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Our Lady of Lourdes RC Primary School Newsletter

Welcome to our Newsletter. This Newsletter is also available on our School website www.ololbury.com Our website is full of lots of important information so please take a look and learn lots of things about our wonderful School. Please note that paper copies of the Newsletter or anything on our website is available from the School Office.

Dates for the diary

Monday 27 April: Week 1 of 2
Monday 27 April: Extra Curricular Club timetable to start
Tuesday 28 April: 1.00pm Year 5 at Holcombe Brook Tennis Club
Monday 4 May: Bank Holiday Monday – school closed
Tuesday 5 May: Week 2 of 2
Tuesday 5 May: 1.00pm Year 2 at Holcombe Brook Tennis Club
Monday 11 May: Week 1 of 2
Monday 11 May: Year 6 SATs week – Year 6 breakfast from 8.00am during SATs week
Tuesday 12 May: 1.00pm Year 3 at Holcombe Brook Tennis Club
Friday 15 May: 1.30pm OLOL does Eurovision! Outside concert for Eurovision – parents / carers welcome (*weather permitting!!!*)
Monday 18 May: Week 2 of 2 – Walk to School Week / Laudato Si Week
Tuesday 19 May: 1.00pm Year 6 at Holcombe Brook Tennis Club
Wednesday 20 May: PM - Year 3 retreat for Reconciliation
Friday 22 May: 3.15pm School to close for May half term
Monday 1 June: School reopens Week 1 of 2
Tuesday 2 June: Year 3 trip to Bolton Museum
Wednesday 3 June: 6.00pm New Parents meeting for 2026 intake
Thursday 4 June: Class photo day
Monday 8 June: Week 2 of 2
Monday 8 June: Phonics Check
Tuesday 9 June: Class 1 and 2 trip to Lytham St Anne's
Monday 15 June: Week 1 of 2
Tuesday 16 June: AM – Whole school sports day

Message from Mrs Davies

What a fantastic start to the new term we have had – helped greatly by the beautiful weather! The children have loved playing on the school field and teachers have taken advantage of the good weather with lots of outdoor learning! Year 5 enjoyed their session at Holcombe Brook Tennis Club this week. Many thanks to Tom for coaching the children. Extra-curricular clubs have started well again this week.

Last Sunday, Mrs Weston and I had the honour of attending Aydan's (Year 4) First Holy Communion at St Anne's Church, Tottington. Aydan had asked his Vicar if he could make his First Holy Communion like his classmates. Aydan has shown such maturity and deep faith in this decision and it was wonderful to be a part of his very special day. He shared the news in assembly this week with everyone. Well done Aydan!

Please keep our Year 6 children in your prayers as they continue to work so hard in preparation of their SATs. Not long to go now! Mrs Wilson will be opening her classroom at 8am each morning during SATs week for children to come and have breakfast.

Have a lovely week and let's hope the sun continues to shine.

St George's Day – Thursday 23 April

It was wonderful to see the children dressed in their Rainbows / Beavers / Cubs / Brownies / Scout uniforms on St George's Day. They wore their uniforms with pride.



Bee Proud Tennis Festival

Some of our Year 4 children attended a Bee Proud Festival on Monday this week. This was organised by Bury School Games. The children had a wonderful time and learnt lots of new skills. Well done children!



Year 6 SATS week – Monday 11 May

The Year 6 SATs week will take place week beginning 11 May. During this week, Mrs Wilson will be opening up her classroom at 8am to offer breakfast for the children.

Wellbeing Ambassadors – Shaun the Sheep Trail Trip



Our Wellbeing Ambassadors enjoyed their trip to Bury very much last week. It was fantastic to explore all the Shaun the Sheep Sculptures. Thank you to Mrs Varden for accompanying the children along with Mrs Lindley.

LOL does Eurovision!

On Friday 15 May, at 1.30pm, we will be hosting our Eurovision concert in the school playground (**weather permitting!**) Each class will perform a song from the past Eurovision Song Competitions. If the weather is fine, please bring a deckchair so you can sit back and relax and enjoy the outdoor concert. Everyone is welcome to attend.

Easyfundraising for LOL

Previously our PTA had set up an Easyfundraising account for us. We have recently taken this over and are going to continue trying to raise funds for school for all the little extras that enhance the learning and school environment for our children. This means you can raise FREE donations for us every time you shop online. Over 8,000 retailers will donate to us when you use Easyfundraising to shop with them – at no extra cost to yourself! These donations really mount up and make a BIG difference to us, so we'd really appreciate it if you could take a moment to sign up and support us. It's completely FREE and only takes a moment. You can find our Easyfundraising page at to sign up :- <https://join.easyfundraising.org.uk/ourladyoflourdesrcpsbury/1DBKLI/c2s/hV0t4Q7p/CE953/facebook/>

Thank you so much! We have already had some new families signed up since last week



Wednesday Word

If any of our families do not have access to the Wednesday Word leaflet and would like to see a copy and share it with your children please use the link below:-

<https://www.paperturn-view.com/wednesday-word/good-news?pid=MTA101634&v=163.4>

Follow us on Instagram

School now have an Instagram account. You can follow us using **ololburycps**

Award winners

	Mission Award	Rights Respecting Schools Award	Special Mention Award
Class 1	Sofia	Joshua	Charlie
Class 2	Nevaeh	Zack	CJ
Year 3	Esmee	Tyell and Mikolaj	Florence
Year 4	Darby	Zachary	Leonardo
Year 5	Alexus	Nathan	Esme
Year 6	Lucas	Victor	Isla
Seedlings	Elijah		
Headteachers Award	Poppy (Year 3)	Florence (Year 3)	Lily (Year 3)
	Rose (Year 3)	Emma (Year 3)	

Attendance

Our Lady of Lourdes RC Primary School firmly believes that **Great Achievement** can only happen if we have **Great Attendance**. Recently attendance has begun to decline... let us aim for 100% attendance! Below you will see this week's attendance figure for each class. Who is this week's winner?

Class 1	97.69%
Class 2	96.00%
Year 3	98.26%
Year 4	96.15%
Year 5	96.33%
Year 6	95.71%