



# NEWSLETTER

30th September 2022

## Headteacher Message

Dear Parent/Carers

This week a number of our Year 5 children attended a BBC filming opportunity, looking at wild flowers in the local area. This will soon be aired on BBC Newsround for all to see. As a follow up, I received an extremely complementary email from the producer stating how wonderfully well behaved and well mannered our children were. I know this is no surprise to us but it is lovely to hear from someone who works with children Nationally each and every day.

As you are all now aware, our new 'My Child at School' app has been rolled out across the school. Over time this app will continue to grow and develop allowing parents a wide range of facilities and communication tools. Soon we will be moving away from Parent Pay and all money transactions will be done through the app. This includes breakfast, after school club, trips and any other payments. If you have not yet downloaded the app or are having technical difficulties, please call into the office where we will be happy to help. Finally, can I please remind all parents to be courteous to our residents when parking outside school. Please consider leaving a few minutes earlier so you can walk a little further, rather than parking as close to school as possible and creating a hazard. Many thanks for your support.

Mr D Kenny – Executive Headteacher



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## Stars of the week

Congratulations to this week's Stars. We are very proud of you!



Louie Young

Nursery: Mila Byrne  
Harla Kandel  
Reception: Valentina Knight  
YEAR 1: Alex Burns  
YEAR 2: Lana-Belle Toner  
YEAR 3: Olivia Davies  
YEAR 4: Myles Law  
YEAR 5: Allanya Fullerton  
YEAR 6: Oscar O'Hare  
PPA: Teddy Toner  
Afterschool: Evelyn Edwards

## Terrific Timekeepers

Can we remind Parents/Carers that doors open at 8.20am. Our terrific timekeepers for this week are our Reception and Y1 pupils. Well done to those who arrived on time and ready to learn.



## Special Lunch Offer

Next Thursday is Party Box Day for lunch (filled sandwich, sausage roll, crisps, cake and a drink) at a **cost of just £1**. Children in Reception, Y1 and Y2 do not pay for this as they are already included under universal free school meals.



## Y6 Parents

Reminder - The next instalment is due to be paid through ParentPay by tonight for Pupils in Y6 who are attending this trip.



## Flu Vaccination

Please click on the below link if you would like your child to receive their annual flu vaccine in school by the NHS <https://econsent.merseycare.nhs.uk/>



## National Pizza Month

Tomorrow marks the day of National Pizza Month. National Pizza Month gives pizza lovers an entire month to celebrate this amazing food. Did you know that Americans eat 350 slices of pizza every second, and the most popular pizza topping is pepperoni.

What topping will you put on your pizza to celebrate.

YEAR	ATTENDANCE THIS WEEK:
NURSERY	89.0%
RECEPTION	91.7%
Y1	98.3%
Y2	98.3%
Y3	97.3%
Y4	99.2%
Y5	94.8%
Y6	94.3%
TOTAL	95.4%
YEAR TO DATE	<b>95.5%</b>

## Macmillan Coffee Morning?

On Monday, we are hosting our Macmillan Coffee Morning. We would love you to send in cakes or biscuits to be sold and hope to see you there for a cuppa and a cake! Your child's class time slots are on Class Dojo and on the classroom doors. If you are unable to attend, it would be great if you could send a donation with your child for when they visit the hall.

# FOCUS OF THE WEEK

Year 4 had a wonderful time at the TUBUP Workshop in Huyton Village. They made their own Ukulele and performed some songs as a band.



## Parking

Can we please remind parents/carers to park responsibly during drop off and pick up times. Please **do not** park over residents driveways obstructing them from leaving their homes. Please observe the double yellow lines on Tarbock Road and the Zig Zag markings on Twickenham Drive. Parking Enforcement Officers have contacted school regarding the congestion outside school in the morning and afternoon, so please be aware and bear this in mind when parking.



**Have you applied for your Secondary school place?**



Parents of year 6 Children  
It's time to apply for a secondary school place (year 7)  
September 2023 Intake

Knowsley residents - Apply online by visiting [www.knowsley.gov.uk](http://www.knowsley.gov.uk)

**CLOSING DATE 31ST OCTOBER 2022**

## WORDS OF THE WEEK

MATHS – Decade

ENGLISH – Authentic

## After School

Please email the school office to book your afterschool requirements. Our numbers are capped, so please remember to book, as we may not have availability on the day. **If you have booked an afterschool session and no longer require it, please email the school office ASAP.** Thank you

## LATE PICK UP FROM SCHOOL

If children are not collected at the normal pick up time of 2.50pm OR are late being collected from an afterschool activity, they will go into afterschool which is chargeable as follows:

½ hour from school close time= £3 per day  
1 hour from school close time= £5 per day  
anything after 1 hour up until 5.30pm = £10 per day  
(Late after 5.30pm - £1 for every minute late)

## Dates for your diary

**Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> October 10am – 12pm – Lord Derby Academy Open Morning**

3<sup>rd</sup> October: Macmillan Coffee Morning

18<sup>th</sup> October: School Photograph Day

31<sup>st</sup> October: Secondary School Applications deadline