

FLORENCE MELLY COMMUNITY PRIMARY SCHOOL

WEEKLY NEWSI

CELEBRATING ANOTHER SPECIAL WEEK AT OUR OUTSTANDING SCHOOL!



WORLD BOOK DAY CELEBRATIONS!

Staff and children celebrated 25 years of World Book Day in style this week! We continued to confirm our committed to exposing our children to high quality, relevant and meaningful texts by immersing the children in books about our natural environment. As well as dressing up and competing to see who could create the best potato book character, there were many fun activities on offer: emotional literacy, sharing books, food technology, drama, artwork, meditation and even some discussion about the importance of hugging trees. Everyone spent a wonderful day enjoying books together. At Florence Melly, we simply adore reading.



IMPORTANT DATES!

07/03/22 Cross Country Race at Sefton Park (3:30 - 5:30pm)

> 08/04/22 The children

finish for the Easter holidays

25/04/22 The children

return to school after the Easter break

For more important dates, please visit the '<u>parent zone</u>' of our school website!





















ATTENDANCE MATTERS!

Nursery (97.4%)

Year 2 (96.1%)

Year 3 (94.3%)

Year 5 (94.3%)

Year 4 (93.1%)

Reception (93.0%)

Year 1 (92.5%)

Year 6 (90.9%)

93.3% Whole-School attendance this week!

Global Scouse Day 2022

What a fabulous time our Year 4 pupils had with @AppleofmyEyepl this week bring their Design Technology and SMSC lessons alive as they celebrated Global Scouse Day! Is there really a better day than that? The children cooked up a feast and scoffed mounds of delicious Scouse with crusty bread and cabbage. Needless to say, we are very proud of our vibrant city here at Florence Melly!

A Memorable Learning Experience - Lifting the Carabao Cup!

Over the past week, groups of our Year 4 and 5 pupils have had the amazing opportunity to visit Anfield to work with the Liverpool Foundation and Red Neighbours initiatives. As part of these enrichment trips, some of our pupils and staff caught a glimpse of the newest addition to the bursting trophy cabinet! A truly memorable experience for all involved as they got their hands on the Carabao Cup!

Supporting the Polskie Merseyside Ukraine Appeal

This week, we have been overwhelmed by the incredibly generous response to the appeal launched by Polskie Merseyside, to help the Ukrainian people displaced by war, arriving over the border into Poland. We delivered over 80 bin bags of supplies to their Headquarters in Walton. We pride ourselves on modelling kindness and helping where possible here at our school, and it was incredible to see so many families with the very same intention. Thank you for your support!

National Lottery Community Funding

Just to let you all know, we were successful in securing £10,000 of funding for a new allotment and nature area on the school playground, to help support our community's mental health and well-being! We will be working closely with our Junior Leadership Team, Eco Warriors, Eco Staff Team and Parent Focus Group in the coming weeks to plan, design and start the building work!

Mr Leach's Weekly Book Recommendation

This week, Mr Leach has been reading 'The Shark Caller' by Zillah Bethell. It has been guite a busy week in school so Mr Leach confessed that he hasn't guite finished this treasure of an adventure story just yet but he is throughly enjoying it! The Shark Caller is a spellbinding adventure story of friendship, forgiveness and bravery, set on the shores of Papua New Guinea - where the author was born and raised! It is perfect for Upper Key Stage 2 pupils! See what all the fuss is about and grab a copy for yourself! Mr Leach has bough copies for school and placed them in the book vending machine to be won as prizes!

Head over to our Twitter and Flickr feeds for more news and photos! You won't regret it!



IF YOU CAN DREAM IT, YOU CAN DO IT!

