



Moorlands Junior School Newsletter

Working Together, Inspiring and Nurturing Everyone to Achieve and Grow

17th January 2020

Humanities Week

Next week is the second humanities week of the year. Year 6 will be learning about the Mayans, year five about Greece and ancient Greeks, year 4 about ancient Egypt and year 3 about volcanoes and Pompeii.

We can't wait to share our learning with you on Friday afternoon!



Crucial Crew

Our year 6 children visited the Crucial Crew team at Mersey Valley Rugby Club on Tuesday to learn all about personal safety. This event is aimed at preparing our children for the transition to secondary school and for the increased level of independence they will have over the next few years. Topics covered included railway and tram safety, alcohol awareness, first aid, personal and water safety. All sessions proved valuable to the children and stimulated lots of discussions that we have followed up at school and you might want to continue at home.

Thank you

Friends of Moorlands

Don't forget the next meeting on Monday 20th January from 7.30pm at the Legh Arms. Everyone is very welcome. We'll be planning our next events which include the Bonkers Bingo night, Mother's and Father's day shops and our Festival.

We have registered with AmazonSmile, if you start your shopping at smile.amazon.co.uk, they will donate 0.5% of the net purchase price to Friends of Moorlands. You just need to log in to your Amazon account and choose Friends of Moorlands (Sale) as your chosen charity. Let us know if you do!

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Class Assemblies

A huge well done to 3C who led the first assembly of 2020 this morning, telling us all about the Olympic games. Did you know that this year surfing, skateboarding and rock climbing are all new Olympic sports?

The next assemblies are:

Friday 31st January: Year 4

Friday 21st February: 6G

Friday 28th February: 6T

Friday 6th March: 3P

Thursday 26th March at 9.30am: Easter Service led by year 5

Our class assemblies start at 9.10am, as always, families and friends are welcome.

Dates for your diary

Week beginning Monday 20th January: humanities week

Friday 24th January: open afternoon for parents (2.30pm)

Tuesday 28th January: Open morning for Templemoor reception and nursery parents 9-10.30am.

31st January: School value day #1 Support & Care-children can wear something red

Thursday 6th February: Children finish for half term

Monday 17th February: Back to school

Monday 24th February: Easter Egg collection for local foodbank starts

Monday March 2nd: NSPCC assembly and workshops (whole school)

Thursday 5th March: World Book Day

Monday 9th March: Science week #2

Friday 13th March: Ramsbottom Music Festival (tbc)

Monday 16th March: am Y4 parent consultation meetings

pm Y3 parent consultation meetings

Tuesday 17th March: pm Y6 parent consultation meetings

Wednesday 18th March: pm Y5 parent consultation meetings

Friday 20th March: Ramsbottom Music Festival performances to school (tbc)

FoM Mother's day shop

Monday 23rd March: School Values day #2 Make the most of every opportunity-children can wear something blue

Tuesday 24th March: 4-6.30pm parent consultation meetings

Wednesday 25th March: Easter egg scenes due in school

1.30-4.30pm: WN parent consultation meetings

Wish List

Our wish list of books from Scholastic were delivered last week to much excitement!

Thank you so much for all the kind donations, this scheme has proved very popular with parents as an alternative to buying sweets for birthdays and special occasions.

Miss Taylor has catalogued all the new stock and has reallocated the dictionaries to all classes. She is now working on increasing the number of thesauruses and will be using some commission and future wish lists to supplement our existing stock.

Thank you for all your support.



Letters Home



Descant recorder lessons

Choir letter

After school football

Sale sports club

Climbing training

Suspicious incident

Head lice (lower school)