



The Nativity of St John the Baptist - Luke 1: 57-66, 80

His name is John and he will proclaim the name of the Lord. He will prepare the way for the Messiah.

 **Gold Awards**

Reception	Jenson Airey for writing a fabulous sentence about where Mr. Grumpy may be going.
Year 1	Christopher Bolton for fantastic effort in writing facts about African land snails.
Year 2	Odette Llabjani for fantastic recorder playing in our music lessons. What a star!
Year 3	Liam Dewhurst for good listening skills and working hard. Evan Durham for superb skills in PE and excellent behaviour at all times.
Year 4	Joshua Wilding-Cairns for excellent work on his PowerPoint on the River Nile and moving up to the next step in our times table challenge. Well done! 😊 ★
Year 5	Orlagh Dwyer for excellent contributions during guided reading.
Year 6	George Hall for showing fantastic expression and acting as we rehearse the Y6 play.



Year 6 will perform their end of year play on Thursday 12th July.

Tickets on the door will be £2.50 for adults and £1 for children.

Please look out for the **Parental Questionnaire** coming home next week. Please complete this and send it back in so we may gauge how well we are doing and what we can work on to improve school for your children.

Thank you to parents who have acted on our request not to park on **Preston Road** when collecting children. This is to ensure safety for all, especially those crossing with no crossing patrol.

Please come along and support the **summer fair** on Saturday 30th June. Sign up in the school office for setting up or running a stall on the day. (Could you give 1 hour?)

School Mass Dates

Whole School - SS Peter & Paul - 29th June 9am		Year 6 Leavers' Mass 16th July 7pm
Year 2 - 5th July 9am		Whole School - 18th July 9.30

School Meals

Current and future weekly dinner menus can be found on the school website homepage

Dinner Money can be paid monthly in advance June = £44.00 July = £30.80



School Crossing Patrol

We have been informed that unfortunately due to ill health, there will be no more school crossing patrol before the summer holidays.

Please accompany all children when crossing the road.



PTFA



Saturday 30th June - 12pm till 3pm

SUMMER
FAIR

Please return your sold or unsold tickets to school asap and before the draw on 30th June.

- Children's penalty shoot out 12pm
- Adults' penalty shoot out 1pm
- Obstacle race
- Bouncy Castle
- Tin Can Alley
- Giant Dice Game
- Face Painting
- Glitter Tattoos
- Sweets in a Jar
- BBQ, refreshments and ice creams
- Pimm's Stall in Nursery building
- Hamper Raffle (draw at 2.30pm)
- Fire Engine
- Lucky Dip
- Welly Throw



Chair Bingo will take place at 2pm.

Buy your chair and be in your seat for the chance to win prizes!!

Children's game 1st prize £10 entry 50p

Adult's game 1st prize £20 entry £1.

Look out for the chair booking slip coming home .



Please come and help on the day too.

Sign up in the school office for a 45 minute stall slot.



Tuesday 17th July - 3.30pm till 5.30pm

We will be showing Sherlock Gnomes on the BIG SCREEN and serving refreshments during the event, all included in the admission fee of £7. Please buy your tickets via ParentPay or cash/cheques made out to Alston Lane PTFA via the office.

Drink

Hot Dog or pizza

Popcorn and sweets cone

Diary Dates for Summer Term 2017.18

Date	Event
23 June	Grimsargh Field Day – THE RED ARROWS This will be an easy to prepare but highly effective procession theme. Children will wear red, white or blue overalls to represent the smoke in displays. Overalls will be provided for a small donation.
25 June	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Year 1 visit to Brockholes • New Reception children - visit 2
26 June	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Year 3 visit to the Lake District • 2.45pm Year 2 Class Assembly in the school hall – parents invited • 7.15pm Year 2 Parents’ Sacramental Programme meeting in the Caton Room
27 June	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 6.30pm Full Govs’ meeting
28 June	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Year 4 & Year 5 at UCLAN science fair • 2pm Grimsargh Wetlands visit and interview by the media
29 June	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 9am Whole School Mass – SS Peter and Paul • Year 6 St Cecilia’s Taster Day (Year 5 with Mr Parker today)
30 June	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • PTFA Summer Fair – See school newsletters
2 July	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • New Reception children - visit 3 • 2.45pm Year 4 Class Assembly in the school hall – parents invited
3 July	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Year 5 to spend the day with peers at Goosnargh Oliverson’s ahead of the France visit in September • 2.45pm Year 1 Class Assembly in the school hall – parents invited
4 July	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sports Day Races – from 1pm for Infants & approx. 2pm for Juniors
5 July	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 9am Year 2 Class Mass • 2.30pm till 4pm Y5/Y6 team maths challenge at LHS
9 July	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reserve Sports Day – times as above
10 July	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2pm Year 6 Dress Rehearsal Performance • Y7 Induction evening at St Cecilia’s 6pm
11 July	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rec Class Stay and Play 2.30 – 3.30pm
12 July	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 9am till 1pm - Year 5 sports day at LHS • Reception class trip to Haigh Hall, Standish • 2pm and 6pm Year 6 Performance • End of Year Reports to go home
16 July	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Transition Week starts • Year 6 Leavers’ Mass
18 July	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2.45pm Talent Show • 6pm Govs SEC meeting
19 July	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 9.15am Leavers’ Assembly • CLOSE for Summer Holidays – NOT OPEN ON FRIDAY 20TH JULY