

# CHRIST CHURCH CHARNOCK RICHARD PRIMARY SCHOOL

## WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

INSPIRED TO LEARN, GROW AND FLOURISH WITHIN OUR CHRISTIAN FAMILY



This half term we are learning about Christianity around the world

09.02.2024

### HEADTEACHER'S AWARD

Isaac in Year 4  
For consistently demonstrating our Christian values



Church Lane  
Charnock Richard  
Chorley  
PR7 5NA

### SPRING TERM CELEBRATION AWARDS 2024

Very well done to the following children for achieving the following awards this week:

	<b>POW - Pupil of the Week</b>	<b>WOW - Worker of the Week</b>
<b>FS</b>	Nathan	Charlotte
<b>YEAR 1</b>	Annie	Oscar
<b>YEAR 2</b>	George	Neveah
<b>YEAR 3</b>	George	Mia
<b>YEAR 4</b>	Thomas	Lola
<b>YEAR 5</b>	Gretel	Robert
<b>YEAR 6</b>	Hannah	Jade

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**'I can do all things because Christ gives me strength' Phil 4:13**

## HEAD TEACHERS MESSAGE

We have had a wonderful half term and the children have continued to be a credit to you all. Thank you to all members of the PTGFA for organising the Valentine's disco, everyone had a fantastic time.

Have a lovely half term and I look forward to seeing everyone back safe and sound on Monday 19<sup>th</sup> February.

Mrs Brooks

## WEEKLY PRAYER

Thank you for my family and friends,

Thank you for making me do well in school,

Also, thank you for the fun year I've had so far,

Amen,

By Elsa  
Ethos Leader



## DATES FOR DIARIES

Monday 19<sup>th</sup> February – School re-opens

Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> February – Rock Kidz

Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> February – Year 2 RE trip

Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> March – Parents' evening

Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> March – Finish for half term



## PLEASE HELP

A Year 6 guitar is missing. Please have

A look at home and let the office know

If you have it.

Many thanks

Mrs Calvert





# EARLY BIRD OF THE WEEK



**FOUNDATION STAGE**

**YEAR 1**

**YEAR 2**



**YEAR 3**

**YEAR 4**

**YEAR 5**



**YEAR 6**

## SPORTING EVENT

We could not be prouder of all the pupils who have taken part in the Sport Hall Competition. They have showed resilience, support for each other and their rival teams and outstanding behaviour. Well done!



# FOREST SCHOOL

Today we have been keeping warm by a campfire, toasting marshmallows and working together to make Granny's bed from The Little Red Riding Hood



## BALANCE BIKE COMPETITION

Yesterday, 6 Foundation Stage children represented the school in a balance bike competition. They competed against other schools from Chorley. The children showed determination, resilience and superb teamwork – well done!



## VALENTINES DISCO

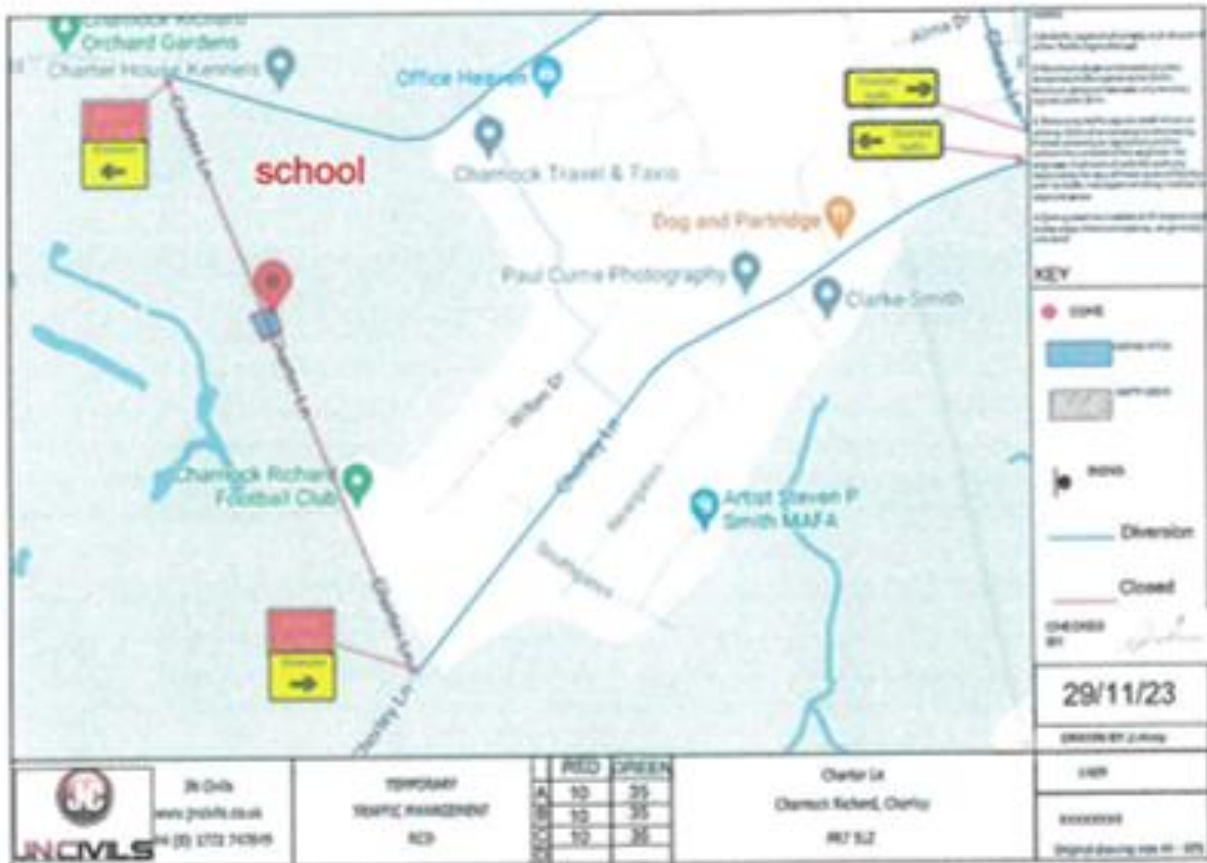
A huge thank you to the PTGFA for organising the awesome Valentine's disco! What a superb NIGHT! night!



## ROAD CLOSURE

We have been informed by Electricity North West that they will be carrying out electrical works on Charter Lane week commencing 12<sup>th</sup> February for 5 days. During this time the road will be closed except for emergency vehicles.

At this time, we have not been informed that the closure will run in to week commencing 19<sup>th</sup> February but please be prepared to find alternative parking and routes to school.







# FEBRUARY HALF TERM

CLAYTON BROOK COMMUNITY CENTRE  
TUESDAY 13TH 9.30 - 11AM  
WEIGH STAY & PLAY SESSION FOR BABIES AND  
PRE-SCHOOL CHILDREN PLAY SESSION

CHORLEY TOWN CENTRE - FAZAKERLEY STREET  
THURSDAY 15TH 10AM - 3PM  
BIRD FEEDERS AND SPRING ARTS AND CRAFTS

CLAYTON GREEN LIBRARY  
TUESDAY 13TH 1.30PM - 3PM  
VALENTINES THEMED PLAY SESSION FOR BABIES  
AND PRE-SCHOOL CHILDREN PLAY SESSION

INSPIRE YOUTH ZONE  
THURSDAY 15TH 12.30PM - 2PM & 2.30PM - 4PM  
WINTER PLAY DAY - ARTS & CRAFTS SESSION

HIGHFIELD FAMILY HUB  
WEDNESDAY 14TH 10.AM - 11.30 AM  
VALENTINES THEMED CRAFT SESSION  
NON-STOP KIDS ENTERTAINER 1.30PM - 3.30PM

TATTON COMMUNITY CENTRE  
FRIDAY 16TH 1PM - 2.30PM  
PLAY SESSION FOR MOBILE PRE-SCHOOL  
SPRING ACTIVITIES

**ALL FREE!**

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## HOLIDAY CLUB

Holiday's 2024	Opening Dates	Timetable Launch
February	12th - 16th February	8th January
Easter	2nd - 12th April	19th February
May	28th May - 31st May	15th April
Summer	23rd July - 1st Sept	3rd June

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# JOIN US TREK THERAPY



## RIVINGTON PIKE - LANCASHIRE 'WELLBEING WALK' - 10.02.24

Trek Therapy CIC are facilitating a 'wellbeing walk' through funding made available by Chorley Council's small grants initiative. On Saturday 10th February 2024 we are excited to be leading a guided circular walk of area around Rivington Pike (362m) and the Tower on Rivington Moor.

Rivington Pike is a prominent landmark and from the summit it is possible, on a clear day, to see as far as Blackpool Tower, the Lake District, Liverpool, the Welsh mountains and as far as the Isle of Man.

We invite participants who reside in the Chorley area to join us on this wellbeing themed walking activity. See details below to register your place.

 09:45am - 14:00pm (Approx. 4 hours duration)

 Cleveland Street Car Park, Chorley, PR7 1BH

 11.2 kilometres / 7 miles - Total ascent 362m



Trek Therapy CIC is a not-for-profit organisation. Company No. 15342085



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# What to take on a walk...



Walking is one of the most cost-effective ways to stay physically and mentally well. Whether you're hiking long distances or on a leisurely walk on easy terrain, it all helps as part of a positive self-care routine. We have compiled a list of our recommended items for a safe and enjoyable day out walking in the outdoors.

## Clothing... treat it like your armour!

Waterproofs and appropriate footwear will help you deal with the elements and terrain underfoot keeping you warm and dry. It is important to avoid denim, cotton and normal trainers as once they get wet they will stay wet resulting in you feeling uncomfortable and increasing the chances of injury. The correct clothing and footwear, at the very least, will make your walk more comfortable but more importantly keep you protected.

## What to wear:

- Appropriate Footwear (ideally walking boots as these will protect your ankles on loose ground)
- Walking Socks (part of your footwear system, these need to be breathable to keep feet dry and avoid blisters)
- Waterproof Jacket (keep this in your rucksack until needed, don't leave home without it)
- Waterproof Trousers (for wearing over your walking trousers when it rains)
- Breathable Base-layer (breathable material is best, avoid cotton t-shirts)
- Insulating Mid-layer (fleeces, softshell jackets, hoody, dependent on the weather)
- Legwear (light quick drying trousers, or shorts, with a good range of movement are best, avoid denim)
- Hat, Gloves & Buff (weather can change quickly so keep these in your rucksack until needed)

## What to carry in your rucksack:

- A rucksack or 'daysack' (a 25 Litre rucksack is a good option for a day out)
- Medication and Personal First Aid Kit (keep accessible in a waterproof bag)
- Water Bottle (at least one litre for a 2-3 hour walk to stay hydrated, more in Summer)
- Torch or Headtorch (important item through the Autumn and Winter months)
- Sunscreen (even if it doesn't look that sunny, UV rays can still get through cloud)
- Sunglasses (useful for eye protection in bright conditions including winter)
- Flask of Hot Drink (brilliant on colder days and provides a sense of comfort)
- Food (general packed lunch plus high energy foods such as flapjacks, chocolate and trail mix)
- Mobile Phone (fully charged in a waterproof bag)
- Pocket Sweets (great morale boosters, good options include jelly babies, wine gums and boiled sweets)
- Map & Compass and the skills to use them (group leaders always carry these items)
- Emergency Group Shelter & Whistle (group leaders always carry this equipment)

## Optional extra's:

- Walking Poles (useful to help stability and take pressure off knee joints)
- Camera (to capture great views, record your adventures and maintain the life of your phone battery)
- Gaiters (very useful in wet and boggy terrain to help prevent water seeping over the top of your boots)
- Sit Mat (cheap, simple and helps keep you comfortable during rest stops)

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# Harry Potter Event

**Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> February  
9:30am – 12pm**

**Wands at the ready, our magical annual event is back!**

This year Coppull and Standish Brass Band will play us out at 11.30am with a selection of favourites from the Harry Potter films.

All your favourite Diagon Alley 'shops' will be waiting for you with slime making, potion making, wands to choose from and much, much more!

No need to book, just turn up throughout the morning.

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# Christ Church Charnock Richard C of E Primary School



**Pupils are exceptionally well cared for. Their mental health and well-being are prioritised**

**Ofsted 2021**

**Breakfast Club**  
opens at 7.30am  
**Afterschool Club**  
runs until 6pm.



**As a result of living out its distinctive Christian vision, this is truly an exceedingly special, strong and loving Church school family. All are embraced in the warmth of this school and are blessed to be part of it**

**SIAMs 2023**



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