



29th March 2021

## WEEK EVENTS

Dear Parent / Carer,

This week we arrive at another milestone as we (hopefully) navigate our way out of the pandemic.

The message of joy, hope and Good News has never been more welcome in our lives and the events of Easter week are an invitation for all of us to pause and reflect. As a Church school, we will be focusing on the events of Holy Week in the coming days within our classes. Many thanks to Fr Ian Blay and Rev Scott Manning for their enriching talks throughout the year.

The children are looking forward to eating chocolate Easter eggs, but as a Faith community we want them to develop a deeper understanding of the symbols of Easter. Their natural curiosity is an invitation to develop this understanding at home as a family. Could the bedtime story this week be a Bible story??

Thank you for your ongoing co-operation with drop-off and pick-up. Afternoons are particularly difficult and I know many parents are juggling many different factors. Please know that we have considered all practical options to ensure a smooth dismissal and we continue to take feedback all the time. Our sole motivation is safety of the children and adults. Therefore, I would be very grateful if all adults continue to wear masks, keep a safe distance and avoid congregating wherever possible.

Rec and KS1 will be holding online parents evenings this week and KS2 in the first week back. This will give teachers the chance to talk to you about how children have settled back and an overview of academics. Please be aware that the online appointments are staggered at 10mins each and therefore if there is an issue which requires a detailed conversation, please arrange this outside the parents evening forum. This ensures a common courtesy to all our parents in that appointments do not overrun significantly.

To continue fundraising for our ELSA (Mental Health and Wellbeing) Pod, this Wednesday will be a PTA Non-Uniform day with a donation of your own choice. The benefits of supporting our children with their wellbeing is hugely important at this time. I know this is a theme close to many parents hearts.

Wishing you all a joyful Easter.

Damien Stenson  
Headteacher

## GOLDEN CERTIFICATE

Reception - Paige H  
Year 1 - Poppy W  
Year 2 - Felicity N  
Year 3 - Oscar K  
Year 4 - Haniah T  
Year 5 - Elise M  
Year 6 - Guy A

All these pupils gave 100% in their studies last week.

## ATTENDANCE

Reception – 99.31%  
Year 1 – 97.50%  
Year 2 – 97.04%  
Year 3 – 97.93%  
Year 4 – 98.67%  
Year 5 – 95.71%  
Year 6 – 100.00%

Congratulations to Year Reception winners in Key Stage One and Year 6 our Key Stage Two winners.

## GOOD TO BE GREEN

Reception - Hope J  
Year 1 - Isla O-M  
Year 2 - Ted L  
Year 3 - Joseph W-H  
Year 4 - Theo T  
Year 5 - Connie H-N  
Year 6 - Ronnie B  
All of these pupils kept our Golden Rules last week.

## VIP

### Values In Practice

Our VIP's this week, proudly wearing the red sweatshirts for demonstrating our Christian Values, will be:  
Reception - Harry L (Friendship and Respect)  
Year 1 - Aaron A (Respect)  
Year 2 - Freddie I (Perseverance)  
Year 3 - Martiya G (Friendship)  
Year 4 - Isabella B (Perseverance)  
Year 5 - Amelie A (Compassion)  
Year 6 - Beth R (Perseverance)

## WINNING HOUSE

Green – 299  
Wilfrid – 289  
Griffin – 279  
Mallory – 278

Congratulations to Green our winners for the week ending 26th March 2021.

## TIMES TABLES & PEN LICENCES

Congratulations to Mollie H who has received her Pen Licence.

Well done Mollie!



## OTHER NEWS

### Upcoming Schedule of Events

W/C 29/03/2021

30/03/2020 – Year 5 Samba Drumming (Lunchtime)

31/03/2021 – Own clothes day (bright colours to Represent the colours of the ELSA Pod).

01/04/2021 – Break up for Easter Holidays

**PARENTS EVENINGS FOR KS1** Mon 29/3, Tues 30/3 & Weds 31/3

W/C 19/04/2021

19/04/2021 – Return to School

20/04/2021 – Year 5 Samba Drumming (Lunchtime)

20/04/2021 – WFA After School Football (Y4 – 6)

21/04/2021 – WFA After School Football (Y1 – 3)

**PARENTS EVENINGS FOR KS2** Mon 19/4, Tues 20/4 & Weds 21/4

### School Vegetable Garden

We are currently re planting our school vegetable garden and wondered if anyone has any plants they would be willing to donate!

We are looking for any vegetable plants (not potato or onion as we already have these ), any herbs or strawberry/raspberry canes.

Thanking you in advance.

### Used Stamps

Please remember to cut off your used postage stamps and send them into Mrs Haselden in the school office. These will be sent off to raise funds for the Air Ambulance Trust.

Thank you.

### FRIENDS OF MOBBERLEY PTA

The PTA has a new page on Facebook which lists nearly new Mobberley school uniform. Please have a look and message the Facebook page with what you would like to buy (for a small voluntary donation). The items are all in great condition. If you would like to donate uniform please make sure it is clean and with all buttons and no signs of wear or bobbling.

[https://www.facebook.com/100214185173934/posts/100245185170834/?extid=n6p6649lRrPXjcvJd&substory\\_index=0&d=n](https://www.facebook.com/100214185173934/posts/100245185170834/?extid=n6p6649lRrPXjcvJd&substory_index=0&d=n)

### Lateral Flow Tests

A reminder that all parents are now entitled to access Lateral Flow Tests. Details of how tests can be obtained below,

<https://www.gov.uk/guidance/rapid-lateral-flow-testing-for-households-and-bubbles-of-school-pupils-and-staff>

By testing twice a week, we can keep Covid rates down in Mobberley and asymptomatic carriers can be identified.

### **Messages in School**

Just a quick reminder that any messages that need to be relayed to class teachers/school office must be sent in by e mail or telephone in order to minimise contact in school.

If your child is going to be absent please email the school office [admin@mobberley.cheshire.sch.uk](mailto:admin@mobberley.cheshire.sch.uk).

### **Breakfast Club**

**Due to a recent increase in numbers the decision has been taken by Governors to continue Breakfast Club for the foreseeable future for so long as numbers permit.**

Breakfast club is now operating from 7.30am each morning. Places are limited to 15, places will be issued on a first-come-first served basis.

Please contact Penny Norbury at [afterschool@mobberley.cheshire.sch.uk](mailto:afterschool@mobberley.cheshire.sch.uk) to book places and avoid disappointment if morning provision is important to you. Places are currently available in both Breakfast Club and After School Club.

### **Painting Shirts**

There are 2 white plastic bins under the wooden shelter. If you have any old shirts we could really do with some for covering up whilst painting. Any donations would be most welcome.

