

# Overton St Helen's Primary

## School family news

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### STRIKE DAYS

Next week will see two days of Teacher Industrial Action on Wednesday 15th and Thursday 16th March. A letter was sent out to parents earlier this week via email and the children's bags, outlining how your child's particular class will be affected. In terms of our Thursday afterschool clubs, Chess Club and Football will be cancelled. Many thanks for your understanding.

### THANKS ELM CLASS!

We ended the week this week with a wonderful assembly from ELM Class who showed off the work they have been focussing on for the last few weeks. We also heard some great singing which will be part of the Lancaster and Morecambe Singing festival in a couple of weeks.

### LANCASTER & MORECAMBE SINGING FESTIVAL

Practising continues for the Lancaster and Morecambe Singing festivals - the songs are sounding great! Families are now welcome to claim extra tickets for the performances as we have some of our allotted number not taken. Please pop in to the school office and see Mrs Barry asap so you can get what you need.

### BORWICK HALL

Next Friday, ELM CLASS, HOLLY CLASS and MAPLE CLASS are off to Borwick Hall for a day of outdoor and adventurous activities. We have taken many classes to Borwick Hall previously and I know that the children are in for a super time.

### \*\* KS1 FILM CLUB - CHANGE OF DATE \*\*

KS1 Film Club will take place on Monday next week - not Tuesday. We hope you can all still make it!

### PARENTS EVENINGS

Our second parents evening of the year is scheduled to take place on Tuesday 28th and Wednesday 29th March. Please return the appointment requests ASAP so that you can secure the time you require. Many thanks.

### MOTHER'S DAY TEA AND COFFEE AFTERNOON

Next Friday at 1.30pm - 2.30pm all our lovely mums and grandmas are welcome to come to school for a special Mother's Day tea and coffee afternoon, where they will be served hot drinks and jam and cream scones. OSFA will be organising the event and our Year 6s will be waiting on you hand and foot to show their appreciation for all that mums do!



### DATES FOR THE DIARY

Wed 15th March - Teachers' industrial action Day 3  
Thurs 16th March - Teacher's Industrial action Day 4  
Fri 17th March - ELM, HOLLY and MAPLE CLASS trip to Borwick Hall  
Fri 17th - Mother's Day tea and coffee afternoon 1.30pm—2.30pm  
Mon 20th March - Lancaster Singing Festival - ELM CLASS  
Wed 22nd March - Lancaster Singing Festival - BEECH CLASS  
Tues 28th & Wed 29th March - Parents Evenings  
Fri 31st March - OSFA cake stall after school (ELM to supply cakes) + Easter Egg tombola!  
**Fri 31st March - School closes for Easter holidays**



### STAR OF THE WEEK

Star of the Week awards this week go to Jace in Maple Class, Lola in Holly, Edith in Elm, Georgia in Willow, Thomas, Oliver and Joseph in Beech Class and William in Oak for being engaged in lessons and class discussions, making great contributions and always trying their best. Well done all!



**Week beginning:** Mon 13th March

**Dinner Week: 1**