



Banks Lane Junior School

Communication, Collaboration, Curiosity, Resilience, Reflection



The Weekly Roar!

Friday, 14th June 2024

432nd Edition

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Monday 17th June - Class and Leavers photos

Tuesday 18th June - Class 3S Woodbank Park trip

Wednesday 19th June - Writing Morning commences 8:45-9:15am

Thursday 20th June - Parent Forum 8:45-9:15am - see details below

Thursday 20th June - Class 3L and $\frac{1}{2}$ of Class 3S Dialstone Methodist Church Trip

Thursday 4th July - Transition day (Y2-Y6)

Monday 8th July - Sports Day - further information will be sent out shortly

Tuesday 9th July - Reserve Sports Day

Monday 22nd July - Pupil reports will be sent to Parents

Wednesday 24th July - Leavers BBQ and Disco 4:30-6:30pm

Friday 26th July - Leavers assembly for parents at 9:30am

We are still finalising the Year 6 production dates, we will update you with further details as soon as possible.

WOODBANK PARK

3B went on a 12K walk this week around Woodbank Park to finalise the end of their Geography unit about Stockport and how it has changed over time. The children learned about Woodbank Hall and its change of use, from a place of residence to a fine art museum and even a changing room. After pictures next to the iconic Pear Mill, the children looked for the fastest animal on the planet: The Peregrine Falcon, which nests at Pear Mill- the last cotton mill to be built in Stockport. The final part of the outing was spent near by the River Goyt in one of Woodbank Park's meadows. What a super day out! Unfortunately, 3L's trip had to be postponed due to reports of thunder and lightning, a new date will be shared with you as soon as possible.



AWARD WINNERS

The Headteacher Gold Awards were given to:

Shae-Ryan 3S - for the incredible progress that he has made with his writing, he is a pleasure to teach!

Ariana 4B - for having an infectious positive attitude. She is kind, thoughtful and a talented member of Year 4!

Paige 5S - for being a delight to teach and always trying her hardest - she is a superstar!

Freya 6B - for being a brilliant BLJS role model and a helpful member of our school community!

The Headteacher merit awards were awarded to: **Martyna 3L and Louie 3S**

A huge well done to all of our award winners!



DOJO WINNERS

This week's Dojo award winners are...

1st - Rashford

2nd - Biles

3rd - Windsor

4th - Attenborough

5th - Yousafzai

Congratulations to Team Rashford!!



LEARNING POWERS MESSAGE OF THE WEEK

Writing Morning will commence on Wednesday 19th June 8:45-9:15am. We look forward to seeing you there!



FANTASTIC ATTENDANCE AWARD



This week's Winners	
1 st	5L
2 nd	3S
3 rd	4L

IT'S YOUR BIRTHDAY!

Happy Birthday this coming week to:

Dylan - 4L

Henry - 4S

Ellie - 5L

Thomas - 6B

Dexter - 6B

We hope you all have a great time celebrating!



PARENT FORUM



Special Summer Parent Forum

20th June 2024 at 9.15am



You are invited to join us at our Summer Parent Forum where we have been able to arrange an audience with two special guests.

Jacqui Terry - *SENCO lead for Stockport Inclusion Service*

Liz Hitchinson - *Inclusion lead for Hazel Grove, Offerton & Great Moor*

If you have questions about additional support, EHCPs, services in Stockport, training and much more - these are the people to ask! Please come along and find out how we can support you and your child/ren, in an open and informal setting. Plus, we provide drinks and biscuits!

We look forward to seeing you there!

What our parents and carers think about our meetings:

I find the forum really helpful. It has given me advice and made me aware of other agencies that may be available. It is a good place to have an open discussion with people who are going through similar issues as yourself.



BIKE SHED

We have recently received an Active Travel Grant from Transport for Greater Manchester. This grant has helped to support us with the installation of a new bike shed! The funding is to encourage children, staff and visitors to travel more frequently by bike.



A MESSAGE FROM BRAMHALL HIGH SCHOOL

Dear Parents/Carers,

I am very excited to invite you and your year 4, 5 or 6 primary school children to Bramhall High School's annual KS2 Music Workshop and Concert Day where we invite all year 4, 5 and year 6 pupils who like singing or playing instruments to come and take part in an amazing workshop at our school and then perform a concert with our current Bramhall High School musicians. They will get excellent support and help with their music from our students and our expert Brass, Woodwind, Strings, Percussion, Guitar, Piano and singing peripatetic tutors.

If your child doesn't play any instruments - we still want them to come and have a sing with our expert choir and singing group leaders! Singers very very welcome!

This workshop and concert is on Sunday 7th July, 9am arrival at the music department at Bramhall High, 1pm concert to parents, finished by 1:30pm. There is a Voluntary donation of £5 to attend but **pupils can absolutely attend for free** if funds are tight! There's more details on the attached flyer (see attached flyer). Perhaps the best and cheapest 4 and half hours of weekend childcare out there!

If you would like to sign your child up to this day: please click this link and fill in and submit the form:

<https://forms.office.com/e/NcXttm0mgX>

Once you have signed up your child on this form, I will send you some more information before the event.

Music is very special at Bramhall and we are excited for your child to see this and have a great day making music with us.

If you have any questions at all about this day or music education at Bramhall High School, please feel totally free to email me anytime using dpickton@bramhallhigh.stockport.sch.uk

Best Regards,

Mr Pickton
Head of Music
Bramhall High School

LEAVERS HOODIES

Leavers Hoodies have been ordered and we are awaiting the delivery, an email will be sent out when they have arrived.



USEFUL WEBSITES

CEOPS

CEOP help young people who are concerned about on-line images and communications.

https://www.thinkuknow.co.uk/11_13/help/CEOP/

Family Lives

Family Lives is a charity with over three decades of experience helping parents to deal with the changes that are a constant part of family life.

<http://www.familylives.org.uk/>

Guidance for Parents re Instagram

http://www.connectsafely.org/wp-content/uploads/instagram_guide.pdf

Kidscape

'Preventing Bullying, protecting children'

<https://www.kidscape.org.uk/what-we-do/>

Kidsmart

<http://www.kidsmart.org.uk/>

Netmums

The network offers information to parents about parenting on a national level. Amongst the topics are child welfare, maternity, playgroups, child health and child safety.

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

NSPCC NetAware

[https://www.net-](https://www.net-aware.org.uk/?utm_source=google&utm_medium=cpc&utm_campaign=Grant_shareaware2014&utm_term=nsppc_net_aware&qclid=EAIaIQobChMI6rq9lqCa1QIV77XtCh0n0w-aEAAYASAAEgIawPD_BwE&gclid=aw.ds)

[aware.org.uk/?utm_source=google&utm_medium=cpc&utm_campaign=Grant_shareaware2014&utm_term=nsppc_net_aware&qclid=EAIaIQobChMI6rq9lqCa1QIV77XtCh0n0w-aEAAYASAAEgIawPD_BwE&gclid=aw.ds](https://www.net-aware.org.uk/?utm_source=google&utm_medium=cpc&utm_campaign=Grant_shareaware2014&utm_term=nsppc_net_aware&qclid=EAIaIQobChMI6rq9lqCa1QIV77XtCh0n0w-aEAAYASAAEgIawPD_BwE&gclid=aw.ds)

Stockport SEND Local Offer

<https://stockport.fsd.org.uk/kb5/stockport/fsd/localoffer.page>

UK Safer Internet Centre

E-safety tips, advice and resources to help children and young people stay safe on the internet.

<http://www.saferinternet.org.uk/>