



June 2019

Dates for your Diary



Mon 1st July – Y6 Rounders’ Junior playground gates open at 1:30pm
Tues 2nd July – Y3 Football for parents to come and watch their child
Wed 3rd July – Y4 Netball in these sporting events
Thus 4th July – Y5 Hockey please make sure your child has their PE kit.
1st, 2nd & 3rd July Year 6 St. Ambrose Barlow Transition
2nd, 3rd & 4th July Year 6 Harrop Fold and Walkden High Transition
 If your year 6 child’s High School is not listed above, please make sure you know what dates they need to attend and inform school.
Thursday 4th July Year 2 Summer Trip Blackpool Zoo
Tues 9th July Year 1 & 2 Sports Day 9:30am please make sure your child has their PE kit.
Weds 10th July Sportsperson’s Dinner 5:00pm
Thursday 11th July Year 6 Summer Trip Gulliver’s World
Afterschool Clubs will not be on 22nd, 23rd or 24th July
Weds 24th July Year 6 Leaver’s Show 9:00am



- **Reminders**
- **Parking**, the vast majority of our parents have supported us by not parking on Greencourt Drive, there are, however, a small number of drivers still putting children at risk by inconsiderate parking.
- **Please park courteously and do not block the residents' driveways.**
- For parents/carers who have no option but to drive to school, it is only a very short walk from Peel Lane, so in the interests of the safety of all our children **DO NOT PARK ON GREENCOURT DRIVE.**
- **Parent Mail**, if we have your email address then any messages sent from school will be emails. Texts are only sent when we do not have an email address.



School Meals

Free School Meals

Are you entitled?

If you are in receipt of benefits and do not get Working Tax Credit you may be entitled to claim Free School Meals for your child/children. If entitled to free school meals your child/children will also receive free milk, as well as the school receiving additional funding. This allows us to provide more resources and extra staffing to help children achieve their full potential. Even if your child is in Reception, Year 1 or Year 2 please claim if you are entitled.

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If in doubt, check at the school office as this benefits both you and school.

Activities This Term



Design & Technology sessions for all Year Groups

Summer Trips

Year 6 Prestatyn

Peel Hall hosted a 'More Able' maths event for Wharton Primary, Clarendon Road Primary, Grosvenor Road Primary and Peel Hall for children from year 2 and year 5. Year 2 came second and year 5 won. Well done to all who took part.



Sporting News

This week our Y2 football team played in the Manchester United FC Finals. Having qualified for the Finals, they were in confident mood heading into the tournament. They won their league and were a minute away from making the final. It was not meant to be as they lost to the eventual winners. Kyran Mansbridge scored the goal of the tournament.

Our Y4 golfers had already won the Salford Finals and were now representing the borough against the best golfers in Greater Manchester. At the GM Summer Games, they were amazing! They won a County event for the first time in over a decade. An unbelievable achievement for our young golfers. Greater Manchester Champions!

Well done.



Summer Trips

There is only year 2 and year 6 to take part in their summer trip. With the exception of Year 6, children need to wear their school uniform and bring a coat. If the weather is forecast to be warm or sunny, please ensure your child has had sun cream applied and brings a cap or a hat.

Year 6 children can wear their own sensible clothes, as they will be going on the rides.

Year 2 to be collected from school at the normal time of 3:15pm. An adult must collect year 6 at 4:30pm.

Transition to New Class/Teacher

Just so, you are aware the children will transition to their new year group, after they have been registered in their old year group on Monday 15th July. Further information will follow nearer the time.

This Month in History

June 9, 1898 - The British signed a 99-year lease for Hong Kong, located on the southeastern coast of China. Hong Kong, consisting of an area measuring 400 square miles, was administered as a British Crown Colony until July 1, 1997, when its sovereignty reverted to the People's Republic of China.

June 10, 1652 - In Massachusetts, silversmith John Hull opened the first mint in America, in defiance of English colonial law. The first coin issued was the Pine Tree Shilling, designed by Hull.

June 13, 1971 - The *New York Times* began publishing the Pentagon Papers, a collection of top secret documents exposing U.S. strategy in the Vietnam War.

June 19, 1953 - Julius and Ethel Rosenberg were executed by electrocution at Sing Sing Prison in New York. They had been found guilty of providing vital information on the atomic bomb to the Soviet Union during 1944-45. They were the first U.S. civilians to be sentenced to death for espionage and were also the only married couple ever executed together in the U.S.

June 24, 2010 - Labor Party deputy Julia Gillard became Australia's first female Prime Minister. She was born in Wales and had moved to Australia as a child. She worked as a lawyer before entering politics.

June 26, 1945 - The United Nations Charter was signed in San Francisco by 50 nations. The Charter was ratified on October 24, 1945.

June 30, 1997 - In Hong Kong, the flag of the British Crown Colony was officially lowered at midnight and replaced by a new flag representing China's sovereignty and the official transfer of power.

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