



# Banks Lane Junior School

Communication, Collaboration, Curiosity, Resilience, Reflection



## The Weekly Roar!

Friday 19<sup>th</sup> May 2023  
397<sup>th</sup> Edition

### WOODBANK PARK - YEAR 3

This week year 3 have been to Woodbank Park for part of their Geography field trip work. On route, year 3 found out about Woodbank Hall, Pear Mill and the River Goyt. The children heard about how Woodbank Park has been used as a military training base whilst Woodbank Hall has been used as a fine art museum! Year 3 enjoyed their day out - especially playing in the meadow.



### CORONATION MUGS



Anyone who would like to buy a Coronation mug can benefit from free delivery to the school on all orders before Thursday 25th May.

Mugs are £6.50 if bought before this date. Visit <https://www.apfs.org.uk/> and enter your child's individual code and name from the back of their art work to order.

### SPORTS TOURNAMENTS

A number of our pupils have represented our school in various sporting events this week:

#### Monday - Year 4 QuadKids

The team performed incredibly with the girls winning all their races. We are awaiting final results.

#### Wednesday - Cricket

All of those who attended represented the school really well developing their skills along the way.

#### Thursday - Football

#### Regional finals (Greater Manchester)

We lost 1-0 in the quarterfinals. We were in the top 8 out of 915 Primary Schools. Incredible achievement!

### MOBILE PHONES

Mobile phones are not permitted in school. If your child does need to bring in a mobile phone it MUST be handed to the class teacher at the beginning of the school day. Anyone found to have a mobile in school will have it confiscated. It will then be held in the school office and must be collected by an adult. Many thanks.

### SCHOOL HOLIDAY & TERM DATES

Following on from the Admissions and Term Dates Consultation which took place over the autumn term, the Local Authority took the decision to consult on holiday and term dates general principles. This consultation will outline some general principles for setting holiday and term dates with examples of how a set of principles look in real terms, information attached. Please [CLICK HERE](#) to give your views.

## AWARD WINNERS

Members of team Biles enjoyed their team treat in the hall this afternoon for collecting the most dojos last half term. There was music, sweet treats and lots of noise! A big thank you to Ula, 6B and Olivia, 6L for helping to organise the treat.



The dojo winners this week are the Attenborough team. Well done to all in team Attenborough!

### LEARNING POWERS MESSAGE OF THE WEEK

School closes at  
3.15pm next Friday,  
26<sup>th</sup> May.



### FANTASTIC ATTENDANCE AWARD



1st	5B
2nd	4L
3rd	4S

### IT'S YOUR BIRTHDAY!

Happy Birthday this coming  
week to,



Joseph, 3L  
Max, 3L  
Kaleb-Thomas, 4L  
Lorna, 5S  
Benji, 4B

## HEADTEACHER AWARD WINNERS

### Monday's Assembly

The Headteacher Gold Awards were given to,

- Year 3 - **Phoebe**, 3S for being an amazing role model, she is kind, helpful, resilient and always tries her best.
- Year 4 - **Megan**, 4L for being determined and resilient every day and always contributing positive ideas in class.
- Year 5 - **Jessica**, 5S for using her curiosity throughout all lessons and for her kind personality towards others.
- Year 6 - **Ryan**, 6B for having an excellent attitude towards everything he does.

The Headteacher Merit Awards were awarded to **Lucia**, 3L and **Patrick**, 5B

### Friday's Assembly

The Headteacher Gold Awards were given to,

- Year 3 - **Lois**, 3B for always being polite, ready to learn and producing high standards of work.
- Year 4 - **Harriet**, 4B for having a fantastic impact on her class, using lovely manners and having a positive attitude.
- Year 5 - **George**, 5L for being resilient, hard working and incredibly well mannered.
- Year 6 - **Layton**, 6S for showing enthusiasm and determination in everything he does.

The Headteacher Merit Awards were awarded to **Jessica**, 3B and **Leo** 4S.

**Well done to all award winners.**

## 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->

[aware.org.uk/?utm\\_source=google&utm\\_medium=cpc&utm\\_campaign=Grant\\_shareaware2014&utm\\_term=nsppc\\_net\\_aware&qclid=EAIAIQobChMI6rq9lqCa1QIV77XtChOn0w-aEAYASAAEgIawPD\\_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=EAIAIQobChMI6rq9lqCa1QIV77XtChOn0w-aEAYASAAEgIawPD_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/>

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