

Banks Lane Junior School

Communication, Collaboration, Curiosity, Resilience, Reflection





The Weekly Roar!

Friday 16th June 2022 362nd Edition

PLEASE REMEMBER - DROP OFF AND GO, PICK UP AND LEAVE.

YEAR 2



We would like to say a huge BLJS welcome to all of our Year 2 families who are receiving the Roar newsletter for the first time today. We will email this to you each Friday for the next four years!

We are looking forward to the Parent Tours on the evening of 23^{rd} June. We are also getting welcome packs ready for the children joining us on 7^{th} July for their transition day - we are very excited to meet them all.

WOODBANK PARK

This week year 3 visited Woodbank Park to explore the National Heritage Trail as part of their Geography topic about the UK. They walked through woodland, spotting key points of interest, had a picnic, played games and all had a wonderful time in the sunshine!

Class 35 pictured below



YEAR 6

END OF YEAR PRODUCTION



Children in Year 6 are working incredibly hard to learn songs and lines for their performance of Aladdin Trouble in July. We are delighted to be able to invite parents into school to watch the performances this year for the first time since 2019. The performances will take place on Wednesday 20th July and Thursday 21st July, both starting at 6pm. Tickets will be on sale soon.

E-SAFETY

This week Year 6 have been visited by Louise and Dennis from Stockport Youth Justice Service to learn about the risks and potential harms of social media. The sessions were engaging and thought provoking. All Y6 children were encouraged to go home and check the privacy settings of any social media accounts they have. In next week's workshop, we will be learning about what hate crime is, the impact it has on victims and the consequences for perpetrators.

SCHOOL ARRIVALS

We have a growing number of Year 6 children arriving to school earlier and earlier each day and congregating outside the school gates. Whilst we love that our pupils are so eager to get to school in the mornings there are no members of staff outside until the gates open at 8:40am so children are completely unattended.

AWARD WINNERS

The Headteacher Gold Awards were given to;

Year 3 – Joel, 3B for being a fantastic friend and an excellent role model to his peers.

Year 4 - Archie, 4L for his resilience in his times tables and enthusiasm in all areas of learning.

Year 5 - Alex, 5L for being a role model to others - he is extremely hard working and a pleasure to teach.

Year 6 - Eve, 6B for always having a positive outlook and an excellent attitude.

The Headteacher Merit Awards were given to Chloe, 3B and Bella-Marie, 65.

Great job Green team, you are our weekly dojo winners!



The class with the highest dojo points this week is 45, well done to you!

LEARNING POWERS JOKE OF THE WEEK

As the weather is getting warmer you may want to send your child in with a sun hat and plenty of water and may even want to apply sunscreen before school.



FANTASTIC ATTENDANCE AWARD



| This week's Winners | |
|---------------------|----|
| 1 st | 3B |
| 2 nd | 35 |
| 3 rd | 6B |

IT'S YOUR BIRTHDAY!

Happy Birthday this coming week to.

Tommy, 45

Harry, 5S

Kaya, 6L

Brooke, 6L

Harrison, 6B

Dexter, 45

Oscar, 65

Ellie, 35

Koel, 5S

Bella, 4L

SCHOOLUNIFORMS

As it's getting to the end of the year we thought this would be a good time to ask for your help.

If you have a child leaving us in Summer or are looking at replacing any uniform or PE kit items ready for September please could we ask you to think of donating anything usable to school rather than throwing them away. We are hoping to increase our stock of uniform we can then offer to others.

In turn - if your child needs any uniform items, please don't hesitate to contact the office team who will be happy to check our stock in school.

AFTER SCHOOL SPORTS CLUBS

Due to some of our children no longer being available for after school clubs this half term we have a small number of spaces available. Please call the office on Monday if you would like to reserve a space for your child

HOLIDAYREQUESTS

If your child is going to be absent from school for a holiday, wedding, tournament etc a Leave of Absence form must be completed in order to request time off school. This can be found in the parent section of our website or by <u>CLICKING HERE</u>.

OUTSIDE AGENCIES

We often have outside agencies come into school to work with/support our pupils in a number of different ways. Please see our table below for their availability.

| Tuesday | Wednesday |
|--------------|-----------------------------|
| | BSS, am, every other week |
| LSS, all day | SALT, every other half term |

LSS - Learning Support Service

BSS - Behaviour Support Service

SALT - Speech and Language Therapy. On The half term we do not have weekly visits, teaching assistants carry out follow up work with children.

USEFULWEBSITES

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-

<u>aware.org.uk/?utm_source=google&utm_medium=cpc&utm_campaign=Grant_shareaware2014&utm_term=nspcc_net_aware&gclid=EAIaIQobChMI6rq9lqCa1QIV77XtChOnOw-aEAAYASAAEqIawPD_BwE&gclsrc=aw.ds</u>

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/