



Livingstone Newsletter

3rd November 2023

Star of the Week:

Nursery: Hope

Reception: Joanie

Year 1: Wynter

Year 2: Willow

Year 3: Jack

Year 4: Ciara

Year 5: Matilda

Year 6: Jess

Clubs:

No recorder club next week due to our open evening. No science club due to Mrs Legge being at another meeting. All other clubs are on next week.

Open Day / Evening:

We will be holding our annual Open Day and Open Evening for prospective parents looking for a Nursery or Reception place in September 2024 on Tuesday 7th November. During the day, there are slots available for a tour at 9.30am, 1.30pm, 2pm and 2.30pm. The evening offers a chance for parents to walk around school making their way into classrooms and speaking to teachers. Please book your slot by contacting the office and spread the word if anyone you know is looking for a school place!

Year 2 Mossley Walk:

Year 2 will be going for a walk around Mossley as part of their work on 'What was it like to live in Mossley during the Victorian times?' on Monday 6th November in the afternoon. Please make sure they have sensible shoes and a waterproof coat.

Kooth Webinar for parents and carers:

Kooth is a free mental health and wellbeing platform that is commissioned by the NHS and is available to all families in Tameside. They offer free online counselling, mental health services and wellbeing support to children age 10+. To find out more please book a free place on the on-line webinar specifically for parents and carers:

Monday 6th Nov 1-2pm

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/parentandcarer-webinarhow-kooth-promotes-and-supports-staying-safe-online-tickets-718577975067?aff=oddtcreator>

Monday 6th Nov 6-7pm

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/parentandcarer-webinar-how-kooth-promotes-and-supports-staying-safe-online-tickets-718583150547?aff=oddtcreator>

MCSP Maths Challenge:



A group of our Year 6 children took part in the MCSP maths challenge today at Mossley Hollins. They did a fantastic job answering some very challenging maths problems. They worked together as a team superbly and did the school proud. In fact, they did so well they finished in 1st place! Amazing job Luke, Grace, Olivia and Jess.

MCSP Debate



A great performance from Taffy, Cameron, Gregory and Euan in their first MCSP Debate arguing against the motion to ban fizzy drink adverts before 9pm. The team had some great arguments and carried out their own research to back up their points. Unfortunately, they didn't win this time but both Ms. Sellers and Miss. Mathews are very proud of the way that the team approached and performed in the debate.

Show Racism the Red Card Workshop for Y5:

Year 5 will be having a couple of workshops run by Show Racism the Red Card and Odd Arts on Monday 13th November. This will only be for the morning so they will be going swimming as normal in the afternoon.

Tameside Winter Carnival Saturday 18th November:

Thank you to those parents and carers of children in Years 4, 5 and 6 who have responded that they would like to attend the Tameside Winter Carnival Parade on Saturday 18th November. I'm just waiting to hear back from Global Grooves to confirm when we can do the lantern making workshop.

Christmas Card orders:

The children should have received a leaflet and a sticker with details about a Christmas card project we have been involved with. Most children from nursery to year 6 have created a Christmas design and this has been uploaded to a website. This design can be reproduced onto cards, gift bags, candles, sweet jars, wrapping paper etc and make great gifts. To view your child's artwork please visit www.mychildsart.co.uk/order and select 'view school artwork'. Then enter the username and password below, please note that these are case sensitive.

Username = Livingstone

Password = wvicdpJ1

Then search for your child/children's names or individual codes to view the design. Any products ordered and paid for online will be posted to your address directly and not via school. Livingstone Primary School will receive a small commission payment and this will be used towards the purchase of resources that all the children will benefit from. If you can't find your child's art work please contact your child's teacher to check if your child was absent on the day the pictures were created or contact My Child's Art directly on 01530887650. There is also an option to upload your own photograph or picture if your child hasn't created one.

This year there is an early bird discount of 10% off if you place your order before midnight on 14th November. Many thanks for your support.

After the Diary Dates, I have attached a few flyers for local events and a Children's Commissioner survey link.

Dates for your diary:

Monday 6th November: Year 2 walk around Mossley

Tuesday 7th November: Livingstone Open day / evening for new Nursery and Reception September 2024

Monday 13th November: Y5 Show Racism the Red Card workshop am

Y5/6 Tameside Hockey competition

Tuesday 28th November: Year 3 to Methodist Church – Christmas Experience;

Parents' Evening 3.30pm – 6pm

Wednesday 29th November: Parents' Evening 4.30pm – 7pm

Saturday 9th December: Christmas Fair 11-1.30pm

Monday 4th December: Year 6 Mayan Cookery session at MHHS

Monday 11th December: EYFS Nativity 9.30am;

Year 1 & 2 nativity 2pm

Tuesday 12th December: EYFS nativity 9.30am;

Year 1 & 2 nativity 2pm & 6pm

Thursday 14th December: EYFS party am;

Y1&2 and Y3&4 party pm

Friday 15th December: Carol concert 9.10am;

Y5&6 party pm; end of term 3.15pm

Monday 18th December – Monday 1st January 2024: Christmas holiday

Tuesday 2nd January 2024: Inset Training Day for Staff

Wednesday 3rd January 2024: Children return to school



The Children's Commissioner for England has recently launched 'The Big Ambition' to hear directly from children, young people and parents across the country.

We want to hear from all children, in every part of the country and in every setting.

This is your chance to tell key policymakers what is important to you ahead of the general election. Take part now and ensure your needs are reflected in the decisions that will affect you in years to come.

Scan the QR code to
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www.childrenscommissioner.gov.uk/thebigambition





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LANGUAGE CLUBS



French
EYFS, KS1 &
KS2
8:30-9:25

Spanish
EYFS & KS1
9:30-10:25



Spanish
KS2
10:30-11:25



Clubs held at The Satellite Centre, Wellington Road,
Greenfield, OL3 7AQ on Saturday mornings, beginning
Saturday 4th November.

£8.50 per session, booked in six week blocks

Parents welcome to stay or return after the club

Qualified MFL teacher, 15 years experience, enhanced
DBS disclosure

**More information and
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Mossley



Town
Team

FESTIVE MARKET

Saturday 4th November

Mossley Methodist Church

Chapel Street, OL5 0EX

11.00 am to 2:30pm

FREE ADMISSION



Refreshments, 24 Various Craft Stalls,