

# Moorlands Junior School Newsletter

8th March 2019

## One a Week, Take a Peek

Please take the opportunity to take a peek in your child's hair to check for some unwanted visitors as unfortunately they are doing the rounds again at Moorlands.

For more information, please look at

<http://www.onceaweektakeapeek.com/>

Thank you.

## Ramsbottom Music Festival

Ramsbottom music festival will take place on Friday next week, when our orchestra, school recorder group and choir will compete against other school musical groups.

We wish them lots of luck and are looking forward to hearing their pieces in our music assembly on Monday 18th March.

## Polite Notices

Please can we remind parents and carers to be mindful of local residents when parking at drop off and pick up times.

Also, please remember not to walk through the school car park due to health and safety reasons.

Thank you.

## Science X

Science X is a free, interactive festival of exploration and experiments, giving children the chance to discover the fun behind science and engineering.

It will be held on 9th and 10th of March at the Trafford Centre and is open to all.

## World Book Day

Thank you for all the time and effort put into the World Book day costumes.

It was lovely to see so many children dressed as book characters or in their PJs ready for a bedtime story.

Each year group has studied a different book which I'm sure they will be excited to tell you about.

Every child has been given a £1 book voucher to either buy or put towards a book of their choice.

Don't forget to let us know how the vouchers have been spent. It would be lovely for the children to bring them into school to show us.

## Friends of Moorlands

Friends of Moorlands have had two very successful events recently and are very proud to say that these raised a wonderful £1024.15! Well done everyone!

The next event is the Mother's Day shop which will be open for business soon.

## Stars of the Week

3C	Ethan
3P	Jessica
4C	Thomas
4L	Joshua
WN	Jasper
5S	Libby
5T	Charlie
6G	Martha
6S	George



## Dates for your diary

**Monday 18th March** - Ramsbottom Music Festival performances (this is a change of date)

Thursday 21st March-Odd Socks day

29th March 9.15am-Easter service led by year 5

2nd April-Easter egg competition scenes due in

5th April- Easter fun assembly (children only)

Finish for Easter holiday

Tuesday 22nd April- Back to school

Friday 3rd May 9.30am-May Queen led by Yr 3

Monday 6th May-Bank Holiday, school closed

Week beginning 13th May- SATs week

Friday 24th May- Break up for half term

## School Reading Books

Don't forget to keep looking for our school reading books at home. We have managed to recover lots of the missing ones but we are still looking for many more.

## Assemblies

A big well done to 3P for their marvellous assembly on World Book day this morning. It was lovely to hear about the children's favourite books and to see them dressed in their World Book Day costumes again.

## Letters Home



Ramsbottom letters

4C letter

Letter from Trafford and GMP

Suspicious incident near  
Brooklands Primary

## Easter at Moorlands

This is a very busy half term and Easter will be upon us before we know it! To celebrate Easter, we have several events at Moorlands Junior School, the details are as follows:

**Easter Raffle**- we will soon be selling raffle tickets at playtimes for a chance of winning one of two Easter prizes. Tickets are 20p each or 3 for 50p.

**Easter Service 29th March-9.15am** Year five children will be leading our Easter Service, all parents are welcome to join us for this event.

**Easter Egg Collection**-we are collecting Easter Eggs to be distributed these to families in the local area. The collection will start on Monday 25th February.

**Easter Egg Competition**- this is our annual competition! There will be two categories: a child only category and a family category. The task is to decorate **hard boiled** eggs and, if you wish, create a setting for them. The entries will be judged in 2 categories: child only entry and family entry for each of upper and lower school. Entries should be anonymous and brought into school on **Tuesday 2nd April**.

**Easter Fun Assembly Friday 5th April: (School only event)** This is our exciting Easter Hat Parade! Children bring their decorated Easter bonnets into school for our parade. Three winners are chosen from each class and there will be small prizes for every child that takes part.

## Odd Socks Day

It is Odd Socks day on Thursday 21st March.

Odd Socks day promotes World Down Syndrome day, intending to raise people's awareness and understanding of Down Syndrome.

We are asking that children come to school wearing odd socks on this day.

Thank you.