



The Mosley Academy Newsletter

Friday 20.12.2024



Elf Day for Burton and Derby Hospital Charity

Thank you to everyone for your super efforts in supporting the Elf Day in school yesterday. You have raised a total of £152.23 for Derby and Burton Hospitals Charity! Money raised will go towards supporting funding musicians to perform to children and adults who are in hospital over the Christmas period and beyond. It will also help to fund presents for all those children in hospital on Christmas day. Lots of photos on Twitter of our elf day in school - with lots of elf mischief and laughter too!



Music Performances

We have also enjoyed a week of music and joy in school. On Tuesday, the whole school listened to various performances from our children who have been learning a musical instrument. It was a joy to hear them play so confidently. Thank you to Ania Richards for organising this and for her commitment and dedication to music at Mosley. Thank you also for organising the children who entertained everyone and welcomed our audience at the KS2 Christmas Carol.

The KS2 Carol Concert was such a wonderful performance with children enjoying being a part of the Mosley community and shining on stage for you all. We are so proud of you all children! Thank you also for the lovely comments and compliments too. These are always appreciated.

House Points

The Leopards are the winning house this term ! All house points have been counted up over the Autumn term with the final result being given in celebration assembly today.

The overall results are:

Leopards - 583 points

Sharks - 564 points

Wolves - 517 points

Orangutans - 450 points



Well done Leopards! All the winning team children joined Mrs Rowe after assembly to discuss their chosen reward afternoon activities for the new term. They have chosen an afternoon of hot chocolate, a movie and biscuits with blankets, bean bags and just one big chill out! On Friday 10th January, please can leopards bring in something to help them just chill in the hall!

New Intake Tour

Our last new intake tour before the admissions deadline for September 2025 is on January 9th at 1.45pm. Please book in via the main office.

Staffing News

Mrs Kirkpatrick leaves us today after three years at Mosley as Data and Administration Officer. Mrs Kirkpatrick has grown so much in her role and we are so grateful for all that she has done to support the school. The children shared a long list of all the helpful things that Mrs Kirkpatrick does at school - from Young Voices choir rehearsals to monitoring everyone's attendance, to checking registers and making sure that everyone who enters our school is a safe visitor! Well done children for all your thoughts about Mrs Kirkpatrick's busy job role! Mrs Kirkpatrick will be moving to be the Office Services Manager for another local school. We wish you all the good luck and happiness Mrs Kirkpatrick and will miss you! Mrs Taylor will be starting with us in the office straight after the Christmas holidays.



Mr Hussein

Earlier in the week we let our Year 5 parents know that Mr Hussein has decided to reduce his hours after Christmas and work part time until February half term, and then move on to a new career outside of teaching. The class will have a job share between Mr Hussein and a new teacher to the school, Mrs Smith. After February half term, Miss Luce will also be returning from her maternity leave and will begin to increase her hours back to a full time return for September. She will be teaching Year 5 later on next term too.



Attendance Awards

We have 65 children who have achieved 100% attendance this term. Well done! All 65 children have received a special Little Heroes certificate to celebrate their success! Keep it up children!



Christmas Events at Holy Trinity Church, Anslow

Holy Trinity Church are holding the following Christmas services.

Sun 22nd Dec 11.15am - Nativity Service (children are welcome to dress as Nativity characters!)

Tues 24th Dec 8pm - Bethlehem Communion (Mulled Wine served at 7.30pm)

Our Mosley families will be very welcome at any of these services should you wish to attend. Reverend Dave will be leading the services.



Wishing you all a wonderful Christmas and New Year. Thank you for all of your support, kind words, gifts for staff and just general brilliance in being such a supportive community. We're are very grateful to you for working with the school and helping everyone to be their best! Thank you.

*Have a great break and we look forward to seeing all children return to school on **Tuesday 7th January 2025!***



STARS

OF

THE

WEEK!

CONGRATULATIONS TO...

Rec	Amelia
Y1	Zoe
Y2	Zidan
Y3	Joey
Y4	James
Y5	Alex
Y6	Hunter

ATTENDANCE Target 97.5%

Year Group	This Week Attendance %	Days Missed This Week
Rec	98.2	2.5
Year 1	96.7	4.5
Year 2	93.7	8.5
Year 3	97.9	3
Year 4	95.7	6
Year 5	92.4	11
Year 6	96.8	4.5
Whole School	95.9	40

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HERE EVERY DAY READY ON TIME

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Whole School Year to Date Attendance

96.8%

500.5 days missed so far this year

Diary Dates 2024 - 2025

Any changes made from the previous week will be marked in red

DATE	YEAR	EVENT
Fri 20th Dec	ALL	Break Up for Christmas 2.30pm
Mon 22nd Dec - Fri 3rd Jan	ALL	Christmas Holidays
Mon 6th Jan	ALL	INSET Day - School Closed to Children
Tues 7th Jan	ALL	Children Return to School
Thurs 9th Jan	NA	Reception Intake 2025 Tour 1.45pm (Booking Required)
Fri 10th Jan	Leopards	House Reward Afternoon - bring a bean bag or something to chill with!
Fri 24th Jan	Y2	Y2 Parent Lunch
Fri 31st Jan	Y3,4,5,6	Young Voices (those signed up only)
Mon 3rd Feb - Fri 7th Feb	ALL	Children's Mental Health Week
Tues 11th Feb	ALL	Internet Safety Day
Fri 14th Feb	ALL	Break Up for Half Term
Mon 17th Feb - Fri 21st Feb	ALL	Half Term
Mon 24th Feb	ALL	Return to School
Fri 28th Feb	Y3	Y3 Parent Lunch
Thurs 6th Mar	ALL	World Book Day
Fri 14th Mar	Y4	Y4 Parent Lunch
Fri 4th Apr	Y5	Y5 Parent Lunch
Fri 11th Apr	ALL	Break Up for Easter
Mon 14th Apr - Fri 25th Apr	ALL	Easter Holidays
Mon 28th Apr	ALL	Return to School

DATE	YEAR	EVENT
Fri 2nd May	ALL	May Day Celebrations
Mon 5th May	ALL	May Bank Holiday - School Closed
Mon 12th May -	Y6	SATs Week
Fri 23rd May	ALL	Break Up for Half Term
Mon 26th May - Fri	ALL	Half Term
Mon 2nd Jun	ALL	Return to School
Mon 16th Jun	Y3/Y4	WCET Violin and Ukulele Concert, Birmingham
Fri 20th Jun	ALL	Sports Day and Summer Fair
Wed 2nd Jul	Rec,	Seaside Day EYFS and KS1
Thurs 3rd Jul	Y3,4,5,	Seaside Day KS2
Fri 4th Jul	ALL	INSET Day - School Closed to Children
Wed 9th Jul	KS2	Summer Music Showcase
Tues 15th Jul	ALL	Move Up Morning and Meet the Teacher (3.30pm-
Fri 18th Jul	ALL	Break Up for Summer Holidays
Mon 21st Jul	ALL	INSET Day - School Closed to Children
Tues 22nd Jul - Fri	ALL	Summer Holidays

95%	=	40 LESSONS MISSED EACH YEAR 8 days in total or 1 week and 3 days	ATTENDANCE MATTERS WHAT DO YOUR ATTENDANCE FIGURES ACTUALLY MEAN? BE SMART BE THERE! <small>Percentages based on 190 academic days</small>
90%	=	80 LESSONS MISSED EACH YEAR 16 days in total or 3 weeks and 1 day	
85%	=	120 LESSONS MISSED EACH YEAR 24 days in total or 4 weeks and 4 days	
80%	=	160 LESSONS MISSED EACH YEAR 32 days in total or 6 weeks and 2 days	

BELL INN ANSLOW
PRESENTS

CHRISTMAS

Bonkers

BINGO

WITH

DAVE O'HARA

&

PAULA THE CALLER

TICKETS £20

INCLUDES ALL GAME TICKETS

FRIDAY | DOORS 6.30PM
20TH DEC | EYES DOWN 7PM

TICKETS AVAILABLE ONLINE

[HTTPS://WWW.TICKETSOURCE.CO.UK
/ANSLOW-PUB-COMPANY-LTD](https://www.ticketsource.co.uk/anslow-pub-company-ltd)





Festive Football Fun for
Children in School Years 1 to 6

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ALL CHILDCARE VOUCHERS ACCEPTED

FESTIVE HOLIDAY COURSES

ETWALL LEISURE CENTRE

Hilton Road, Etwall, DE65 6HZ INDOOR VENUE



Monday 23rd December

Thursday 2nd January

Friday 3rd January



9.00AM - 3.30PM



Fun football programme



Ball skills, shooting games, team events and themed tournaments



Highly qualified & trained coaching staff



End of course presentation

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From 24th December

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- If you live in Staffordshire*
 - If you smoke tobacco products
 - If you are pregnant, or have had a pregnancy within the last 6 months
 - If you live with someone who is pregnant, or has had a pregnancy within the last 6 months
 - If you live with a child aged 0-3 years old



What do I do now?

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How can smoking harm you and your family?

Smoking can cause serious harmful effects to the whole household.



Tobacco smoke can contain over 4000 harmful chemicals, which are inhaled through the cigarette. Secondhand smoke exposure can just be as harmful to others around you, especially children.

Short term second hand smoke exposure

- Eye irritation
- Headaches
- Coughs
- Sore Throat
- Dizziness
- Nausea
- Decline in lung function in asthmatics

Long term second hand smoke exposure

Lung Cancer	Increase by 20-30% in non smokers
Coronary Heart Disease	Increase 25-35% in non smokers
Sudden Infant Death Syndrome (SIDS)	45% more likely
Stroke	Increased risk by 20-30%
Asthma/Respiratory illness in children	Increased risk by 30%
Meningitis (Invasive meningococcal disease)	Risk is doubled

- **Children** are 4 times as likely to take up smoking if they live in a smoking household
- **Pets** - Secondhand smoke can affect pets and can cause breathing problems, or make your pet's existing breathing problems worse. Due to the toxic gases, this will increase certain types of cancers, such as lung, nose, mouth cancers and lymphoma.

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