



Our school value this half term is: “Thankfulness”

“Always be thankful.”

1 Thessalonians 5.16

House Captains

We held elections this week for Head of House roles and everyone in school was very proud of all the Year 6 children who participated in running for this position. After a full democratic process involving every child in school, the elected Year 6 pupils are:

Attenborough House—Zach

Nightingale House—Henry

Mandela House—Freya

Curie House—Matilda

Pearl of Africa Choir Visit

The choir will be touring the UK performing to raise awareness and funds to support children in Uganda with education and welfare needs.



In order to support their fundraising, we would like to invite all the children in school to come into school on this day wearing their own clothes in the Ugandan colours of red/yellow/black for a voluntary contribution.

There will also be an opportunity for the children to visit the Pearl of Africa craft stall where the choir will be selling handmade Ugandan items so children may also bring in money in a labelled purse/wallet to spend at the stall if they wish. The stall will be also be open after school until 4.00pm for parents/carers to visit with their child if they wish.

The choir will be also be performing at the Ministry Centre on Sunday 12th October at 2pm-3:30pm please contact the Ministry Centre for tickets if you are interested.

Ormskirk School Production

Children in Y6 have been invited to attend Ormskirk School's drama production of 'Singin' in the Rain' on Monday 13th October.



If any of our families would like to attend the evening performances that week, please click [here](#) for tickets.

Dates for your diary

Please note these dates are subject to change

Tuesday 30th September—Y5 to Liverpool

Monday 6th October—Pearl of Africa Choir Visit

Thurs 9th October—Harvest Service & Macmillan Coffee Morning

Friday 10th October—Nasal Flu Vaccinations

Friday 10th October—Wear Green for World Mental Health Day

Monday 13th October—Y6 to Ormskirk School Production

Friday 24th October—INSET Day

Monday 27th—Friday 31st October—Half Term

Wednesday 19th November—Parents Evening

School Photographs

Tempest photography family and individual proofs have now been sent home with the children. If you would like to make an order of your child's school photograph, please go to www.tempest-orders.co.uk and enter the 10 digit reference number that can be found under their picture.

Harvest Festival

Parents, grandparents and carers are warmly invited to attend the Harvest Service at Christ Church on Thursday 9th October at 9.15am. Children should be brought into school at the usual time and families may go directly to church in time for the service.



We would appreciate donations of non-perishable food for children to offer at the service which will be donated to Ormskirk food bank. The children will be escorted by their teachers to church after morning registration.

Macmillan Coffee Morning

Our PHA are hosting a Macmillan Coffee Morning in the school hall on Thursday 9th October following the Harvest Service.



Parents, grandparents, carers and friends are warmly invited to attend. We would greatly appreciate donations of cakes (baked or bought) from Tuesday 7th October. Thank you.

Secondary School Applications

Year 6 parents please note the following:-

All applicants can apply now at <https://www.lancashire.gov.uk/children-education-families/schools/apply-for-a-school-place/> or call 01772 532109 for more information.

The statutory closing date is Friday 31st October 2025 at 23:59.

You must apply even if your child already has older siblings in the school. If you live in Lancashire you can include out of area preferences on your online application.