



Ballough Bulletin



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School Uniform

Now the weather is getting warmer children will no longer need to bring an additional jumper to be worn over their uniform.

Please can all children come to school wearing the correct uniform. There are several trips and visits coming up this term where children will also be required to wear their full school uniform.

Please note "Stud" type earrings and watches are the only jewellery permitted in school.

Sports day - Change of Date

Please note that Sports Day will now be held on **Thursday 11th July**, due to a clash of dates with the RGS moving up day.

In case of bad weather the reserve date will now be the following day on Friday 12th July.

Notice to families

Please can any outstanding **Little Wandle** reading books be returned to school.

We require full sets of books in order for other children to learn from them.



We are having dress down day this Friday to help raise funds for Rebecca House.

Suggested donation £1



School Dinner Money

Please ensure all payments for lunches are made in advance and check your ParentPay accounts regularly to ensure funds are available. ParentPay does have a low balance reminder function that you may find useful.

The cost for School meals this half term is £76.80.



Name Labels

Please make sure all your Child's uniform, coats and belongings are clearly labelled including lunchboxes, drinks bottles and snack boxes.



Mobile Library

The next date for the mobile library will be **Friday 26th April**.

Please ensure children have their book with them ready to exchange.

(The other dates this half term will be 10th and 24th May)

School Calendar

Early Morning Sports	MSR	Clubs Friday	Years 1 & 2	8.10am - 8.40am
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Drawing Club		School Council Mini Clubs & Meetings Monday	12.40 - 13.00
Dance Club		Tuesday	12.40 - 13.00
School Council Meeting		Tuesday	12.40 - 13.00
ICT lightfoot Club		Wednesday	12.40 - 13.00
Painting		Thursday	12.40 - 13.00
Gardening Club		Thursday	12.40 - 13.00
Outside Sports Club		Friday	12.40 - 13.00

PE		Weekly Activities Fridays	Whole School
Mobile Library (fortnightly)		Fridays	Whole School

	Dates for Diaries
Dress Down Day for Rebecca house	Friday 26 th April
Class 4 Trip to Jodrell Bank	Friday 26 th April
R2 Bring your wheels to work week	W/C Monday 29 th April
QE11 Visit for Year 6 pupils going to QE11	Wednesday 1 st May
Bank Holiday	Monday 6 th May
New Intake Parent Information Evening	Tuesday 7 th May 5-6pm
CSI day for Year 6 Pupils going to QE11	Thursday 9 th May
Nature Club 8am-8.45am.	Tuesday 14 th May
School Governors meeting	Tuesday 14 th May
Class 4 Crucial Crew	Monday 20 th May
Bank Holiday	Monday 27 th May
Nature Club 8am-8.45am	Tuesday 28 th May
Half Term TT Week	Friday 31 st May - Friday 7 th June
R2 Trip to Ayres Nature Reserve	Tuesday 11 th June
R2 Ramsey Beach Walk	Friday 14 th June
Year 6 QE11 Intake Days	Monday 17 th & Tuesday 18 th June
New reception children visit 1.30 - 3pm	Monday 17 th June
R2 trip to the Ayres Nature Reserve	Tuesday 18 th June
R2 trip to Point of Ayre Lighthouse	Tuesday 25 th June
Millennium Football Tournament	Saturday 29 th June
New reception children visit 1.30 - 3pm	Tuesday 2 nd July
RGS Moving up Days	Wednesday 3 rd & Thursday 4 th July
Tynwald Day - Bank Holiday	Friday 5 th July
Sports day	Thursday 11 th July
Reserve Sports day (in case of bad weather)	Friday 12 th July
Last Day of Summer Term	Friday 19 th July

Please note : All school events are subject to cancellation if deemed necessary.

Community Information



Junior Fell Running Championships Saturday 4th May 2024 For School years 2 - 7

**Location: Knockaloe Beg Farm, Patrick.
Registration is 12 - 1pm. Kindly sponsored by
Erin Bike Hut.**

All entries are online - parents and guardians can enter details directly at this link:

<https://manxfellrunners.org/junior-fell-running-championship-2024-entry>

Or by scanning the QR code below.

[Further information can be found here :](https://manxfellrunners.org/junior-fell-running-championships-2024-sponsored-by-erin-bike-hut)

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