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## Newsletter - 15/06/26

### Learning this half term:

'Learning letters,' for this half term have been given out. You will also find useful information on our website <https://www.mcmillan.lancsngfl.ac.uk/>

### Dates for your diary

Parent Sessions - Monday 15<sup>th</sup> and Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> June - confirmation of your appointment time has been given.

If your child attends in the morning session your appointment date is Monday 15<sup>th</sup> June 2026.

If your child attends in the afternoon session your appointment date is Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> June 2026.

Local Walk - Monday 15<sup>th</sup> June, Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> June and Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> June our school leavers will be going on a local walk. Permission has been requested for this activity. Please ensure your child is wearing sensible shoes and has a coat, for this activity.

Donkey visit - Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> June. Children will meet the donkeys and have the opportunity to ride them. Permission has been requested for this activity. - Due to unforeseen circumstances, the donkeys are now visiting on Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> June 2026.

### Meet Mingle and Master Sessions

Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> June - further details will be given out the week

SEND - Friday 26<sup>th</sup> June - further details will be given out this week

### Tiny Pixel Photographs -

Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> July - School photographer. Further details will be sent home

Mini Olympics Sports Day - Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> and Friday 11<sup>th</sup> July - further details to follow

School Leavers Celebration - Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> July - further details will be sent home

End of term Pirate and Fairy Party - Friday 17<sup>th</sup> July. Children can come in fancy dress.

### End of Year Assessment

Each parent/carer will receive a 'tracker form' at the parent's session, so you can see if your child is 'on track'. This will be discussed with your key person.

School leavers will receive a report from their Key Person, on Tapestry. This will be towards the end of term.

### Tapestry

We will be providing parents/carers of school leavers with details on how to download their child's Tapestry Learning Journal so that they can keep it as a special keepsake. There is an opportunity to have the journal professionally printed as a hardback book.

### Attendance

Attendance Matters. We are preparing your child for the next step in their education and establishing and following routines is paramount to their educational success. Unless your child is too unwell to come to nursery, please attend your nursery session. Thank you for your co-operation.

### Community Information

Nelson Family Hub are promoting the following session.

**Side by Side**

For Dad's, male carers and children aged 0-11yrs  
Second Saturday of the month, Starting 13th June 2026,  
10:00 - 11:30 at Nelson Family Hub, Leeds Road Nelson

LANCASHIRE  
**FAMILY HUBS**  
NETWORK  
PENDLE

For more information please contact: 01282 470877

### **Staffing update**

Mr Hamza Mouddenne will be moving onto an exciting new career opportunity. We thank him for his contribution and wish him every success in this new chapter. Miss Sadaf will be covering in the office in the interim and Mrs Hothersall and Mrs Sadia will be in the Dragonflies.

We are also delighted to welcome Mrs Davra Thorpe to Team McMillan. Mrs Thorpe will be working with us on a part time basis. She takes on the role of School Admin Office Leader and comes with a wealth of financial experience.

If you would like any further information or have any questions, please do not hesitate to ask a member of staff.

Thank you for your continued support,  
Ms Cathy Stokes, Headteacher

