

# Bowerham Update



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## Summer Fair – Keep the Date!

**IT'S BACK!!!** The Bowerham Summer Fair for our local community and Bowerham Family is on **Friday 13<sup>th</sup> June**. There will be traditional fun fair, games stalls that are designed and run by pupils, and you can be refreshed at our Bowerham Café & BBQ, plus much much more!

Your children can enjoy unlimited turns on these rides with a pre-ordered wristband – more details to follow. The youngest child in each family will come home next week with three books of raffle tickets to sell priced at £1 per ticket. We have some great prizes including:

- Hisense 43 Inch UHD VIDAA Smart TV 43E6KTUK - Dolby Vision, Pixel Tuning, Voice Remote, Share to Youtube, Freeview Play, Netflix and Disney
- Nintendo Switch Bundle
- AquaThermal Journey & Afternoon Tea for 2 at Ribby Hall
- 18" Piranha Edge Bike

Please return the stubs and money in a clearly named envelope to either the class teacher or the school office. If you have a local business and are happy to sell raffle tickets on the school's behalf, please contact the school office. If you can help sourcing / donating fantastic raffle prizes the afternoon would be even better; If you can help us please email vouchers to:

[schoolsecretary@bowerham.lancs.sch.uk](mailto:schoolsecretary@bowerham.lancs.sch.uk)

## Upcoming Sports Day

**We are so excited ....** we are having our Reception to Y6 School Sports Day on Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> May. Our choral speaking starts the event at 9.00am with the competitive sports commencing straight after – come and have your breakfast outside as we will be selling bacon and sausage buns, as well as a range of refreshments. The team sports afternoon starts at 1.30pm when the whole school will be split into their colour teams for a carousel of 'fun activities' with music; cream teas and other refreshments will also be available. The Nursery Sports Morning for our 3- & 4-year-old children is on Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> May at 9.00am.

## WATCH OUT FOR MORE DETAILS

## Reception 2025 – A Rare Opportunity!

Is your child starting school in September 2025? We have a small number of Reception places still available due to a lower local birth rate this year. Contact us today to secure your child's place. ☎ 0152463999

We can't wait to welcome you to our Bowerham Family! 🧡

## Baby News

We are sending all our love and congratulations to Mr & Mrs Orford on the birth of their baby son, Noah Thomas, shortly before the holidays, weighing 8lb 3oz. Also, to Mr & Mrs Hockey on the birth of their daughter, Mabel Jennifer, on the 10<sup>th</sup> April, weighing 9lb 1oz.

## RSE Week

Week beginning 19<sup>th</sup> May, we will be delivering a Relationship and Sex Education Programme to years 1–6. Parents will have the opportunity to view the videos and materials regarding the RSE Programme.

If you wish to remove your child from this part of the curriculum you will need to look at the resources and **then put in writing which aspects, you would like your child removing from.**

All the planning and resources will be uploaded to Showbie by Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> May so that you can look at what the children will be learning that week.

## May Bank Holiday Closure

Monday 5<sup>th</sup> May is a Bank Holiday therefore school will be closed on this day. We will re-open fully at 8.00am on Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> May. Do enjoy your long weekend!

## Field & MUGA

Please can we remind all families that the school field and MUGA are private property until 6pm each day as they are rented by extended services and Bowerham Kids Club.

Any use before 6pm would be considered trespassing. Families are free to access the field after 6pm.

## Hygiene Bank

We have received quite a large donation from the Hygiene Bank, if anyone is struggling and a bag of cleaning/hygiene products would help please email our Pastoral Team on:

[sharris@bowerham.lancs.sch.uk](mailto:sharris@bowerham.lancs.sch.uk) who will be able to help you.

## Online Safety

Please look at our Online Safety Newsletters and other valuable advice / tips:

[Online Safety - Bowerham School](#)

## Community Noticeboard

Don't forget to look at our Community Noticeboard – this is where we put links to interesting clubs, fun things to do and local events happening outside of school.

[Community Noticeboard - Bowerham School](#)

## Bowerham School Foundation

We've had some great fundraising thanks to our supporters on #easyfundraising! If you're not signed up yet, please join today and raise free donations every time you shop online. Sign up to support us today: <https://join.easyfundraising.org.uk/bowerham-school-foundation/jnrjab/c2s/FZ9Up2Ac/CE957/facebook/>

The Gift Aid declaration has now been amended to make it easier to complete. The link to the declaration form can be found on the Bowerham School Foundation page on our website:

<https://www.bowerham.lancs.sch.uk/bowerham-school-foundation/>