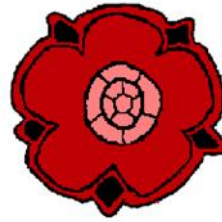


- All About Me—Y6
- Splinters—YRDI
- Correspondence—KS1
- Breakfast Party—Y6

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# Together Everyone Achieves More

## North West 2012 Children's Activity Challenge

On Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> May, a group of Year 5 and Year 6 children (see below), Mrs. Whalley and Mr Wilson were invited to attend the launch of the North West 2012 Children's Activity Challenge by the Olympic Gold Medallist and World Record Holder, Jonathon Edwards.

Orrell Holgate is the first school in the country to register online for 2012 Children's Activity Challenge.

Whilst our Olympians are in training for next year's big event, the 2012 Games Northwest Children's Activity Challenge is aiming to inspire children, schools, families and local communities to be active and healthy.

The Children's Activity Challenge will connect young people in the Northwest to the 2012 Games using the values of the Olympic and Paralympic Games and leaving a lasting health and wellbeing legacy. It will draw on this once in a lifetime opportunity to excite children to set and achieve their own personal 2012 Games Activity Challenge from 01.09.11.

Just as our athletes require support of family and a community of friends to enable them to achieve their Olympic and Paralympic goals, so to will the Children of the Northwest.

## Healthy Lifestyles Programme Award Certificates

Many congratulations to the children below who received their Wigan Council Healthy Lifestyles Programme Award Certificates at the University Hospital South Manchester from the Olympic Gold Medallist and World Record Holder, Jonathon Edwards. Well done ! Year 6 - Joshua Aspey, Kallum Corcoram, Jordan Downie, Hannah Mills, Tabitha Ward, Year 5 - Jamie Arkwright, Declan Goodfellow, Matthew Heyes, Abbey Powell, Lucy Punter, Aimee Taylor

## PSFA Fancy Dress Walk – Friday 13<sup>th</sup> May 2011

**Safeguarding Arrangements – Please note that ALL children MUST return to their classroom after the walk.**

- Children may be collected from the classroom door.
- Staff will only release children to the usual person who collects the child UNLESS parents provide the alternative arrangements **IN WRITING** addressed to the class teacher.

**CLARITY** - If we are unclear of the arrangements school will contact parents via the provided emergency telephone number.

- If you are changing the collection arrangements for the afternoon of 13.05.11 please provide a short note explaining the alternative arrangements.

Your support and cooperation in this important child health and safety safeguarding matter is much appreciated.

Children not collected will remain in school until 3.30 p.m.

## Assessment Week 9-13 May 2011

Good luck to all Key Stage 1 and Key Stage 2 children during assessment week. The assessments are a snapshot in time and help to inform teacher assessment summative judgements based on work across 2010-11.



## Parents Staff and Friends Association 2010/11 - providing support

### Suggestions

If you have any ideas for new events, please let a member of the PSFA know, or tell the office - any suggestions will be gladly considered.

Alternatively, if you wish to be more involved, why not join us on the PSFA.



### BOOK BAGS / SWIM/PE BAGS

Book bags (£3.50) and swim bags (£3) are available from the school office.

### Reversible School Coats

Order forms and samples are available from the School Office.

### CD/DVD's

Thank you for your CD and DVD donation. We have had an overwhelming response. We plan to sell them at the car boot as we feel we can make even more money for our school. Any that are left will then be sent to Magpies. We trust this will be okay with all who donated

## HOCKEY

**There will be no Hockey on Friday 13th May due to the Fancy Dress Walk.**



### PSFA Sponsored Fancy Dress Walk

The Sponsored Fancy Dress Walk will be on Friday 13th May. Sponsor Forms have gone home this week.

As we are a registered charity, please consider gift aid

# Achievement & Celebration

Congratulations to this week's Award Winners

## TEAM Award

### Winners are:

YRD Henry Lanfear  
Y1W Alex McDermott  
Y2S Harvey Lawrenson  
Y3CH Alex Hamer  
Y4D Adam Grey  
Y5B Kiera Fisher  
Y6T Emily Ralph

## Literacy Award

### Winners are:

YRD Matthew Banks  
Y1W Ben Heyes  
Y2S Charley Newton  
Y3CH Bradley Lloyd  
Y4D Jameson Lea-Whelan  
Y5B Lucy Punter  
Y6T Jordan Downie  
Y6T Harry Nixon

## Numeracy Award

### Winners are:

YRD Luke Smith  
Y1W Sarah Jane Harrison  
Y2S Georgia Farren  
Y3CH Alfie Willis  
Y4D Conor Logan  
Y5B Abigail Preece  
Y6T Ryan Eden  
Y6T Ryan Durrans

## Birthday News

Congratulations to the following children who celebrate their birthday during next week.

Y5B Jack Benson  
Y6T Stephanie Butcher  
Y5B Elisha Donaldson  
Y2S Ellie Taylor  
Y4D Austin Travis

## Other Curriculum Awards:

Y6T Hannah Mills

## Lunchtime Award

### winners are:-

YRD Leo Birkett  
Y1W Sunchoeh Prince  
Y2S Lewis Knight  
Y3CH Joel Narayanan  
Y4D Ben Lancaster  
Y5B Freya Hynes  
Y6T Liam Hilton

## PE Awards:

Y3CH Carrie Jennings  
Y3CH Kieran McCarthy  
Y4D Francesca Tirebuck  
Y4D Joel Lokuta

## NETBALL

**Please note: There will be NO Netball Practice for the next two weeks. Next training session will be on 26th May 2011.**

## Music Lessons

**No lessons week commencing 9th May due to Assessment Week**

## Monday Lunchtime Cricket Club

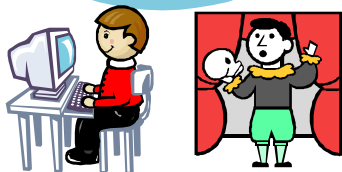
**Mrs Houghton will be running a Monday lunchtime Cricket Club commencing on 16th May for Y5/Y6.**

**Please remember to bring outdoor games kit if you are interested in joining this club**

**The next  
Celebration  
Assembly is  
Friday 13th  
May at  
11.00 am  
Phone the  
school office  
to book your  
place!**

Moor Road  
Orrell  
Wigan

Phone:  
01942-776670



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Check here for important events

Low Bank Ground  
9th - 13th January 2012

## HOLGATE ExTrA EXTENDED LEARNING

**MONDAY 12.30-12.55** Y5/Y6—Cricket Club with Mrs Houghton **FREE commencing Monday 16th May**

**MONDAY 3.30-4.30 PM** - KS1/KS2 Computer Club with Mrs Breheny/Mrs Chriscole (£2.50 per week) - **FULL**

**TUESDAY 3.30-4.30 P.M.** - Film Club with Mrs Newton **FREE** - See application form for details **FULL**

**WEDNESDAY 3.30-4.30 P.M.** Carolyn Leach Soccer Club for all children (£2.50 per week) See application form for details. **FULL**

**WEDNESDAY 3.30 to 4.30 PM.** KS1/KS2 Computer Club with Mrs Chriscole and Mrs Breheny (£2.50 per week) **FULL**

**WEDNESDAY 3.30-5.30 PM.** Angela Shadwick Gymnastics Club (Private Letting £4 per week)

**THURSDAY 3.30-4.30 P.M.** - Junior Netball Y6 with Annette Hamilton - **FREE** - **NO NETBALL PRACTICE FOR NEXT 2 WEEKS. NEXT TRAINING SESSION WILL BE ON 26TH MAY 2011**

**THURSDAY 3.30-4.30 P.M** - Y6 Football with Carolyn Leach **FREE** - See application form for details.

**FRIDAY 3.30-4.30 P.M.** - Hockey Club with James Y5/Y6 - **FREE** - See application form for details.  
**NO HOCKEY 13TH MAY DUE TO FANCY DRESS WALK**

## Dates for your Diary

### Autumn Term 2010

**Start:** 2nd September

**Half Term:**

20th to 29th October

**End:** 22nd December

### Spring Term 2011

**Start:** 6th January

**Half Term:**

21st to 25th February

**End:** 8th April

### Summer Term 2011

**Start:** 27th April

**Bank Hol:** 29th April

**Bank Hol:** 2nd May

**Half Term:**

30th May to 3rd June

**Ends:** 20th July

### ASSESSMENT WEEK

9th-13th May 2011

### PSFA EVENTS

Fancy Dress Walk  
Friday 13th May

Disco Friday 20th  
May

Non uniform Day  
Chocolate Donations  
Fri 27th May

Summer Fair  
Saturday 11th June

### Governing Body Meetings

#### Autumn Term

Full Govs (1)—29.09.10

Asset—03.11.10

Curriculum—04.11.10

Full Govs (2) - 08.12.10

#### Spring Term

Asset—26.01.11

Curriculum—27.01.11

Full Govs—16.03.11

#### Summer Term

Asset—18.05.11

Curriculum—19.05.11

Full Govs—29.06.11