

"Learning Together for Life"

Dear Parents and Carers,

It gave me great pleasure to accompany the children in Year 5 on their residential visit to PGL for their 2 night stay. They embarked on new challenges and overcame their fears, tackling a zip wire, paddle boarding, abseiling, giant swing and lots more. We have shared lots of photographs on our Instagram account. I am always grateful to the staff who give their own time to make these trips possible and immensely proud of our children for their great behaviour and team spirit.

We have all enjoyed the sunshine this week. The warm, dry weather allows us to make full use of our lovely school grounds however, it also means that coats, cardigans and sweatshirts are left wherever they are playing and the children can't always recall where that was! In order to ensure items are returned to their rightful owner, please check that they are clearly named.

Thanks for your continued support, Have a lovely weekend, Jan Diamond

Acting Head Teacher

School Dinners	Next week we will be on menu 2. Please pay for your meals via School Gateway.
FOHM Disco – Thursday 16 th May	FOHM have finalised their preparations for the disco on Thursday 16th May. Ticket sales are now closed and no further ticket orders can be made.
	The timings of the disco are:
	 Reception & Year 1 3:30-4:30pm Year 2&3 4:45-6:00pm
Ice-Pop Friday	 Year 4,5 &6 6:15-7:30pm Now that the weather is hopefully getting warmer, FOHM will be selling ice-pops on warm, sunny Fridays for the rest of the summer term. Ice-pops will be 20p each.
Fun Fest Holiday Club	We are pleased to announce that FunFest will be running a holiday club at Hartford Manor this summer. Follow @funfesthartfordmanor on Facebook/Twitter/Instagram for more details.
	The booking system will open on 1 st June 2024.
<u>Fundraising</u>	Before the Easter break, we took part in a Friday Dance and cake sale with Mrs Bentley to raise funds for St Luke's. We have recently received a letter from St Luke's thanking us for our donation of £736.34. Thank you all for your generous support. One of our Year 2 pupils is completing her own fundraiser over the half term break. She recently featured in the Northwich Guardian. We look forward to hearing how she got on.
	https://www.northwichguardian.co.uk/news/24288453.marie-curie-head-shave-fundraiser-just-seven-years-old/

<u>Diary Dates</u> Please note that this list is subject to change during the year

<u>Date</u>	<u>Event</u>
Thursday 16 th May 2024	FOHM Spring Disco
	Reception & Year 1 3:30-4:30pm
	• Year 2&3 4:45-6:00pm
	• Year 4,5 &6 6:15-7:30pm
Tuesday 21 st May 2024	Reception Sports Day- 2:00pm
	The playground gate will open at 1.50 pm for you to make your way to the field. You will need to bring something to sit on. The children will come out just after 2pm and take part in a few fun races. After we have finished, we will join you on the field for a picnic. Please bring along drinks and snacks (nothing containing nuts please). We look forward to seeing as many of you there as possible.
Wednesday 22 nd May	Y1-6 Sports day
2024	 9.15am KS2 (Y3-6) children to take part in skill activities (No Parents) 10.40am KS2 races start – Parents are welcome to attend Trophy and points given 1.15pm KS1 skill activities (No Parents) 2.15pm KS1 (Y1 &2) races start – Parents welcome to attend Trophy and points given The main playground gate will be open 10.20 – 10.35am for the KS2 race events, please feel free to bring a rug or chair with you. The main playground gate will be open 2:00-2:15pm for the KS1 race events, please feel free to bring a rug or chair with you.
Thursday 23 rd May 2024	Nursery Sports Day - 2:00pm
	The playground gate will open at 1.50 pm for you to make your way to the field. You will need to bring something to sit on. The children will come out just after 2pm and take part in a few fun races. After we have finished, we will join you on the field for a picnic. Please bring along drinks and snacks (nothing containing nuts please). We look forward to seeing as many of you there as possible.
Friday 24 th May 2024	School closes for half-term at 3:20pm (Afterschool club will be running as normal)





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