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Newsletter 4th October 2024

Christmas Dates for Diaries 2024

Below are the dates for our Christmas events. We know how lots of parents like to be able to come along so we thought we'd share the dates with you now. We will endeavour to keep these dates but as you can imagine sometimes urgent things, illness etc can mean that sometimes, events need to be moved.

Friday 6th Dec	Pantomime and Christmas Fair
Thurs 12th Dec	Christmas Jumper Day Reception Christmas Stay and Play 2pm
Tues 17th Dec	Reception, year 1 and 2 Nativity – 10am and 2pm KS2 Carols by Candlelight 6pm
Wed 18th Dec	Santa visits school Christmas Dinner Day
Thurs 19th Dec	Special Certificate Assembly AM Class parties PM
Fri 20th Dec	Finish for Christmas

Well done!

A fabulous effort from the girls on Wednesday at the Ribble Valley Cup! Out of the five games, we won 2 and drew 1. We are really proud of them all. Thank you to the parents who helped with lifts and managed to stay and support them- we couldn't do these things without you!



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Welcome to our Diocesan Advisor



It was so lovely to welcome our Diocesan Advisor, Mrs Williams, to school on Thursday! She loved meeting the staff and children and was very impressed with our school, our learning and how all the children were shining ★

Dates for your diaries

Mon 7 th Oct	OPEN DAY for Sept 2025 starters Kate Taylor SENCO in school all day
Tues 8 th Oct	Life Education all day in school
Wed 9 th Oct	Life Education all day in school
Thurs 10 th Oct	James Bovenizer in school PM for years 5/6 World Mental Health Day – children can wear yellow
Fri 11 th Oct	12pm-3pm – Year 5 out at Crucial Crew event
Mon 14 th Oct	Tempest Photography in school – Individual & siblings PTA Cake Sale
Wed 16 th Oct	Rainbow Day – wear Rainbow colours
Thurs 17 th Oct	James Bovenizer in school PM for years 5/6
Fri 18 th Oct	Harvest Service at St Helen's Church – more information to follow Finish for half term at normal time

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PE Days – The PE days for classes will be the following for September:

Reception and Pre-School	Thursday
Year 1	Wednesday and Thursday
Year 2	Tuesday and Friday
Year 3	Tuesday and Thursday
Year 4	Monday and Friday
Year 5	Wednesday and Friday
Year 6	Monday and Wednesday

Clubs Autumn Term 2024

	What	Who	Teacher	When	Start Date
Tues	Netball	Years 5&6	Mrs Burcher	3.20pm-4.15pm	17 th September
	Football	Years 5-6	Mr Stell	3.20pm-4.15pm	17 th September
Wed	Cross Country	Years 4-6	Mrs Hartley	3.20pm-4.15pm	11 th September
	Spanish Club	Year 1 and 2	Mrs Pickering	3.20pm-4pm	18 th September
	Choir	Years 3-6	Mrs Jones	Lunchtime	18 th September
Thurs	Cooking Club	Year 1 and 2	Mrs Harrington	3.20pm-4.15pm	26 th September
Fri	Judo	Years 3-6	Club 62 Judo – Nathon Burns	3.20pm-4.20pm	20 th September

Sponsored Walk

Well done to every single child and staff member who took part in our sponsored walk this week!

Please can any sponsor money either be sent into school, or paid on Parent Pay, by Friday 11th October.

Thank you so much for your ongoing support!

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SENCO drop in sessions



Mrs Taylor, our SENCO, will be available on the following dates in the Autumn Term 2024.

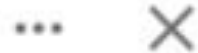
- Monday 7th October
- Monday 30th October
- Monday 4th November
- Monday 18th November
- Monday 2nd December
- Tuesday 16th December

If you would like to meet with Kate to discuss your child's additional needs, please email senco@wwb.lancs.sch.uk SEND queries must now be emailed to senco@wwb.lancs.sch.uk This email address will be checked weekly by either Mrs White or Mrs Taylor. If there are any urgent questions or concerns in relation to classroom support, intervention or plans, please don't hesitate to contact the class teacher.

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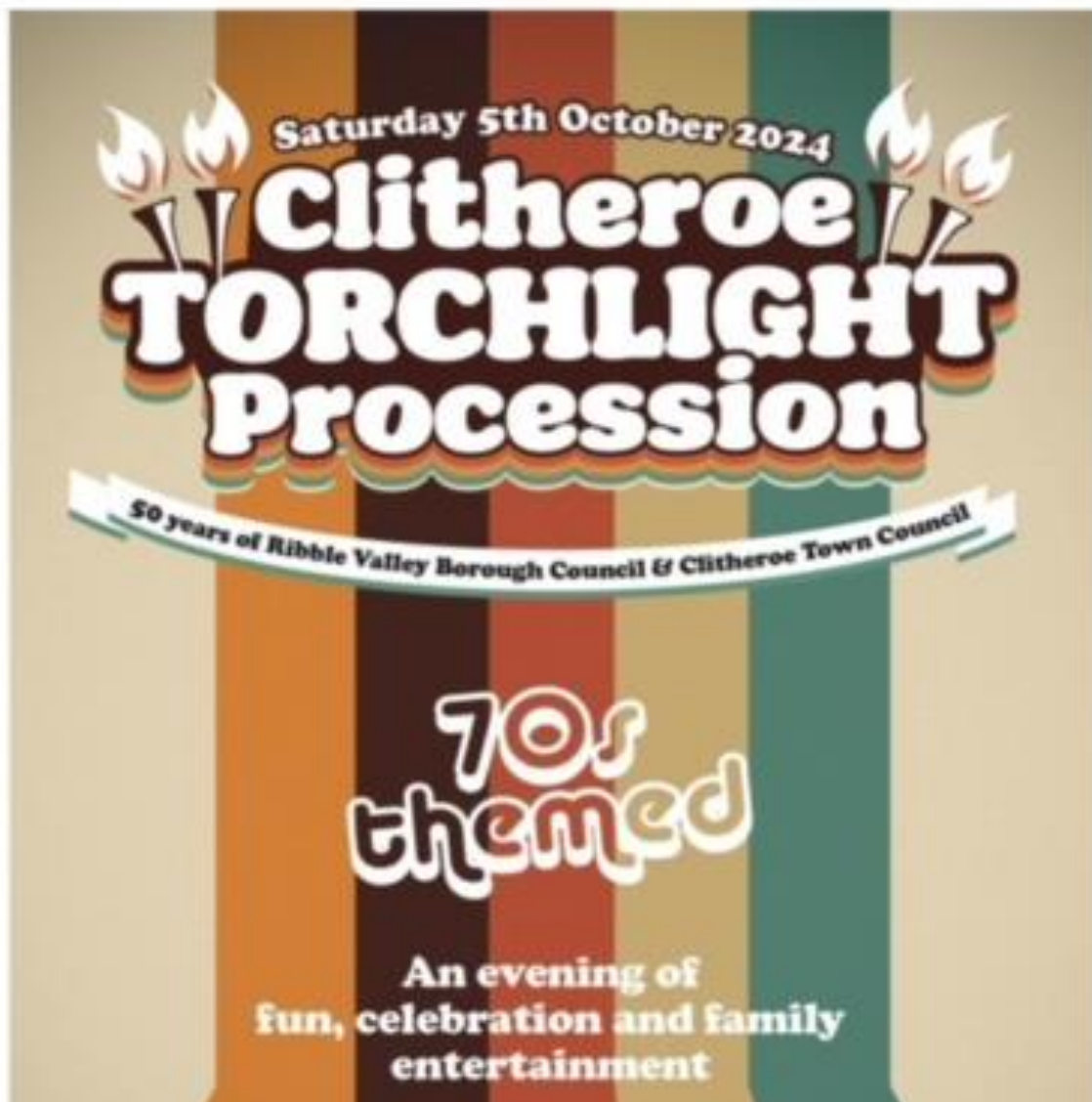


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ICYMI: Clitheroe Torchlight Procession will light up the town on Saturday 5 October.

The event, organised by Clitheroe Chamber of Trade, will start with festivities in the castle grounds from 4pm, with the procession setting off through the town centre at 7.30pm. A series of temporary road closures will be in place to ensure the safety of those taking part.

Further details are available at <https://buff.ly/3ZB32AI>



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CLITHEROE BONFIRE



We are delighted to have been chosen as one of the beneficiaries of the profits from the Annual Clitheroe Bonfire!

The event will take place on SATURDAY 2nd NOVEMBER on the Castle Field, starting at 5pm.

Tickets can be bought:

In person: at Banana News on Moor Lane, Clitheroe

Online: via the ticket tailor link on their Facebook page



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Have you seen the Asda Cashpot for Schools scheme?

The supermarket has joined forces with Joe Wicks, aka The Body Coach, to support this initiative which you may have seen already on TV or social media. Parentkind (the charity that supports school PTAs) have teamed up with Asda, who is making millions of pounds available to donate to primary schools across the UK through their 'Cashpot for Schools' initiative – all you have to do is, opt in through the Asda Rewards app, choose our school from the selection, and shop and scan in store or shop online at Asda.com, between 2nd September and 30th November 2024.

Asda will donate 0.5% of the value of your shop to our school. Also, every time somebody opts in, Asda will give an additional £1 to the school Cashpot. Plus, it doesn't stop there – Asda are also giving £50 to every school to get them started!

From just a few weeks activity we have already earned over £83, so next time you are thinking about your shopping perhaps consider Asda, so it helps us raise money too!!

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Attendance

Week commencing 30th September 2024

We are aiming for every child/class to have at least 96% attendance

Class	Attendance Percentage
Reception	95.6%
Year 1	93.0%
Year 2	93.4%
Year 3	97.7%
Year 4	97.4%
Year 5	87.7%
Year 6	99.0%

CONTACT US



Please always request to speak to your child's class teacher as first point of contact if you have a query or concern. If it cannot be resolved with the teacher, a member of the Senior Leadership Team will aim to make themselves available to you as soon as possible.

School contact details: 01200 422915 or bursar@wwb.lancs.sch.uk

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