

# WEEK 6



## Easter Week in School

It has felt strange this week, celebrating Easter when it is still so far away.

The children don't seem to have minded this during the Easter egg raffle, bunny and egg scavenger hunts and Easter craft making.

We all went to Church on Tuesday and Rev. Alice walked us through the different parts of the Easter story. It was a lovely opportunity for us to ask questions, listen to the Bible and sing Easter songs together.

In Wednesday's worship, we completed our values work on forgiveness by revisiting the time after the Last Supper up to Jesus saying "Father, forgive them, for they know not what they do." as he died on the cross.

We talked about how perhaps all the people in the story felt like they had let Jesus down. Some had denied he was their friend, many had run away, some fell asleep even when he begged them not to and one handed him over to the soldiers. Some of these things would be hard to forgive but then we remembered Rev. Alice saying that Jesus loved us all this much (stretching out our arms) and that he forgives all that we do.

I wish you all a very happy and peaceful Easter.

## Storytelling Swallows

On Thursday, our Year 3-5 children went to the Chorley Theatre to perform the two stories they have been practicing to a panel of judges.

They had the most amazing day performing under bright lights and on a big stage to an audience.

Mr Winder said that everyone of the children made the performance even more special and they all shone so bright. We are so proud of all you - you represented school brilliantly.

To end the Swallow' Storytelling journey, we have booked tickets to go to Blackpool Grand Theatre to watch a Royal Shakespeare Company Young Encounters performance of 'The Tempest.' This is a child-friendly production with audience participation and a chance to ask the actors questions. It will be a great experience. The performance starts at 1:30pm so we will be late back on this day. I will send further details out after the Easter holidays.

**HAPPY HOLIDAY BIRTHDAYS** 🕯️

Ambré, Patrick, Lewis  
and Fionnlagh



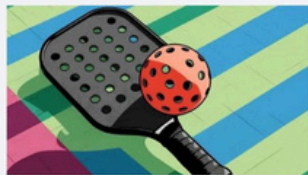
# Events coming up

Saturday 5th April

## Open Day

10-12pm

Support the Yealand Outdoor Games Area and have a go at **PICKLEBALL** as we host Silverdale.



Located behind Yealand Village School

See the value of our community asset and why we need to raise funds.

## Good Friday



10.30am Meet at St Oswald's for the Walk of Witness up Warton Crag

10.30am Service for non walkers, Warton Methodist Church

10.30am Coffee and cakes at St John's

2pm Hour at the Cross, St Mary's

6.30pm Sung Liturgy of the Cross, St Oswald's



Yealand Church of England Primary School  
Inspire

### Come and dance with us

Miss Helen  
Dance Teacher

Class suitable for toddlers to pre school aged children  
No need to book, come along and join the fun!!  
Starting Friday 25th April 2025 - Friday 16th May 2025 10:45am-11:45am  
@ Yealand Village Hall

SEE YOU THERE!

# DATES

Saturday 5th April	YOGA Launch Event at the Village Hall 10-12 Try Pickleball, refreshments available.	Come along to support the community fundraising appeal
<b>Thursday 24th April</b>	Return to school	
	Reception Vision Screening	Letter sent home
Friday 25 <sup>th</sup> April	PE with Mr Parkinson - All	PE Kit
Monday 28 <sup>th</sup> April	Swallow Class trip to Blackpool theatre	Late arrival back to school <b>ETA 4:30pm</b>
Tuesday 29 <sup>th</sup> April	Swallow Class Swimming	Swimming kit and goggles
Thursday 1 <sup>st</sup> May	Sports Cool PE - All	PE Kit
	Sports Cool ASC	PE Kit
Friday 2 <sup>nd</sup> May	PE with Mr Parkinson - All	PE Kit
Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> May	Bank Holiday	School Closed
Tuesday 6 <sup>th</sup> May	Swallow Class Swimming	Swimming kit and goggles
Wednesday 7 <sup>th</sup> May	Little Owls and Robin Forest School Session	Forest School Kit
Thursday 8 <sup>th</sup> May	VE Day Celebrations	
	Sports Cool PE - All	PE Kit
	Sports Cool ASC	PE Kit
Friday 9 <sup>th</sup> May	PE with Mr Parkinson - All	PE Kit