



### WELCOME

A superb half-term ended with a lovely harvest celebration today. Read about this, together with some key safety messages, a reminder about healthy eating and a plea for your old Beanos! We reopen on Mon 4<sup>th</sup> when we mark National Non-Fiction week and this year's Poppy Appeal. In the meantime, enjoy the break and we wish all families celebrating the festival of light on the 31<sup>st</sup> a very happy Diwali.

### LIBRARY NEWS

It's been super busy in the library with Y1 taking out lots of books - which we know their grown-ups will enjoy reading with them. Also, to celebrate National Non-Fiction week, on our first week back we will be holding a competition for the 'most interesting fact' found. Children will be encouraged to explore the library's range of information books on anything from the environment to wild animals, science, cooking, the weather or even our bodies! Happy fact finding

### Y5/6 HOCKEY LEAGUE

The team showed skill and sportsmanship this week, playing three intense games, resulting in two draws and one loss. Demonstrating teamwork and determination, they worked together to create plays and defend against their opponents. We're proud of their hard work and positive attitude - well done! Thanks also to parents/carers for transport and sideline support.

### HARVEST FESTIVAL

Y5 led a wonderful assembly for the school and their parents/carers today. It was a real celebration of the season and the generosity of our community. All donated items have gone to the Hope Centre to support local people in need - Thank you Y5 for organising this and everyone else for their contributions.

### HEALTHY SNACKS PLEASE

We love being a healthy school and ask parents/carers to support this by making any morning snacks we bring in to school healthy too! Please don't send in crisps or chocolate, a piece of fruit or crunchy carrot will stave off hunger pangs until lunchtime meals (and pudding!) For older children please send in a separate snack so they do not have to raid their lunch boxes.

### MUSICIAN OF THE MONTH

This week the children 'rocked out' to McFly's version of 'Don't stop believin'. And - believe it or not - as of 2016, McFly had had 18 consecutive UK top 20 singles, seven of which reached number one - see how many you can name.

### HOLY COMICS BATMAN!

Calling all avid comic readers. We would love to add comics and magazines to the school and class libraries. If you have any (age appropriate) comics/magazines that are in good condition that you no longer read, please pass them to Miss Kyle - Thank you

	<b>Golden Book</b>	<b>Values</b>
Nursery	Willow Howard	
RLK	Delilah Wraxall	Adam Laksa
RMD	Hugo White	Finley Crellin-Myers
1FL	Shay O'Sullivan	Emilia Krasinka Bemen
1SW	Levin Isaac Suen	Arthur Heyl
2TG	Harrison Oliver	Jasper Ghazanfar
2BH	Frey Kelly	George Pritchard
3MW	Pippa Gore	Olive Richardson
3MC	Jay Shiers	Jessica Christer
4DW	Oliver Richards	Dylan Durkin
4AC	Asia-Lily Wraxall	Olivia Wardle
5BC	Beth Williams	Sonny Walsh
5PM	Tilda Jeffrey	Zara Mckay-Smith
6DH	Toby Longden	Luke Siddall
6SM	Archie O'Toole	Rebecca Signorelli

### E-SAFETY CORNER

Each week Mr. Heap will be sharing top tips for on-line safety. This week he covers information sharing: online privacy is essential - we all need to think about what information we share. Personal information (e.g. name, phone no., school) should not be shared with people we don't know, as they may not be who they say they are. As a family discuss what kinds of information are appropriate to share and make sure children know to check with a parent/carer if they're unsure. Keeping personal details private helps protect us from identity theft, scams and unwanted contact.

### MISSING PINK SCOOTER

A pink micro scooter, left in the first rack as you come into school - has been lost. The owner would be 'wheely' grateful if it was found.

### WELLY WALK FOR DETECTION DOGS

Medical Detection Dogs train dogs to detect human diseases using their incredible sense of smell. To raise awareness and raise much needed funds they're holding a Welly Walk on **Sun 27<sup>th</sup> Oct** at Longford Park. Register [here](#) to join in the fun.

### FIREWORK SAFETY

Greater Manchester Fire and Rescue Service have launched their [Bonfire and Halloween safety campaign](#). The main messages are never handle fireworks and attend an organised display to celebrate the 5<sup>th</sup> Nov.

### ADMIN UPDATE - TWO 'TO DOS' & POPPY NEWS

Thanks for naming school uniform/coats, we reunited lots of jumpers and owners - do remember to initial scarves, hats or gloves before they come into school next term. Also, for those on school dinners. meal selections need to be made by next Tues to avoid returning to a week of jacket potatoes. Finally, poppies will be on sale when school reopens with a recommended donation of 20p for a poppy and 50p for other items.

### CALENDAR

#### FRI 25<sup>th</sup> OCT SCHOOL CLOSURES FOR HALF-TERM REOPENS - MONDAY 4<sup>th</sup> NOVEMBER

<b>Monday 4 Nov</b>	<b>POPPY APPEAL &amp; NATIONAL NON-FICTION WEEK</b> 8 - 8.45 : Fencing - Y3-6 - Premier Sabre (hall) 8.15 - 8.45 : Mindfulness Y1-4 - Miss Dunbavand (RMD) 12.15-12.45 : Bitesize Bootcamp - Y1-3 (playground) 12.50-1.20 : Bitesize Bootcamp - Y4-6 (playground) 12.30 - 1pm : Boxing Y3+4 - Neema (After the bell) (studio) 3.30 - 4.30 : KS1 Computing Y1+2 - Computer Explorers - (6DH) 3.30-4.30 : Y4-6 Art Club - Mrs Whitworth 3.30 - 4.30 : Y1+2 Library Loungers - Mrs Harris 3.30 - 4.30 : Y1-Y4 Multi-sports ( <b>Sports &amp; All</b> ) (playground) 3.30 - 4.30 : Y1-Y6 Dance ( <b>Sports &amp; All</b> ) - (hall) 3.30-4.30 : Girls Football - Y3-6 - AFC - (playground)
<b>Tuesday 5 Nov</b>	8 - 8.45: Y3-6 Indoor Athletics - ( <b>Sports &amp; All</b> ) - (playground) 12.15 - 12.45 : Judo - Y4-6 - <b>Judo Education</b> (studio) 12.50 - 1.20 : Origami Club - Y4-6 - Mr Moseley - (5PM) 3.30 - <b>4.15</b> : Hockey Y4-6 - Mrs Coates - (playground) 3.30 - 4.30 : Exam class - Ms Patterson - (5PM) - <b>starting 12/11</b> 3.30 - 4.30 : Y1-4 Gymnastics ( <b>Sports &amp; All</b> ) - (hall)
<b>Weds 6 Nov</b>	8 - 8.45 : Netball - Y3-6 - (Mrs Jones & Mrs Baker) - (playground) 3.30 - 4.30 : Y1 & 2 Football ( <b>Sports &amp; All</b> ) - (hall) 3.30 - 4.30 : Y3-6 Football ( <b>Sports &amp; All</b> ) - (playground) <b>PTA Autumn Disco</b> : 5 - 6pm (Y1-3) : 6.15 - 7.15pm (Y4-6)
<b>Thurs 7 Nov</b>	12.15 - 12.45 : Y1-3 choir - Miss Watts 12.50 - 1.20 : Y4-6 Choir (Mrs Booth) 3.30 - 4.30 : Y3-6 Gardening Club - Mrs Graham - (2TG) 3.30 - 4.30: KS2 (Y3-6) Spanish club - <b>La Jolie Ronde</b> - (2BH) 3.30 - 4.30 : Y1-6 Lacrosse ( <b>Timperley Lacrosse</b> ) - (playground) 3.30 - 4.30 : Y1-6 Drama Club - <b>Tactile Arts</b> - (hall)
<b>Friday 8 Nov</b>	3.30pm : Y3-6 Dodgeball ( <b>Sports &amp; All</b> )