



Liverpool College PRIMARY NEWSLETTER



Friday 26th January 2024

Bedtime Readers 2024

Our Wednesday evening was filled with hot chocolate, biscuits, and bedtime stories! In our reading spaces, children from Reception to Chapter Six got cosy in their pyjamas and enjoyed some of their favourite stories. A highlight for Chapter Three was Mr Broekman reading from Roald Dahl's 'The Twits'. Chapter Two enjoyed joining in with Miss Clark as she read 'The Great Aaa-Ooo' by Jonny Lambert. Upper key stage two were silent as they listened to how October's life flipped upside down on her eleventh birthday in Katya Balen's 'October, October'. A fun evening for all!





Headteacher's Award

Well done to the following pupils who were given Headteacher's Award certificates this week.

Ayaan M-N, Killian D, Clementine D, Robin R, Heidi McC, Zain M, Eden T, Scarlett B-J, Dylan R, Hugo M, Finn B, Joseph G-Mc, Omari M, James R, Rose D-V, Hallie M, Audrey T, Zaina B, Esme M, Omar H, Ella W, Jacob Q, Eliza F, Will M, Kiana H, James K, Jack C-P, Rose M, Dolly C, Bailey S, Max H, Darcy G, Isaac O'H, Eva L, Tobias F, Hugo W, Rowan C, Issah O. Maysoun Q, SultanA-M, Joseph S, Alex N

Attendance for week commencing

Reception	94.2 %
Year 1	95.5%
Year 2	99.1%
Year 3	94.8%
Year 4	96.2%
Year 5	95.6%
Year 6	96.5%

Number Ninjas

A huge well done to our new Number Ninjas in Reception. We have an exciting responsibility to award 6 of our reception pupils. These pupils can be relied on to accurately count and help out with maths tasks around school. They were awarded their Number Ninja badges in assembly last week. Here they are looking happy with their new badges.



HOW ILL DO KIDS NEED TO BE TO NOT GO TO SCHOOL?				
Sore throat SEND TO SCHOOL	Cough SEND TO SCHOOL	Runny nose SEND TO SCHOOL	Temperature STAY AT HOME	Cold sores SEND TO SCHOOL
Conjunctivitis SEND TO SCHOOL	Head lice SEND TO SCHOOL	Threadworms SEND TO SCHOOL	Scarlet fever STAY AT HOME	Vomiting and diarrhoea STAY AT HOME

Year 3 pupils have been having lots of fun in the Spanish lunchtime club with Ruth Miguel, the Spanish assistant from Upper School. Groups will change again soon so that more Year 3 pupils can take part.



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A big well done to the pupils who were chosen to enter a Lowry art competition, we wish you the best of luck!



A huge congratulations to Jacob in year 6 who was a runner up in a national art competition. The Lion King production challenged pupils to create their own costume and mask, Jacob you did a fantastic job!



Girl's Football News

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Well done to Audrey 3Q who performed in the Topaz Dancentre Dance Show this weekend. She is pictured with the medal she received after two nights of performances.

**VOLUNTEERS
NEEDED!**

Call for all parents,
careers,
grandparents and
volunteers!

We are looking for volunteers to read one-on-one with children across the primary phase or read to whole classes as part one of our mystery readers!

If you are interested, contact Miss Finnegan using the email address below.
Thanks!

jfinnegan@liverpoolcollege.org.uk



Well done to Myles 2P who recently entered the "Sandee" novice Open Championship. Myles won his category.



Well done to Pippa who has completed her Swim! 3 certification and is ready to start her Swim! 4 group next week



Felicity in 1R has recently achieved great success in swimming completing all her Duckling stages and even Level 1! We are very proud of her commitment to learn this important skill.

Reception News

Reception had a lovely morning on Wednesday 24th January when the Fire Service visited Liverpool College. The children had fun sitting inside the fire engine and pretending to be fire fighters using the equipment. A big Thank You to Nia's dad for organising this event.



PTA News



SHARE
Ramadan
FEAST & IFTAR
MENU

STARTERS:
Samosa (meat and veg)
Seekh kebabs chicken
Chicken drumsticks

MAINS:
Biryani (chicken)
Lamb curry
Veg Curry
Naan
Raita/yogurt salad

KIDS MENU:
Pizza
Chicken Nuggets
Chips

DESSERT:
Gulab jamun
Ice cream

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SCAN FOR TICKETS



LIVERPOOL COLLEGE PTA
FOOD FESTIVAL

SATURDAY 18TH MAY 2024
12-5PM LAST ENTRY 4PM

LIVERPOOL COLLEGE MV HALL,
QUEENS DRIVE, MOSSLEY HILL, L18 8BG

TICKETS SOLD ONLINE VIA LINK/QR CODE -

ADULTS: £3 CHILDREN: £1
CHILDREN UNDER 2: FREE

COME AND JOIN US!

FEATURING LOTS OF LOVELY FOOD STALLS,
INCLUDING, INDIAN CUISINE, WELSH CAKES,
BAKERY, CREPES, BURGERS, WRAPS, CHIPS,
SWEETS, HOT DOGS, AND MANY, MANY MORE
AS WELL AS A BAR, CAFE, RAFFLE, TOMBOLA,
FACE PAINTING, GAMES.

[HTTPS://WWW.TICKETSOURCE.CO.UK/LIVERPOOL-COLLEGE-PTA/T-GAEJAN](https://www.ticketsource.co.uk/liverpool-college-pta/t-gaejjan)

Share Ramadan tickets are available to purchase on <https://www.ticketsource.co.uk/liverpool-college-pta/lc-pta-bounce-house/2024-01-20/17:30/t-krlevz> . We have a mouthwatering menu, Karak Chai for after and multiple desserts for those with a sweet tooth, you'll find more information in our newsletter

Tickets for the food festival are available online from today. We're pleased to announce that with its success last year, the Food festival is back with more vendors and variety! You can purchase your tickets here <https://www.ticketsource.co.uk/liverpool-college-pta/t-gaejjan>

Dates for your Diary

Date	Event
12 th - 16 th February	Half Term
21 st February	Book Look
21 st - 23 rd February	Y4 Residential to Barnstondale
26 th - 28 th February	Y5 residential to Robinwood
25 th -27 th March	School Play - High School Musical
28 th March	End of Term
16 th April	Children return back to school
23 rd - 25 th April	Reception Screening More information to follow nearer the time

Spring Term Primary Assemblies

Date	Event
31 st January	Year 4Q
7 th February	Year 4R
9 th February	Year 1R
28 th February	Year 3Q
8 th March	Year 1P
13 th March	Year 3P
20 th March	Year 3R



love the journey

Chapter 1

In Chapter 1, 1P and 1R have been continuing to develop their drawing, turn taking and sharing skills through Lego, Draw with Rob and board games. They have also continued to get fit with Joe Wicks. Meanwhile, Chapter 1Q have been learning about Robert Burns and Burns Night ready for their class assembly this Friday. They have learnt some Burns poems and even some Scottish dancing!

Chapter 2

This week, Chapter 2 have continued their mindfulness journey by learning about positive attitudes. We discussed the difference between being 'half full' and 'half empty' and how this can affect our moods each day. We went on to design positive thinking caps which we decorated with joyful colours and inspirational quotes. A particular favourite quote was, "A bad mood is like a flat tyre; you can't go anywhere until you change it."

Chapter 3

This week in Year 3, we have been learning a Korean folk song called Arirang, in preparation for Young Voices. The children have also enjoyed learning the Walking Medley, including songs such as These Boots Are Made For Walking, Lambeth Way and Walking On Sunshine. We have responded to our Year 5 pen pals and are eagerly awaiting our replies. The children are really excited by this activity and love that they can meet their Pen pal in person at break times.

Chapter 4

Another great week of LC+ in Year 4! In 'Learn a Language', we discussed Italian foods (and learnt that some foods are NOT Italian even though we thought they were!), and we learnt how to say we like/don't like something! We stepped up the challenge yet again our workout this week, developing our core strength. Our act of service this week saw some of Year 4s help Mrs Shackell once again. When building the rail, Ella, Charlie and Sophia were superb, using the picture instructions and excellent teamwork, they completed the project. There were some issues along the way, but through discussion and listening to each other, they worked through them. When sorting the clothes, Nancy was such a leader, Arty found his place in the detail. As well as this, Sienna, Zach and Rosa were very much hands on team members, and Karsha was brilliant, eager to be involved and useful. They were great teams! Also, this week, 4P dazzled us all with their memorable class assembly all about movies, including a movie that they had made themselves! 4Q are up next and are busy preparing, with 4R following closely behind!



Chapter 5

Year 5 have continued with our pen pal letters, and are now starting to get to know our new friends in Year 3! We have received and written some quite long and detailed letters now, and some of us have even played games on the playground. We are yet to complete our next Joe Wicks style exercise routine, but it looks like a challenging one, so we look forward to trying it next week. Our Mindful Moments session was focused on creating abstract, unplanned, black and white art in a 'zen tangle' style! These are quite simple to do, but also very effective!

Chapter 6

Another good week in Year 6 as we continued with our LC+ programme as well as adding in some different this week. The children continued to learn about money. This week looking at how debt can happen and when debt may sometimes be required. We discussed how it's important to know how any debt may be paid back before taking it on. 6P started their dancing with Mrs Whitehead and all enjoyed their time over in the dance studio in senior school. All three classes were treated to an AI workshop where they were able to learn about what AI was and have a go at using it themselves for various activities and tasks.

Sports Report

Fixtures are back with a bang! This week we had several football matches, and a netball game too. It's fantastic to see children participating in competitive sports once more.

On Monday, our U11 Girls' Footballers had their latest league match, as Miss Tyrer reports [here](#):

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Then on Wednesday, Mrs Bygroves took some Year 5s for a netball game, as she tells us about [here](#):

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Sports Report

At the time of writing, Year 5 and 6 are gearing up for their inter-house hokey and tag rugby tournaments, which we will report back on next week. We also have our U11 boys' footballers heading out this afternoon for the next round of their LSFA matches at Simpsons, which Mr Devine will tell us about next week!

Next week, we have Year 3 and 4 indoor athletics, another U11 girls' league match, a Year 5 & 6 football friendly and then an U11 Girls' football tournament too! Check out the newsletter next week to find out how we got on!

The Liverpool ASD Training Team are providing a series of Virtual Group Drop in advisory sessions via zoom.

They are for parents/carers who have any questions or concerns about their child, regarding social communication difficulties, waiting an ASD assessment or your child has a diagnosis of autism. It is also an opportunity to speak with an ASD trainer and other parents.

The sessions will be one half hours long, you can choose to join anytime with in the time slot or stay for the duration.

You do not require a diagnosis to book your place.

Date: February 2024 dates and Times (am / pm sessions)

Dates	Morning Session	Afternoon Session
6 th Feb	X	1pm – 2.30pm
8 th Feb	X	1pm – 2.30pm
9 th Feb	X	1pm – 2.30pm
13 th Feb	X	1pm – 2.30pm
14 th Feb	X	1pm – 2.30pm
15 th Feb	X	1pm – 2.30pm
16 th Feb	X	1pm – 2.30pm
27 th Feb	X	1pm – 2.30pm
28 th Feb	X	1pm – 2.30pm

If you would like to book onto one of the sessions, please

email: asdtrainingteam@liverpool.gov.uk