

Moorlands Junior School Newsletter

20th April 2018

Moorlands SUDs Project or 'What's happening at the front of school?'

Each year our school pays a considerable amount of money to the water company based on the amount of rainwater which flows from our building and grounds into the mains drains system. Sustainable Urban Drainage Systems (SUDS) are solutions to re-route this water into the ground away from these drains.

Moorlands was chosen from a number of schools as a site to have this work completed free of charge funded by BITC and their partners, one of which is United Utilities. The project includes the installation of a new permeable path and car park surface and the creation of Rain Gardens; populated with plants that will thrive in the environment created by pooling the surface water. Following completion of the works school will save a considerable amount each year on water utility costs.

Our Eco Council has been involved with the design of the Rain Gardens and we are delighted that the project is being officially opened and launched to other local business leaders in the field on Wednesday 25th of April. We will then be used as a show case site.

The project has also gathered local and national interest and both the BBC North West and the Manchester Evening News have picked up the story so keep an eye out on the news next Wednesday you may even spot some little people you know.

Assemblies

Class assemblies for this term:

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| 27th April | 5L |
| 4th May | 9.30am Y3 May Queen |
| 11th May | WN |
| 18th May | SATs Week (no class Assembly) |
| 15th June | 4C |
| 29th June | 9.30am Y3 (later start to allow Y2 to attend) |
| 6th July | 5GT |
| 20th July | 4DK |
| Wednesday 25th July | 9.30am Y6 leavers Assembly and Prize Giving |

Unless stated, assemblies are on a Friday morning at 9.10am.

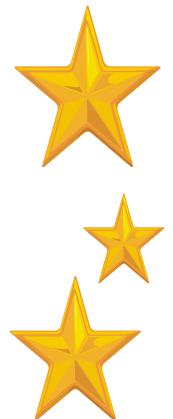
Big Worker of the Week

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| 3C | Matthew Woods |
| 3P | Sophia Kastavunis |
| 4C | Jamie Hanson |
| 4DK | Ella Davidson-Wright |
| WN | Regan Hulse |
| 5GT | Alex Mansfield |
| 5L | Thomas Brassell |
| 6C | Nate O'Connor |
| 6G | Isabel Wallen |



Stars of the Week

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| 3C | Indigo Cookson |
| 3P | Shay Beckford |
| 4C | Lily Buckley |
| 4DK | Maxim Hopley |
| WN | Chloe Matley |
| 5GT | Fay Wheeler |
| 5L | Freddie Pearson |
| 6C | Joe Gough |
| 6G | Jeremie Bohui |



Dates (*Dates are also available on the website calendar*)

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| 25th April | 4pm Netball League tournament |
| 3rd May | Y2 to visit for May Queen Dress rehearsal |
| 4th May | 9.30am Y3 May Queen Production for parents |
| 7th May | Bank Holiday |
| 14th –17th May | End of KS2 SATs tests week |
| 21st– 25th May | Humanities week |
| 25th May | a.m. Y4 River Mersey Walk |
| 25th May | 2.30pm Open Afternoon for parents to view work completed in Humanities Week |
| 25th May | Finish for Whit Holidays |
| 11th June | Return to School |
| 14th June | 1.30pm Sports Day-all welcome (no dogs allowed) |
| 18th—22nd June | Science Week |
| 19th June | Sale Grammar school Induction day 10.15-2.30pm |
| 21st June | Y5 to Sale High School open day WN to Inclusion Festival at Manor Academy |
| 22nd June | 2.30pm Open Afternoon for parents to see the work completed in Science Week |
| 25th June | End of Year Class and Team Photographs |
| 26th June | 6.30pm Y6 Robinwood Parents Meeting |
| 28th June | 9am Open Morning for Y2 parents from Templemoor |
| 4th July | 3P trip to Communitree Project Y5 trip to Chester Zoo WN trip to Chester Zoo 6.30pm Y2 parents meeting |
| 6th July | Manchester Day (A day in school looking at Manchester past and present) |

Dates continued

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| 11th July | (Provisional) Recorder Exams |
| 12th July | Y6 Personal Safety Workshop 7pm Y6 Concert |
| 13th July | Own Clothes Day for chocolate donations 4.30-6.30pm Y6 Leavers' Disco |
| 16th-18th July | Y6 Robinwood Residential |
| 18th July | 3C Trip to Communitree Project |
| 20th July | Own clothes Day for bottle donations 5.30-8.30pm FOM BBQ |
| 24th July | Parents Evening |
| 25th July | 9.30am Leavers Assembly and Prize Giving |
| 26th July | 3.30pm School Closes for the Summer |

Friends of Moorlands

We have made the decision to cancel the planned Race Night on 27th April. This will be rearranged for the Autumn Term when we've had more time to plan it.

Please remember to support our school lottery. One member will win £20 each week and we are all in with a chance of winning £25,000!! In return school receives 40% of the cost of each line purchased. This currently stands at £1000 a year.

Sign up at www.yourschoollottery.co.uk/lottery/school/moorlands-junior-school

Letters home this week:

Electronically:

4DK re Mrs Davidson's maternity leave

Mr Gillam's Cross Country group

Hard Paper copy:

Chess club letters

Eco Council letter

Ofsted report for parents

