The Mosley Academy Newsletter

Friday 15th March 2024

Next Week...

A busy last week of the spring term lies ahead! A reminder of what is happening is below.

• Wed 20th March - Reception trip to National Forest Adventure Farm and Y4 trip to Twycross Zoo. Please see the letters previously sent out for details, and make payment via Weduc as soon as possible. Payment is taken as consent for your child to attend and without this we may be unable take them on the trip.

- Wed 20th March Y1 Phonics Screening Parent Workshop. This will take place in the school hall at 9am.
- Friday 22nd March Easter Bonnet Parade (Rec, Y1 and Y2), and 'Eggscellent Eggshibition' (Y3,4,5,6). Children are invited to make an Easter bonnet or an egg scene in a shoe box, depending on their year group. These will be displayed/paraded on the playground at 9am on Friday 22nd March, and all parents are welcome to stay for this.
- Friday 22nd March break up for Easter. School will close at 2.30pm.

Doughnut Sale

Thank you to everyone who supported the PTA doughnut sale last week. We hope you enjoyed them! The sale was a huge success and managed to raise £275. Many thanks to the PTA, and to our school community, for your ongoing support - it is always appreciated.



Y4 and Y5 Parent Lunches

Payment is now set up for the Y4 and Y5 Parent Lunches taking place in April. Please see the table below for dates and make your booking via Weduc by the payment date given. Places are limited to one parent per child. Thank you.

| Year Group | Lunch Date | Payment Due Date |
|------------|--------------------------|-------------------|
| Year 4 | Friday 12th April (12pm) | Friday 22nd March |
| Year 5 | Friday 26th April (12pm) | Friday 12th April |

OPAL News

The children have discovered a love of den making this week at playtimes, with all sorts of fabulous creations springing up! If anyone has any old bedsheets, washing pegs, or large cardboard boxes that are no longer needed, they would be warmly welcomed. Thank you.



Science and Sporting Success!

Congratulations to our Y5 team who attended the JTMAT Science Quiz at John Taylor High School and emerged as the winners! Fantastic teamwork on display - well done to you all.





Huge congratulations must also go to our children who attended the indoor canoeing events this week, winning medals aplenty and showing sportsmanship, resilience and kindness in abundance. Well done to you all - we are very proud of you.



Dates for your Diary 2023 - 2024

Although we have compiled this list to give you as much information as possible, dates may be subject to change if necessary.

| March | |
|-------------|----------------------------------------------------|
| Wed 20th | Y1 Phonics Screening Workshop for Parents - 9am |
| Wed 20th | Reception trip to National Forest Adventure Farm |
| Wed 20th | Y4 trip to Twycross Zoo |
| Fri 22nd | Easter Bonnet Parade and Decorate an Egg scene |
| | Competition |
| Fri 22nd | Exceptional Achievement Award celebration for any |
| | nominated children. |
| Fri 22nd | It's Good to Be Green Enrichment morning and Break |
| | Up for Easter—School will close at 2.30pm. |
| EASTER HOLS | |

April

Mon 8th Back to School

Thurs 11th PTA Chocolate Bingo Fri 12th Year 4 Parent Lunch

Mon 15th School Photos - Rec and Y6 (Groups)

Thurs 18th Y1 Trip to Peak Wildlife Park

Fri 26th Year 5 Parent Lunch

May

Thurs 2nd Governors' Meeting

Fri 3rd May Day Celebrations

Mon 6th Bank Holiday Mon 13th- Thurs Y6 SATS week

16th

Tues 14th JTMAT Drama Excellence Showcase at the Lichfield Garrick -

Invited Students

Thurs 23rd Mosley House Rewards morning and Children Break Up

Fri 24th Inset Day

HALF TERM

June

Mon 3rd Back to school

TBC National School Sports Week
Wed 12th Y2 Trip to Tamworth Castle
Fri 14th Father's Day Lunch EYFS/KS1

Mon 17th Father's Day Lunch KS2 Wed 19th Governors' Meeting

Fri 21st Sports Day and Summer fair

Fri 28th Year 6 Parent Lunch

July

Wed 3rd EYFS & KS1 Seaside Day

Fri 5th JTMAT INSET Day - School is closed to pupils

Thurs 11th Summer Showcase- KS2 Musicians

Thurs 18th Good to be Green Enrichment morning

Fri 19th Break Up for Summer—School will close at 2.30pm

Mon 22nd Inset

SUMMER HOLS

September 2024

Mon 2nd Inset Day

Attendance - Target 97% or above

A few missed days of school can soon add up....

| Year Group | Days Missed This Week | This Week Attendance % | Days Missed This Year | Year to Date Attendance % |
|--------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------|
| Rec | 3 | 98.0 | 101 | 97.1 |
| Year 1 | 7 | 95.0 | 156.5 | 95.2 |
| Year 2 | 5 | 96.7 | 87.5 | 97.5 |
| Year 3 | 16 | 89.3 | 141 | 96.0 |
| Year 4 | 16 | 90.0 | 242.5 | 93.5 |
| Year 5 | 8.5 | 94.5 | 109 | 97.0 |
| Year 6 | 4.5 | 97.0 | 98.5 | 97.2 |
| Whole School | 60 | 94.4 | 936 | 96.2 |

| 0 days of school | 100% | Perfection |
|-----------------------------------------|------|----------------|
| Equates to 2 days off school each year | 99% | Excellent |
| Equates to 5 days off school each year | 97% | Good |
| Equates to 10 days off school each year | 95% | Slight Concern |
| Equates to 20 days off school each year | 90% | Concerned |
| Equates to 30 days off school each year | 85% | Very Concerned |

Weeks beginning: 22nd Jan 19th Feb 11th Mar

| WEEK 1 | MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY |
|-----------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------|
| Main dish | Macaroni cheese | Pork sausage with creamy mash potato 8 gravy | Roast beef with Yorkshire puddings, roast potatoes & gravy | Spanish chicken in a tomato sauce with 50/50 rice | Crispy fish fingers with chunky chips |
| Vegetarian Main dish | Vegetarian cottage pie | Marinated Quorn™ pitta with baked potato wedges | Quorn™ fillet with roast potatoes & gravy | Tomato 8 roasted vegetable pasta | Crispy vegetable fingers with chunky chips |
| Accompaniments | Cauliflower & broccoli Salad bar | Peas 8 carrots Salad bar | Green beans & cabbage Salad bar | Sweetcorn 8 broccoli Salad bar | Peas 8 baked beans Salad bar |
| Desserts | Chocolate 8 pear sponge with custard | Apple crumble 8 custard | Flapjack | Carrot cake | Chocolate 8 orange cookie |
| Fresh fruit or yoghurt | Fresh fruit or Yoghurt | Fresh fruit or Yoghurt | Fresh or Yoghurt | Fresh fruit or Yoghurt | Fresh fruit or Yoghurt |
| Jacket potato and sandwich selection | Jacket potato and sandwich selection | Jacket potato and sandwich selection | Jacket potato and sandwich selection | Jacket potato and sandwich selection | Jacket potato and sandwich selection |

Weeks
beginning:
8th Jan
29th Jan
26th Feb
18th Mar

| MEEK 5 | MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY |
|-----------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------|
| Main dish | Margherita pizza with baked potato wedges | Mexican chilli with 50/50 rice | Roast pork with creamy mash potato & gravy | НАРРҮ | Crispy battered fish & chunky chips |
| Vegetarian Main dish | Sweet potato & vegetable casserole | Vegetable stir fry with chicken style pieces and 50/50 rice | Quorn™ 6 tomato bake with mash potatoes | EASTER MENU & LUCKY PLATE | Vegan sausage 8 chunky chips |
| Accompaniments | Peas & carrots Salad bar | Corn on the cob & broccoli Salad bar | Carrots & parsnips Salad bar | Please see the next page | Peas & baked beans |
| Desserts | Fruit pie & custard | Chocolate & banana slice | Zesty lemon muffin | for details! | Fresh fruit 8 whip |
| Fresh fruit or yoghurt | Fresh fruit or Yoghurt | Fresh fruit or Yoghurt | Fresh fruit or Yoghurt | Fresh fruit or Yoghurt | Fresh fruit or Yoghurt |
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Weeks beginning:
15th Jan
5th Feb
4th Mar

| MEEK 3 | MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY |
|-----------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------|
| Main dish | Creamy tomato pasta | All day breakfast | Roast turkey with mashed potato & gravy | BBQ chicken with baked potato wedges | Crispy battered fish 8 chunky chips |
| Vegetarian Main dish | Cheese pinwheels with half a jacket potato | Vegetarian chilli with 50/50 rice | Vegetarian toad in the hole served with mashed potato | Vegetarian pasta bake | Quorn™ nuggets with chunky chips |
| Accompaniments | Peas & carrots Salad bar | Baked beans & broccoli Salad bar | Green beans 8 cauliflower Salad bar | Roasted vegetables Salad bar | Peas & sweetcorn Salad bar |
| Desserts | Chocolate brownie | Jam & coconut sponge | Fruit cobbler & custard | Spiced apple cake | Oaty biscuit with fresh fruit |
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MAIN COURSE

Battered Chicken Breast Burger in a Soft Bun Quorn fillet in a soft bun Potato wedges Baked beans Peas

Jacket Potatoes and various sandwiches available

DESSERT

Bunny and Chick shortbread biscuits Chocolate egg nests

Also Lucky Plate – win an Easter Egg! Thursday 21/03/24



Keeping children safe online

A Parent's Guide to Cyberbullying







Many young people who are victims of cyberbullying suffer in silence.

They feel they can't turn to parents or a trusted adult for support as they fear they may get in trouble or have their devices taken away from them. It can carry on all day, all evening and all weekend for the world to see, causing a lot of emotional stress to the victim and their family.



scan the QR code with your phone's camera for Parent Guides on how to help keep your children safe online



It can very quickly lead to the victim feeling trapped, scared and vulnerable to grooming and blackmail.



Online safety is when young people know who they can tell if they feel upset by something that has happened online.

Parents please contact your school to enquire attending their next e-safety workshop or have any concerns.

Working with Home Office 'PREVENT', The Police and Crime Commissioner and Children's Safeguarding Partnerships to help keep children safe online.

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HOPE Peer Support

Here for Parents

Being a parent can be challenging especially when our children are struggling with their emotional well-being. We think we're getting it wrong, feel alone and have nowhere to turn.

If your child or young person is struggling with anxiety, low mood or depression, stress or overwhelming emotions, it can be really hard to get the support you need as a parent.



Could you benefit from speaking to another parent who has gone through a similar experience?

A HOPE Parent Friend can offer you a confidential weekly call, video call or email and will listen with empathy, understanding and without judgement.

Our HOPE parent friends are vetted, trained and fully supervised volunteers

To find out more contact your HOPE mentor in school or Keddie on:

> keddieHOPE2021@outlook.com 07508 176043







AWESOME ANIMALS

A free, flexible, 4-week online, family learning course

Starting Friday 19th April 2024
For families in Staffordshire, with children aged 3-8

Your family will receive a fantastic weekly email activity pack, full of themed ideas to try at times to suit you! From crafts, to cooking, to activities to help local wildlife, we will support you to adapt the activities for your family.

- Is your child curious about animals?
- Are you looking for something flexible to do as a family around work and school?
- Would you like to support your child to develop a wide range of skills, as well an early love of the natural world?

Book Now!

For more information and to reserve your place contact
Rebecca on 07525 120117 or
communityforestservices@gmail.com







Free 6 week online course starting Tuesday 16th April 2024. Connect with nature, relax, have fun.

Using the outdoors as inspiration we're offering multi sensory activities to support you and baby to explore the wonder of nature. Designed to develop movement and co-ordination, stimulate the senses and encourage an early connection with nature.

Staffordshire families can book on this course for free, to access weekly activity ideas straight to your inbox and online resources to support your learning. On completion of the 12 hour course you will receive a certificate and kit to continue your nature adventures together! Suitable for parents and carers with babies aged 3 months to 2 years.

For more information and to reserve your place contact Rebecca on 07525 120117 or communityforestservices@gmail.com

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BASED ON THE TV SERIES BY RAYMOND ALLEN

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