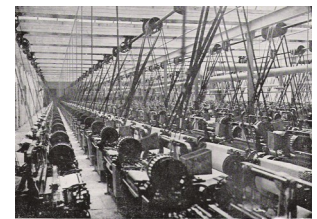
Y1 Trip to Imagine That—On Thursday 16th June, Y1 will be going to Imagine That activity centre which ties in nicely with their Science work. They will be taking part in many creative activities to really engage their imagination.

Y4 Trip to Lancaster Castle and Lancaster City Museum —Y4 are really looking forward to their trip to Lancaster Castle and Lancaster City Museum on Wednesday 15th June. Their visit will coincide with their work on the Romans!



Boys' KWIK Cricket—The boys' KWIK Cricket Tournament is being held at Darwen Cricket Club on Wednesday 15th June. A letter has been sent already with all of the details.

Y5 Trip to Helmsore Mill—Y5 are off to Helmsore Mill Textile Museum on Tuesday 21st June. They will be learning about the story of 'cotton' discovering a range of jobs and working conditions in a mill. They will also be taking part in various activities like felt making.



Summer Music Concert—The summer Music Concert will take place on Thursday 16th June at 7 p.m. in the School Hall. A letter has been sent out already with the details for this event. We have requested for all slips to be returned by Thursday 9th June to inform us how many tickets you would like to purchase. If you would still like to purchase tickets, please contact the school office before they all run out! Adult tickets are £5.00 and child tickets are £1.00 and light refreshments will be served on the evening. The payment will be added to your child's SchoolMoney account and a text will be sent when payment is available.

All of the children have practiced and worked extremely hard to deliver a fantastic performance to you all!

Sports Day—This year the KS1 Sports Day will be held in the afternoon on Thursday 7th July and the KS2 Sports Day will be held in the afternoon on Friday 8th July. More details to follow.

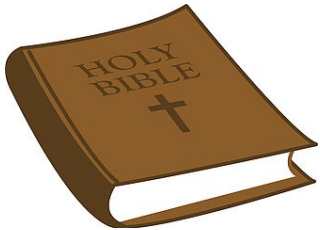


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'Ali Baba and the Bongo Bandits' Y6 Show will be performed on Thursday 14th July at 7.00 p.m. in the school hall. A letter will follow with ticket and costume details shortly. We do expect to sell out of tickets so I would advise you to purchase them as soon as possible once you have received the ticket letter. Please bring as many people as you can Grandmas and Grandads, Aunties and Uncles all welcome - this promises to be a super event!



Y6 End of Year Service in Church—



On this occasion, the Y6 children will visit St Gabriel's church during the school day for the End of Year Service. The service will start at 10.30 am on Tuesday 19th July. This special traditional service will also involve the presentation of books to the school and Bibles to the Y6 children (letter has been sent out with details). Due to seating capacities, we can only offer 2 places per family for Y6 parents.

Y6 Leavers' Assembly

At this special service in school on Thursday 21st July @ 9.30 am we will say goodbye to the Year Six class from the whole school community, along with presenting our school awards, trophies and certificates. This event is for Y6 parents only and places will be limited to 2 places per family—a letter has been sent out with details already.



Regular Activities during and after school

- Monday— Y1, Y2, Y3 Gymnastics Interventions (selected groups only)
Y5 Ukulele in school—ongoing
Ukulele Y5/Y6 alternate Mondays 3.30—4.15pm
- Tuesday— After school Gymnastics 3.30—4.30pm
- Wednesday— Orchestra—3.30—4.30pm
- Thursday— Rec Y5, Y6 P.E.
Choir—3.30—4.30pm
- Friday— Y6 Lunchtime Football
Y1, Y2, Y3 & Y4 P.E.
Afterschool Sports (Various) - **3.30-4.30 pm—ongoing**

Dates for Diaries...

Wed 15th June	Y4 Trip to Lancaster Castle & Museum Boys' KWIK Cricket Tournament Reception 2022 Induction Day
Thurs 16th	Y1 Trip to Imagine That Summer Music Concert @ 7.00 pm
Tues 21st	Y5 Trip to Helmshore Mill Textile Museum
Thurs 23rd	Full Governing Body Meeting @ 4 pm
Wed 29th—1st July	St. Wilfrid's Induction Days BwD High School Transition Days
Tues 5th—	Friends' Meeting @ 6.00 pm
Thurs 7th—	KS1 Sports Day—details to follow
Fri 8th—	KS2 Sports Day—details to follow
Thurs 14th—	Y6 Show—details to follow
Tues 19th—	End of Year Service @ 10.30 am—Church Hall—details have been sent.
Thurs 21st—	Y6 Leavers Assembly @ 9.30 am—details have been sent.
Fri 22nd—	School closes @ 3.30 pm for Summer