



# Banks Lane Junior School

Communication, Collaboration, Curiosity, Resilience, Reflection



## The Weekly Roar!

Friday 13<sup>th</sup> March, 2020

280<sup>th</sup> Edition

### CROSS COUNTRY RACE REPORT - EVENT 6

Last Saturday, it was the final race of the Stockport Schools' Cross Country league, organised by Stockport Harriers. Fortunately, we had more dry weather to finish the season with, although the mud was still thick and deep from our very wet winter.

An enormous well done to all the children who took part:

- Ava, Ella, Lacey, Jake, Noah, Ben, Oliver, Oscar, Koel and Zach (Year 3)
- Saoirse, Ruby, Darcy, Rory, Lucas H and Thomas (Year 4)
- Lottie, Lucy, Holly, Amelia, Lola, Grace, Portia and Miguel (Year 5)
- Maisy, Isobel, Libby, Elizabeth and Liam (Year 6)

It was our five Year 6 runners' final race representing Banks Lane; thank you so much Maisy, Isobel, Libby, Elizabeth and Liam for being such dedicated and resilient members of our school team (especially Liam who has run in every single event since Year 3!). We hope you continue to enjoy running and competing as you move up to secondary school.

Well done also to Ruby in Year 4 who has been improving all season and came 5<sup>th</sup> in the final race.

Twenty-nine runners earned their medals this year and thirteen children took part in every single race. This is a brilliant improvement in numbers from last year and we are so proud to have one of the biggest running teams in Stockport. Miss Rock will pick up the medals from Stockport Harriers on Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> March and we will present them to the children in our achievement assembly. Please speak to Miss Rock if you have any questions about this.

**Now it is the end of the season, please return your child's school running vest to Miss Rock as soon as possible.**

We look forward to seeing you all again next year. Miss Rock will let the children know if there are any other exciting running events coming up over Spring and Summer.

### CORONAVIRUS

Please be assured that should we receive any appropriate advice from the DfE or Local Authority, we will pass it on to parents immediately.

All children are being encouraged to wash their hands regularly and thoroughly throughout the school day. Please could we ask that children wash their hands at home before they come into school? Thank you.

We would like to say a huge thank you to our premises staff who are working hard to sanitise door handles, taps, table tops etc. Teaching staff and support staff are also helping so hopefully as a team we will be able to minimise the risk of infection.

Thank you for your support.

### FOOTBALL NEWS

Well done to both our Year 5 and Year 6 football teams who played and won matches against Lane End earlier this week. Fantastic results!

Year 5, 5 - 0 win

Year 6, 7 - 0 win

**Please note** - The away match against St Winifred's next Wednesday has been cancelled.

## FACUP FANTASTIC ATTENDANCE AWARD

Class	% Attend
3B	95.5%
3L	98.7%
3S	95.4%
4B	94.5%
4L	96.5%
4S	98.3%
5B	97.1%
5L	96.2%
5S	97.9%
6B	97.8%
6L	94.5%
6S	95%



This week's Winners		
1 <sup>st</sup>	3L	98.7%
2 <sup>nd</sup>	4S	98.3%
3 <sup>rd</sup>	5S	97.9%

**This week we achieved an overall average attendance 96.4%**

Our running total is 95.1%

Our weekly and overall target is 96.5%. Please help us to achieve this.

## HEADTEACHER AWARDS

The Headteacher's Merit Award was given to Isobel from 6L.

The Headteacher's Gold Award was given to Liam from 6L for showing fantastic commitment to cross country, in 4 years he has not missed one race.

Well done to both of you!



## BIRTHDAYS

Happy Birthday this coming week to,

Lucas, 4L  
Anna, 3B  
Sophia, 4B  
Olivia, 5L  
Eva, 4S  
Isobella-Marie, 4L



## NEXT WEEKS SCHOOL TIMETABLE

Each week, you will now find listed below, activities that are happening in school the following week, as well as information on staff diaries.

<b>Monday</b>	<b>Cricket lessons</b>
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>Mrs Howarth out of school am at a SENCO cluster meeting Away football match against St Josephs Year 5 swimming</b>
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>Staff meeting after school - Writing moderation</b>
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>Football Festival</b>
<b>Friday</b>	<b>Mr Milner out of school am Headteacher cluster meeting Governor drop in day Forest School, 4L Swimming, 4S</b>

This newsletter is emailed weekly to parents/carers. Please let us know if you would like us to email it to you.

It is also available on our website at [www.bankslane-jun.stockport.sch.uk](http://www.bankslane-jun.stockport.sch.uk)

If you have any queries or concerns, please email [admin@bankslane-jun.stockport.sch.uk](mailto:admin@bankslane-jun.stockport.sch.uk) or phone the school office on 0161 480 2330



## 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/](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](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=EAIaIQobChMI6rq9lqCa1QIV77XtChOnOw-aEAAYASAAEqIawPD_BwE&qclsrc=aw.ds)

[aware.org.uk/?utm\\_source=google&utm\\_medium=cpc&utm\\_campaign=Grant\\_shareaware2014&utm\\_term=nsppc\\_net\\_aware&qclid=EAIaIQobChMI6rq9lqCa1QIV77XtChOnOw-aEAAYASAAEqIawPD\\_BwE&qclsrc=aw.ds](https://www.net-aware.org.uk/?utm_source=google&utm_medium=cpc&utm_campaign=Grant_shareaware2014&utm_term=nsppc_net_aware&qclid=EAIaIQobChMI6rq9lqCa1QIV77XtChOnOw-aEAAYASAAEqIawPD_BwE&qclsrc=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/>