

NEWSLETTER FRIDAY 27 MAY 2022

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Star of the Week Class 1

Henry: for super sentence writing.

Mia: for always putting in the extra effort.

Star of the Week Class 2

Oscar: for displaying an excellent batting technique.

Lily: for always being a kind and responsible member of Class 2.



Big Hearts are awarded to:

Grace: for being a super role model.

Emily: her positive, enthusiastic and mature approach to all learning tasks this week.



Happy Birthday to Erin who will be 9 and James C who will be 8 during the holidays!

Notices

Phones and devices in school: please note that such items should only be sent into school in exceptional circumstances. If you do need to send them in, please contact the office to let school know and ask your child to bring the item to the office where it can be securely locked away and given back to your children at the end of the school day. Thank you.

Stay and Play sessions for new starters: these will take place on Thursday 30 June and Thursday 7 July between 9.30 and 11.30am. We are looking forward to meeting our new starters!

Float business: thank you to everyone who has contributed in any way to the making of all our lovely float items. They are looking colourful and fantastic. Friends of Claughton are kindly providing sweets for the children on the way round, but not drinks because they cannot stop on the way round. Please bring a drink for your child for the end of the procession. Full details about the processions are attached to this newsletter. We can't wait to see all the children in their costumes.



Thursday 2 June at Cobble Hey Farm

Book your food!

Food available from 7.30pm at Cobble Hey – please let them know before you go what your requirements will be. You can do that <u>here</u>. There will be locally sourced sausage, burger and veggie barms and a licenced bar.

Beacon lighting will be at 9:45pm. Fireworks will be at 10:00pm.

Please wear suitable footwear and bring a torch – it will be going dark as we finish.

Parking is free but is limited so please book your parking in advance (and car share where you can) here. If you can't use the online form it be in St Thomas' Church porch or you can contact the Parish Council Clerk for help on 01995 606634 or 07790005604.

Sunday 5 June at Claughton Memorial Hall

Children – dress up in red, white and blue for the Big Jubilee Lunch at 12 noon! If adults wish to dress up, the theme is Through the Ages.

Bring a picnic and make a cake for the cake competition! (U12/12-16/Adult)

Hear the children sing and see their portraits of Queen Elizabeth II.

It will be a lovely event to bring your families and friends to.

All the latest information will be on the Claughton-on-Brock Parish Council <u>website</u> and <u>Facebook page</u>.

Dates For Your Diary

Thursday 2 June Cobble Hey Farm: Jubilee Bonfire event

Friday 3 June Garstang Float

Sunday 5 June Picnic at Claughton Memorial Hall

Monday 6 June INSET day: children at home

Tuesday 7 June Children return to school

Saturday 11 June Catterall Float

And Finally... we continue to pray for the people of Ukraine.

Loving God,

We pray for the people of Ukraine, for all those suffering or afraid,

that you will be close to them and protect them.

We pray for world leaders, for compassion, strength and wisdom to guide their choices.

We pray for the world that, in this moment of crisis,

we may reach out in solidarity to our sisters and brothers in need.

May we walk in your ways, so that peace and justice

become a reality for the people of Ukraine and for all the world. Amen.

Wishing you all a pleasant half term and we'll see you on Tuesday 7 June!

INFORMATION FOR GALA PROCESSIONS 2022

GARSTANG PROCESSION – FRIDAY 3 JUNE 2022

Morning

10.15-10.30 (no later than 10.30)

Meet by the walking float at **Croston Road**.

Children must come dressed in their costume on the day, with PE shorts or dark leggings and pumps or trainers. Please bring a change of clothes if you are staying in Garstang all day as the costumes are just to be worn on the float.

Please ensure that children have been to the toilet before bringing them, we cannot stop on the way round!

PLEASE CAN PARENTS STAY ON THE PROCESSION ROUTE IN ORDER TO SUPERVISE CHILDREN, ESPECIALLY YOUNGER CHILDREN. PLEASE NOTE THE MORNING PROCESSION IS TWICE AROUND GARSTANG. THANK YOU.

12.00-12.15ish (end of procession)

Meet on Croston Road to collect children.

Night

5.30pm prompt

Meet on Moss Lane for night procession, with children in costume and toileted.

7.00ish (end of procession)

Collect children off the float at Moss Lane.

CATTERALL GALA - SATURDAY 11 JUNE 2022

1.00pm prompt

Meet by the walking float on Catterall Gates Lane.

Children must come dressed in costume on the day, with PE shorts or dark leggings and pumps or trainers. There is only one procession at Catterall.

Children must be collected once we have arrived on the playing fields at the end of the procession.

All that's left to do is pray for two sunny days.

Remember you are representing school so lots of happy smiling children and adults! Enjoy!

Any problems on the days Elaine Seed can be contacted on 07841 638174 or Amanda Slater on 07949 516905