



# Roby Park Primary School Newsletter

No. 15

Friday 5th January 2024

**This week's news...**

## JOIN US FOR A BOOK AND A BREW

### BOOK A BREW SESSIONS



23.1.24 - Y1/2  
24.1.24 - Y5/6  
25.1.24 - Y3/Y4  
26.1.24 - YN//YR

Come and join your child for the return of this popular event.

You will have the opportunity to share and learn more about the new and exciting books available to your child.

We will discuss the importance of reading for pleasure and how Reading Plus can serve as an effective tool to enhance reading skills.

Times can be seen in the image opposite. Sessions begin at 9.00am.

We look forward to seeing as many of you as possible joining us.

## EXTRA-CURRICULAR CLUBS

We are exceptionally pleased to be able to offer 12 extra-curricular clubs plus Y6 booster and KS2 Wellbeing Champions Club this half term, due to the generosity of staff.

There are still some spaces available, for a few clubs, so head to Parent Booking to secure your child's place.

At the point of booking, parents/carers were informed there are no clubs on 30th January and 8th February so please make sure your child is collected on these dates.



## Attendance and Punctuality

| Attendance for week commencing 3.1.24 |           |        |        |        |        |        |        |
|---------------------------------------|-----------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Nursery                               | Reception | Year 1 | Year 2 | Year 3 | Year 4 | Year 5 | Year 6 |
| 96.1%                                 | 83.9%     | 73.1%  | 90.6%  | 89.3%  | 86.1%  | 82.6%  | 94.3%  |

  

| Punctuality for week commencing: 3.1.24 |                   |                   |                   |                   |                   |             |                   |
|---|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------|-------------------|
| Nursery                                 | Reception         | Year 1            | Year 2            | Year 3            | Year 4            | Year 5      | Year 6            |
| 0 mins late                             | 5 lates = 88 mins | 2 lates = 95 mins | 3 lates = 32 mins | 2 lates = 45 mins | 3 lates = 39 mins | 0 mins late | 4 lates = 48 mins |

Whole school attendance has dramatically dropped this week to 86.6%. We expect to see an improvement on Monday. Holidays will occur warnings and £120 fine per parent per child. **There were 347 minutes of missed learning this week due to poor punctuality which needs to improve.** Parents/carers need to make sure their children don't fall behind because they are late. Gates open at 8.40am and learning starts at 8.45am. **17 children from 12 families were late this week which is an improvement from last week.** Please ensure your children do not miss out by being early. 10 unauthorised lates in the space of 10 weeks will result in a fixed penalty notice. **Please be on time.** If your child has repeatedly been late, expect contact from school and potentially a home visit from the Local Authority Attendance Team. **If your child is missing school, they are missing out on learning, enrichment experiences and time with their friends which have a negative impact upon their wellbeing.**

## Spring Term Assemblies



Please see the dates opposite for your child's class assembly, this Spring term.

Come and join us to find out all about what your child has been up to and the exciting learning that has taken place.

Our children love to share their learning and achievements with their loved ones.

Assemblies start promptly at 9.00am.

## No Mobile Phones on Site

Use of mobile phones are not permitted **anywhere** on our premises, for any reason. Please make sure mobiles are put away before entering and leaving our gates otherwise a member of staff will have to ask you to leave the premises.



## Save the Dates

A video has been shared via our socials, as well as on Class Charts, with all the key dates of upcoming events including theme days, forest school, trips and coffee mornings. Please save any relevant dates in your diary.

Keep a regular eye on Class Charts, for any possible changes or additional information.



## Autumn Attendance Prize Winners—Y1



Y1 are our Autumn attendance prize winners, meaning they had the best attendance across the school. As a treat, the whole class will be going to enjoy a morning at Space World this Monday. Children can come to school wearing their own clothes. Check out our socials to see what fun they get up to! Well done Y1!

We are now looking for our Spring winners so make sure your child has excellent school attendance to help their class mates win another spectacular trip or prize for their class.

## Arranging Meetings with Staff

A polite reminder that if parents/carers want to discuss any matters related to their child, the protocol is to call the office and arrange an appointment for a face to face meeting, which we are more than happy to organise. If you email the SENDCo or the office and are awaiting a response from a staff member, you will receive a response **within 5 working days**.



## Holiday Requests



Please make sure you complete a holiday request form if taking a holiday during term time. If we do not know where children are, they can be deemed missing in education. Paperwork can be obtained from Mrs South. Thank you.

## Uniform Expectations

A polite reminder that your child should be prepared for school and in the correct uniform every day. All uniform expectations, and school policy, can be found on the website.

## Dates for your diary

| Date    | Spring Term   Events  |
|---------|---|
| 3.1.24  | Start of term @ 8.40am  |
| 8.1.24  | Y1 Autumn Attendance Prize Winners Trip to Spaceworld             |
| 8.1.24  | Y5 WATMO Water Marks Workshop                                     |
| 10.1.24 | Y1 & Y2 Forest School Sessions                                    |
| 12.1.24 | Whole School United Utilities 'Stop the Block' Assembly           |
| 15.1.24 | #will Project for Y4/5 - 6 Week Project Begins                    |
| 16.1.24 | SEND Coffee Morning @ 9.00am                                      |
| 17.1.24 | Y3 & Y5 Forest School Sessions                                    |
| 18.1.24 | Y3 Visit to Museum of Liverpool - History of Transport Exhibition |
| 19.1.24 | Y6 Class Assembly @ 9.00am  |
| 22.1.24 | Y1 Kings & Queens Past Productions Workshop                       |
| 23.1.24 | Y1/2 Book and a Brew Session @ 9.00am                             |
| 24.1.24 | Y2 Kings & Queens Past Productions Workshop                       |
| 24.1.24 | Y4 & Y6 Forest School Sessions                                    |
| 24.1.24 | Y5/6 Book and a Brew Session @ 9.00am                             |
| 25.1.24 | Y5 Visit to Museum of Liverpool Battle of the Atlantic Exhibition |
| 25.1.24 | Wellbeing Coffee Morning @ 9.00am                                 |
| 25.1.24 | Y3/4 Book and a Brew Session @ 9.00am                             |
| 26.1.24 | YNR Book and a Brew Session @ 9.00am                              |
| 26.1.24 | Y5 Class Assembly @ 9.00am  |
| 30.1.24 | Y6 Advanced Cycling Skills Level 3 Bikeability                    |
| 30.1.24 | Y5 WATMO Exhibition for Families @ Huyton Library                 |
| 31.1.24 | YN & YR Forest School Sessions                                    |
| 2.2.24  | NSPCC Number Day  |
| 6.2.24  | Safer Internet Day  |
| 7.2.24  | Y2 & Y1 Forest School Sessions                                    |
| 8.2.24  | Y6 Trip to River Mersey Gateway to the World Exhibition           |
| 8.2.24  | Valentine's Discos  |
| 9.2.24  | Y4 Class Assembly @ 9.00am  |
| 9.2.23  | End of Term @ 3.00pm  |

**These dates are subject to change so please keep an eye on Class Charts for weekly updates.**



***If your contact details change at any time, please inform the office.  
It is important we can contact you in case of emergencies. We must have TWO emergency contacts per pupil.***

