

The Weekly Roar!

Friday 28th March 2025
463rd Edition

SCHOOL COUNCIL CAKE SALE

We would like to say a huge thank you for all of your wonderful contributions to yesterday's bake sale. Your delicious cakes were a huge hit! It was a lovely afternoon with the sun shining, and lots of smiling faces!

Thanks to your generous baking, we were even able to sell more cakes today at break time! We are so grateful for your time and effort.

We would also like to say a big thank you to all the teachers and TAs who helped organise and sell the cakes.

We are thrilled to announce that we raised a whopping £507.05p! This money will go directly towards purchasing a buddy bench for our playground, which will encourage even more kindness and friendship.

Thank you all again for your amazing support!

EASTERDISCO

This year we will be holding Easter discos for the children.

Entrance will be £2 and we suggest that children bring a maximum of £3 to spend in our tuck shop.

Please put the £2 entrance fee in an envelope with your child's name on; please then put their spending money in a separate envelope, their class teacher will collect the two envelopes and hand the tuck shop spends back at the end of the day.

Children can bring a change of clothes and will change into these ready for the disco to start at 3:15pm.

The discos will run over two sessions:

Wednesday 9th April. Years 3 & 4. 3:15pm - 4:30pm

Thursday 10th April. Years 5 & 6. 3:15pm - 4:30pm

Pick up from the disco will be from the main school entrance at 4:30pm.



AWARD WINNERS

DOJO WINNERS

The Headteacher Gold Awards were given to:

Isabella 3L - the amount of work Isabella has put into improving her learning is an inspiration to others. Well done Isabella!

Poppy 4B – for being a hardworking, enthusiastic and smiley BLJS pupil. Well done Poppy!

Holly 5S - for her consistently high standard of work, both in context and presentation, AND for being a kind friend. Well done Holly!

Roman 65 - for being a great BLJS role model, he is always so kind and helpful. Thank you Roman!

The Headteacher merit awards were awarded to;
Archie 6B and Isabelle 6B
A huge well done to all of our award winners!



Individual winner - Connor in 4B

Class winner - Class 5B

Team winner - Team Windsor

Well done to all of our Dojo winners.



LEARNING POWERS MESSAGE OF THE WEEK

FoodieGiggles.com

Why did

FANTASTIC ATTENDANCE



| This week's Winners | |
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| 1st | 3B 97.3% |
| 2nd | 5L 96.4% |
| Joint | 45 & 6B |
| 3rd | 96.3% |

Whole school attendance 95.9%



IT'S YOUR BIRTHDAY!

Happy Birthday to the following children who will be celebrating their birthday over the coming week:

Connor 4B
Jayden-James 4B
Martyna 45
Harry 5B
Skye 5B

We hope you have a great time celebrating!





PARENT FORUM

Thank you to everyone who attended our parent forum on Wednesday where we chatted about dyslexia.

Miss Howarth is leading an assembly for the whole school on Wednesday to talk about Neurodiversity Week with a focus on dyslexia.

If you would like to know more about Neurodiversity Week, here is a link to their

website https://www.neurodiversityweek.c
om/





CELEBRATING EID

Eid Mubarak to all of our families celebrating Eid this coming week.

In assembly this week, Mrs Wraith spoke to the children about Eid-al-fitr - the celebration at the end of Ramadan which takes place this weekend.



ATTACHMENTS

Attached to the Roar today is our RE parent leaflet.

FOOD DRIVE COLLECTION





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Banks Lane Junior School would like to support Stockport's Your Local Pantries that help local families struggling with food poverty. Members pay £4.50 a week and can access 10 items of food which would be worth over £20. They also receive free fruit, veg and bread.

We are asking if you could please donate an item of food or household product that can be used to stock the pantries. The Pantry Team will be in Hulme Street Car Park with their van on the **morning of 4th April from 8.30am** if you are able to donate anything.

Items that would be gratefully received:

- Soup
- Sauces
- Beans
- · Rice or pasta
- Tinned fruit or dessert items (rice pudding etc)
- Hygiene products toothpaste, shampoo, shower gel etc
- Cleaning products washing up liquid etc
- A fridge product but would need to have a week left in date (yoghurt, cold meat, cheese etc)
- Cereal

Thank you for supporting local Stockport residents. To find out more please visit https://www.yourlocalpantry.co.uk/



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

| Year 3 | Year 5 |
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| Wednesday 9 th April 2025 | Thursday 10 th April 2025 |
| Year 3/4 Easter Disco 3:15-4:30pm | Year 5/6 Easter Disco 3:15-4:30pm |
| | 14th-16th July or 16th-18th July 2025 |
| | Conwy Residential |
| Year 4 | Year 6 |
| Thursday 3rd April at 5pm - please note, this is a | Thursday 10 th April 2025 |
| change of date | Year 5/6 Easter Disco 3:15-4:30pm |
| Parents Ilam Hall information meeting. 5-6pm | |
| | Wednesday 30th April |
| Wednesday 9 th April 2025 | PGL Boreatton Park information evening. 5-6pm. |
| Year 3/4 Easter Disco 3:15-4:30pm | · . |
| · | Sunday 18th May-Wed 21st May 2025 |
| Thursday 1 st May – Friday 2 nd May 2025 | PGL Boreatton Park Residential |
| Ilam Hall Residential | |
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Whole School

Friday 11th April 2025 School closes at 3:15pm

FOODBANK VOUCHERS

A reminder that school can provide foodbank vouchers upon request. If you feel you would benefit from a Foodbank Voucher please contact the office on 0161 480 2330 or email admin@bankslane-jun.stockport.sch.uk or alternatively contact Stockport Foodbank directly at foodbank.org.uk

Foodbanks can supply food, baby and hygiene items as well as bread, fresh fruit and vegetables.

Support is not just for families on free school meals but for any family that is in genuine need of help and support.

foodbank

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School website

https://www.bankslane-jun.stockport.sch.uk/