



The Weekly Roar!

Friday 11th April 2025
465th Edition

YOUNG CARERS AND WELLBEING SESSIONS

This week in our Young Carers group, we took full advantage of the lovely weather. Mrs Cockburn organised an Easter egg hunt on the quad, the children had an egg-citing time and thoroughly enjoyed the chocolates.

The children in our Year 3 Well-being groups also enjoyed the sunshine and took part in a nature hunt on the field, it was nice for all the groups to get together.



EASTER DISCO

The Easter Discos were an absolute blast, the children had such a fantastic time! A massive shout-out to our amazing staff who gave up their time to make it all happen - superstars! We are always blown away by our incredible parents, thank you for giving up your sunny afternoon to keep everyone fuelled up at the tuck shop. We couldn't have pulled it off without your amazing support!



AWARD WINNERS

The Headteacher Gold Awards were given to:

Jack 3B - for being exceptional! He listens attentively, he works hard at all times and he is a lovely, kind person. Well done Jack!

Lucy 4L - for being a caring and thoughtful individual who is an excellent friend and super BLJS role model. Well done Lucy!

Ariana 5B - for being an amazing role model in class and for always doing the right thing - keep it up Ariana!

Charles 6L - for consistently displaying superb whole school values, and sharing his wonderful sense of humour. Well done Charles!

The Headteacher merit awards were awarded to:
Parmis 4S and Sophia 6L.

A huge well done to all of our award winners!



DOJO WINNERS

Weekly winners

Individual winner - Louis in Class 3S

Class winner - Class 3L

Team winner - Team Biles

Half-term winners

Individual winner - Louis in 3S

Class winner - Class 4L

Team winner - Team Biles

Well done to all of our Dojo winners.



LEARNING POWERS MESSAGE OF THE WEEK

A reminder that school closes today and re-opens on Monday 28th April.

We hope our BLJS families enjoy their Easter holidays.



FANTASTIC ATTENDANCE AWARD



This week's Winners	
Joint 1st	3S & 5S 99.3%
2nd	4L 98.7%
3rd	3L, 5B & 6B 98.3%

Whole school attendance

97.6%



WRITING MORNING

Following requests from our last parents survey we have changed the day that our writing mornings will be held, these will now be held on Tuesday mornings. Next half term we will be holding two sessions, these will be on **Tuesday 6th May** and **Tuesday 20th May**. The timings will remain the same: 8:45am-9:15am.

IT'S YOUR BIRTHDAY!

Happy Birthday to the following children who will be celebrating their birthday over the Easter holidays:

George 3L
Leo 3S
Nancie-Mae 3S

Skyla 4B
Georgia 4L
Lucy 4L
Sebastian 4S
Jasmine 4S
Layla 4S

Ella 5B
Ted 5L
Faith 5L
Abdul 5L
Laken 5L
Rory 5L

Dylan 5S
Charlie 5S
Isla 6B
Aryan 6L

We hope you have a great time celebrating!



STOCKPORT COUNTY

Stockport County Community Trust is excited to announce that it will be offering FREE Easter holiday activities for primary school-aged children in the borough. This provision is aimed at families who are currently in receipt of free school meals.

Throughout the holiday period, children can participate in a variety of engaging and enjoyable activities designed to keep them active, social, and entertained. This initiative not only provides children with a fun experience during the school holidays but also supports their families by ensuring they have access to worthwhile programs without any financial burden.

We encourage eligible families to take advantage of this wonderful opportunity and join us for a memorable holiday season filled with joy and community spirit!

Four days of fun activities will include arts and crafts, games, and sports, plus special visitors and trips outdoors.

Places are administered by Stockport Council, so please visit www.holidayactivities.com to secure your child's place.

Should you have any queries about your family's eligibility, please contact the Holidays, Food, and Activity (HAF) team at HAF@stockport.gov.uk



OPEN TRAINING SESSION & FAMILY FUN DAY

JOIN US THIS EASTER FOR A DAY OF FUN FOR ALL OF THE FAMILY

Monday 14th April, from 9am



INFLATABLES AND FUN ACTIVITIES



YOUR CHANCE TO MEET THE PLAYERS



Tickets Available Now

stockportcounty.com/fan-events

*Whilst this is a free event, tickets must be reserved online to guarantee entry.



- Attached to the Roar today is our Art parent leaflet.

PLACES WHERE KIDS EAT FREE (OR FOR £1) EASTER HOLIDAYS 2025

moneysavingcentral.co.uk/kids-eat-free

BURGER KING

From Monday 7th - Sunday 20th April 2025, Kids Eat Free with every adult meal, via the app.

BILLS

Kids eat free Mondays - Fridays, from Monday 7th - Friday 25th April 2025.

FARMHOUSE INNS

2 kids eat FREE with one paying adult, Monday 7th - Friday 25th of April. Sign Up Required

TGI FRIDAYS

Kids Eat Free When 'Stripes Rewards Members' purchase any adult meal (Via App)

ZIZZI

Sunday 6th - Sunday 27th April 2025 kids eat free with every adult main. (excludes Saturdays)

CAFE EIGHTY NINE @ THE RANGE

Kids eat free Sat 5th April - Mon 21st April 2025

YO! SUSHI

Kids eat free all day (monday - friday) during all school holidays, when dining with an adult

SIZZLING PUBS

Every Monday to Friday, 3 - 7pm, kids eat for £1.

ASDA

Kids eat for £1 every, with no adult spend.

TRAVELodge & PREMIER INN

2 kids eat for FREE with 1 adult breakfast

GORDON RAMSEY RESTAURANTS

Kids under 8 eat FREE all day, every day

WHITBREAD INNS

2 kids eat for FREE with 1 adult breakfast

BEEFEATER & BREWERS FAYRE

2 kids eat for FREE with 1 adult breakfast

IKEA

Kids get a meal from 95p daily from 11am

PREZZO

Kids receive a free, 3 course kids meal, everyday at Prezzo between 31st March - 27th April 2025

COCONUT TREE

One child (under 10) eats free every day, 12pm - 6pm from Monday 7th - Sunday 27th April 2025

PIZZA HUT

Kids eat free buffet from Monday 7th - Sunday 27th April, after 3pm daily with a £10 spend

PRETO

Kids up to age 10 eat free all day, every day with paying adults at Preto in Half Terms

SAINSBURYS CAFES

Kids eat for £1 with the purchase of an adult hot main. From 11:30am every day.

BELLA ITALIA

Children eat for £1 with any adult main. The offer is valid 4-6pm Sun to Weds. All Day Thursdays

MORRISONS

Kids Eat FREE all day, every day with a £5 spend

LAS IGUANAS

Kids under 12 eat FREE with 'My Las Iguanas' App

TABLE TABLE

2 Kids Eat free breakfast daily with 1 paying adult!

PAUSA CAFE @ DUNELM

Kids eat FREE with every £4 spend after 3pm

HUNGRY HORSE

Kids eat for £1 on Mondays

THE REAL GREEK

Kids under 12 eat FREE Sundays with £10 spend

SA BRAINS PUBS

Kids eat for £1 on Wednesdays

FUTURE INNS

Under 5s eat for free with any adult meal.

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YEAR 6 SPECIAL 2025

Are you worried about your child navigating through the next few months?

You are not alone!

Join fellow Stockport parents and carers who want to support their Year 6 child cope with change and move on to high school more confidently.

ONLINE SHORT COURSE

Mondays 1.30 - 2.30pm

16th June Supporting children with anxious feelings

23rd June Helping children to manage worry

30th June Supporting children emotionally

7th July Practical strategies & transition timeline

Delivered by:

Anna Purvis - Primary Jigsaw

Heather Newton - Inclusion Service



Please email primary.jigsaw@stockport.gov.uk to book your free place

Offerton Sign On Night!

When:

- Sign up this Friday for our 2025 season. Seniors, Ladies and Juniors all welcomed.

Where:

- The Paddock. SK2 5AP. Bottom of Woodlands Drive from 6:15pm

How much:

- £100 for Seniors including 2025 playing top
- £50 for Ladies including 2025 playing top
- £30 for Over 40s including 2025 playing top
- £30 For juniors including 2025 playing top

£25 for Social Membership to receive 10% off at the bar all season!

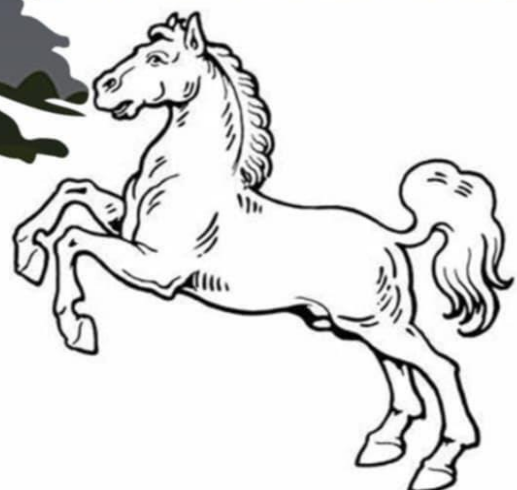
You will be directed to our spond app on the night to sign up so please bring your mobile!

Bar will be open! Food Available

Come and join the Originals.

Your local club needs you!

OFFERTON



Cricket Club

EST. 1921

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Year 3	Year 5
Thursday 8th May Class 3B Woodbank Park trip- 10-2pm Friday 9th May Class 3L Woodbank Park trip - 10-2pm Friday 16th May Class 3S Woodbank Park trip - 10-2pm	14th-16th July or 16th-18th July 2025 Conwy Residential
Year 4	Year 6
Thursday 1st May - Friday 2nd May 2025 Ilam Hall Residential	Wednesday 30th April PGL Boreatton Park information evening. 5-6pm. Sunday 18th May-Wed 21st May 2025 PGL Boreatton Park Residential Monday 12 th -Thursday 15 th May Year 6 SAT's
Whole School	
Tuesday 6th May & Tuesday 20th May. Writing morning 8:45-9:15am.	

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@stockportfoodbank.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.



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School website

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

As technology is always changing, often at a fast pace, you may have questions or concerns about the latest games or apps that your child uses at home. If you do, please click here to access a wide range of articles and guides from the Stockport Online Safety Hub. If you are still unsure, please contact your child's teacher using the year group emails.

<https://stockport.onlinesafetyhub.uk/>