

Your Weekly Newsletter

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Spring Term Dates: *more dates will be added I am sure so look out for the additional dates which will be in red.*

26th – 28th January ~ Big Garden Birdwatch.

Tuesday 29th January ~ Herons' Class Assembly. Family members are invited to join us from 15:00.

Monday 4th February ~ Year 6 Boosters start in preparation for their end of Primary School assessments.

Monday 4th February ~ 17:00 meeting for year 6 parents about SATs.

Tuesday 5th February ~ Robins' Class Assembly. Family members are invited to join us from 15:00.

7th February ~ Year 4 Residential.

Friday 8th February ~ 09:00 meeting for Year 6 parents about SATs

Monday 11th February ~ Dance Competition at the Tower Ballroom.

Friday 15th February ~ Close for Half Term at 15:30

EYFS trip to Clitheroe Castle

Tuesday 26th February and Wednesday 27th February ~ Parents' Evenings 16:00-19:00.

Outdoor learning is a vital part of children's school experience. We are incredibly lucky to have a true ambassador at Carleton Green with Mrs Hicks taking a lead role. This week the children have taken part in birdwatching activities in preparation for the Big Garden Birdwatch this coming weekend. Please tune

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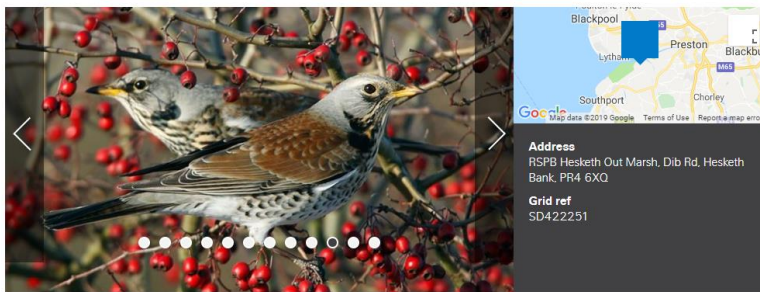
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in to listen to our children talk about the work we do on Sunday. The piece will be on BBC Radio Lancashire on the SUNDAY LANCASHIRE OUTDOORS PROGRAMME, (The Programmes Live at Brockholes on Sunday, and is on from 12 till 2, so whilst it has been scheduled to go on at 12.20, the radio can't guarantee that it will be played then or a little later)

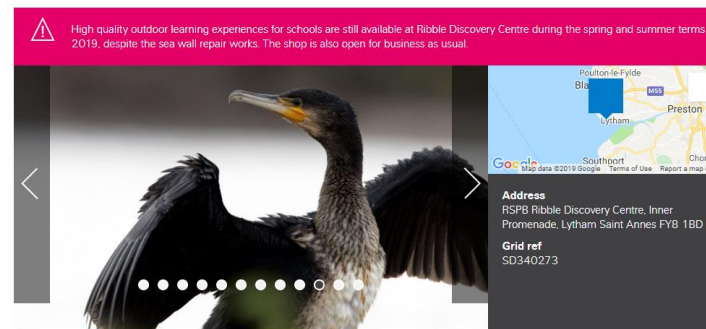
There are plenty of resources on the rspb website should you wish to get involved at home. There will also be lots going on in our local reserves:

Hesketh Out Marsh



Hesketh Out Marsh is a unique site that is part of the Ribble Estuary National Nature Reserve. This rare saltmarsh habitat is home to a variety of wonderful wildlife including: pink-footed geese and wigeons in winter, along with big flocks of wading birds like redshanks and lapwings.

Ribble Discovery Centre



Situated on the edge of popular Fairhaven Lake, the Ribble Discovery Centre is run in partnership with Fylde Borough Council and is the gateway to exploring the Ribble Estuary - one of the most important wetlands in the country and home to more than 250,000 birds.



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It would be lovely for us to know what types of birds you attract in your gardens so please send in photos or records to school next week. Along with birdwatching and other outdoor activities, the school really want to develop our outdoor learning spaces further to provide a more varied experience for the children. We have plans to develop the front area off The Wing to become a sensory garden. This will tie in with the science lessons that take place in this space as well as providing some children with the peace and tranquillity they require. We really need some help to get this prepared and are desperately asking for parent volunteers. Please let the office know if you can volunteer a bit of time and manual labour!

Our school website is our window into our day to day life and as such we love it if you can look and add positive comments about your child's learning. There is a Schudio School App available on which you can select our school and have easier access on your mobile phone. It is very easy to navigate and use. If ever you have concerns about an aspect of school life, please pop into school to discuss with your child's class teacher or a member of the Senior Leadership Team. A school is a community of children, of teachers, of families and as such we need to work together to get things right.



Well done to this week's star of the week:

Jake Edwards, Phoebe Peters, Jensen Stoddard, Joshua McDougall, Alice Churchill, Oliver Tsang, Lily Soneya, Macy Sumner, Phoebe Harrison, Shaylee Dodd & Leon Bailey.

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YMCA Thornton
Presents

BORN TO MOVE LES MILLS

Family Funday

Have fun at our Family Funday at Thornton Ymca on the 10th of February from 10am till 2pm

**BE ACTIVE
BE LIMITLESS**

No booking required
ALL FREE

Born To Move sessions
10:30-11:00 (2-3yrs)
11:30-12:00 (4-5yrs)
12:30-13:00 (6-7yrs)
13:30-14:00 (8-12ys)

- *Free Born To Move session*
- *Soft play*
- *Gymnastics display*
12pm and 1pm
- *Bouncy castle*
- *Arts and crafts*
- *Food tasting*
- *Music and entertainment*
- *Refreshments*

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Partnership with:
Fylde Council, Wyre Council, change 4life

Family Fun Day at Thornton YMCA. The day is all centred around our children’s fitness programme Les Mills “Born To Move” which is all about getting children active from a young age to inspire health habits for a bright future. They will have many different activities going on throughout the day for all ages and its completely free!

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