



# Liverpool College PRIMARY NEWSLETTER



Friday 13<sup>th</sup> February 2026

## Reception Chinese New Year



## Chinese New Year

This week, Reception had a special visit from Miss Lien to talk to us about Chinese New Year and how it is traditionally celebrated. She told us about how it begins with cleaning the house, before putting up decorations. She retold the Chinese Zodiac story, with the help of her magical dragon that helped the animals to speak to her. Miss Lien kindly brought us some authentic Chinese treats to try, which we enjoyed as part of our Chinese New Year celebration on Friday afternoon, following our dragon parade using our class made dragons.



## **Balanceability**

This half term, the children in Reception have been taking part in balanceability sessions on a Friday afternoon. They have learned about bike safety, including how to put on a helmet, and developed their balancing skills for riding. They have also had the opportunity to challenge themselves weaving between cones on a winding course. The children have looked forward to these sessions each week and have grown in confidence, which has been brilliant to see!





On Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> February Primary children had fun taking part in pancake races





## Headteacher's Award

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

Harlan E-H, Nathan M, Louie T, Mirela F, Ernie G, Yasmin L, Oscar S, Florence K, Meervan S, Coen C, Kylo D, Aria K, Clementine D, Killian F, Indie C, William D, Edward S, Gabriella T, Pippa B, Blake B, George J, Jake T, Zinzile B, Sebastian V, James B, Cathal H, Oisin B, Esme H, Tobias T, Macsen M-J, Buddy D, Hannah V-D-H G, All of 5Q, Shea B, Oliver T, Freddie L, Elodie P, Nancy M, Aniyah M, Adam M, Sophia M,

## Attendance for week commencing Week comm 9<sup>th</sup> February 2026

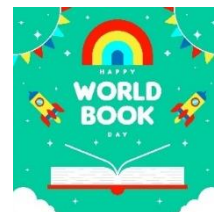
Reception	96.0 %
Year 1	97.6 % 😊
Year 2	94.6 %
Year 3	97.1 %
Year 4	95.7 %
Year 5	95.2 %
Year 6	95.3 %

Well done to Year 1 for best Attendance

## Notice to All Parent/Carers Information about Parent's Evening

Parents Evening will be taking place on Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> March and Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> March. Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> March will be in Person. Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> March will be online via school cloud. Guidelines on how to book an appointment have already been sent on MCAS announcement. **The appointment booking will go live on Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> February from 6pm and you will have until Friday 27<sup>th</sup> February at 6pm to book your appointments. **After this date you will not be allowed to make any appointments as the booking system will close automatically.****

**Parents will have 4 weeks to book appointments.**



**World Book Day**  
**Thursday 5<sup>th</sup>**  
**March**

**WORLD BOOK DAY**  
5 MARCH 2026

**Date for the Diary – World Book Day Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> March**

We'll be spending the day in school enjoying a wonderful celebration of books!

Pupils are invited to come to school **dressed as their favourite character from a book, or in their cosy pyjamas** (please make sure they're warm!).

If you have any spare costumes, that you would like to donate, they would be very much appreciated - please drop them into the school office.

We'll also be holding a **Big Book Swap**. Children can bring in an old book to swap with others (again any spares are welcome!). Don't worry if you don't have a book to bring - everyone will take part!

Thank you! Miss Brooke

**SCHOLASTIC Book Fairs**

**Dates for the Diary- Book Fairs**  
After school on the following days:

Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> March- Everyone

Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> March- EYFS, Year 1 and Year 2

Friday 6<sup>th</sup> March- Year 3 and Year 4

Monday 9<sup>th</sup> March- Year 5 and Year 6

Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> March- Everyone



## **ADVANCED NOTICE BUGSY MALONE SHOW WEEK SCHEDULE.**

To help with calendars and planning please find below an outline of who is needed when in show week of Buggy Malone.

### **Dates for your Diary:**

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- **Wednesday 4th March - Tickets go on sale**
- **Friday 13th March - Costume deadline** (please hand all costumes to Mrs Herron, named and in a bag on a hanger)
  - **Friday 20th March - Rigging - CREW AND BAND ONLY**
- **Saturday 21st March - MV HALL - 10 - 4pm- ALL MAIN CAST, BAND AND CREW**
- **Sunday 22nd March - MV HALL - 10 - 4pm - ALL CAST, BAND AND CREW**
- **Monday 24th March - NORMAL SCHOOL HOURS - Scene transitions, finale, bows and songs**
  - **Tuesday 25th March - NORMAL SCHOOL HOURS - First runs**
  - **Wednesday 26th March - Dress rehearsals X2 for Primary**
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- **Evening Performance - 7pm - TICKETS ON SALE FROM WEDNESDAY 5th MARCH**
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  - **Thursday 27th March - Matinee Performance - 1.30pm - 3.30pm**  
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  - **Thursday 27th March - Evening Performance - 7pm**  
**TICKETS ON SALE FROM WEDNESDAY 5th MARCH**

## Sporting News

A huge well done to our indoor athletics team on their performance at the City Finals this week! Everybody competed really well in an exceptionally challenging competition. There were some very memorable individual and team performances on the track, with plenty of 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> place finishes! Similarly, we did really well on the field events, with some superb jumps and throws to help our overall score. Sadly, we didn't manage to qualify for the Merseyside Finals this time, but we can be very proud of being amongst the best in the city, and everyone who competed can hold their head high knowing they performed to their very best ability. Indeed, the only disappointing performance of the day was my woeful attempt at the foam javelin! I apologise for letting the side down; I will now spend the next 12 months doing intensive javelin training with Mr Brimage.

### **SEN Coffee Morning - Travel Training Team**

We warmly invite parents and carers to attend a SEN Coffee Morning on Friday 27<sup>th</sup> February between 9:45 to 11:15am.

The session will be led by the Travel Training Team who will be talking about travel support and independent travel training for SEN students. It will be particularly relevant for those in Chapter 11 who are on transport due to policy changes.

If you would like to attend, please complete the short form using the link below.

[Travel Training SEN coffee morning – Fill in form](#)

If you have any questions, please contact SEND admin [sendadmin@liverpoolcollege.org.uk](mailto:sendadmin@liverpoolcollege.org.uk)

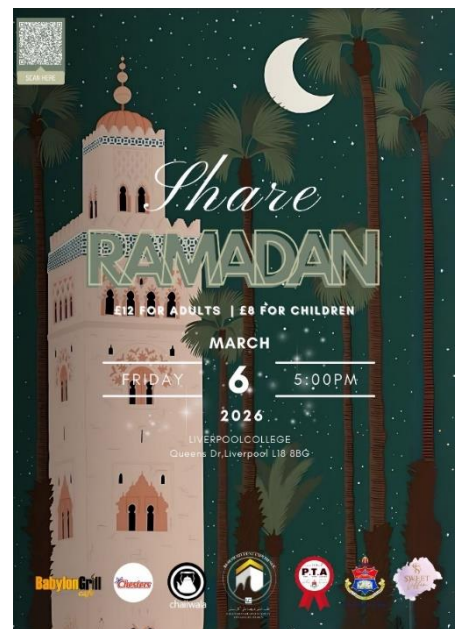
This week marked the beginning of our Y5 Girls' Netball League where Rudston, Gilmour and Much Woolton all join us to play matches over 4 weeks. Our girls certainly went out there with a bang and they played absolutely brilliantly, despite the wet weather! LC Red team beat Much Woolton Blues by 16 goals. Eleanor, Bea, Esme and Hannah all contributed to the goals, while Lilly-May, Harriet and Emilia controlled in defence. The MVP for the match was Matilda who played amazing! Secondly, the LC Blue team beat Much Woolton Blues 7-1. Again, there was some fantastic shooting from Summer and Hallie, Ava was solid in defence and Chloe was up and down the court working hard. A well deserved MVP went to Summer who dominated in attack and scored some super goals. A huge well done to the whole squad, you all played a vital part in our wins!



This week year 1 welcomed Staff from Alder Hey to tell us about mental health. We looked at all the different emotions we can have and learnt some methods that can help us to manage our bigger emotions. We loved discussing what makes us happy and completing a wheel of feelings!



Well done to Noah for receiving Player of the match in Rugby. Noah plays for the U7's for Liverpool Collegiate



Liverpool College PTA - in collaboration with MSE- would like to warmly invite you and your family to join us for our Community Iftar.

As a non-profit charity, we aim to bring together members of our school community and the wider local community to celebrate the blessed month of Ramadan.

You can purchase your tickets and get full information about the event on <https://www.ticketsource.co.uk/liverpool-college-pta/t-ldnprmoa>

For sponsorship enquiries please email [pta@liverpoolcollege.org.uk](mailto:pta@liverpoolcollege.org.uk)

# Spring Term Dates

Date	Event/ activity
16/02/26- 20/02/26	HALF TERM
23/02/26	Children return to school
23/02/26- 25/02/26	York residential (Y5) Robinwood residential (Y4)
02/03/26	Parent teacher evening
04/03/26	Parent teacher evening
04/03/26	Year 3P Class Assembly
06.03.26	Year 1Q Class Assembly 1.45pm
13/03/26	Y1R Class Assembly 1.45pm
18/3/26	Y3Q Class Assembly 8.30am
20/03/26	Y1P Class Assembly 1.45pm
20/3/26	Primary play rehearsal
23/3/26	Primary Play week
25/3/26	Y3R Class Assembly 8.30am
27/3/26	End of term
29/3/26- 5/4/26	Ski Trip





Dear Parent/Carer,

**Re: National Autistic Society EarlyBird Programme**

The EarlyBird programme is a 6 sessions course which brings families/carers together to learn about Autistic Spectrum Disorder and has been developed by the National Autistic Society.

**The criteria for attending EarlyBird Programme is your child has an Autistic Spectrum Disorder diagnosis and is aged 4 years or under.**

There are limited places available, if you would like to book a place please email the [asdtrainingteam@liverpool.gov.uk](mailto:asdtrainingteam@liverpool.gov.uk)

**Venue: Stoneycroft Children's Centre, 38 Scotia Road, L13 6QR**

**The dates and times are:**

**Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup>, 24<sup>th</sup> February 2026 - 9.30am -12pm**

**Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup>, 17<sup>th</sup> March 2026 – 9.30am -12pm**

**This course is for Parents/Carers (not for your child).**

We look forward to working with you.

Kind Regards

*Tracey Williamson  
Kelly*

*Margaret*

**ASD Trainer  
Trainer**

**ASD**

## Liverpool City Council ASD Training Team

The Liverpool ASD Training Team are providing a series of virtual drop in advisory sessions via zoom. They are for parent/carers wishing to talk in a private one to one setting about any questions or concerns they may have about their child. You do not require a diagnosis of ASD to book your place.

### Dates: February 2026

9<sup>th</sup>, 12<sup>th</sup>, 13<sup>th</sup>. 23<sup>rd</sup>

(PM sessions 1pm and 2pm)

11<sup>th</sup>, 24<sup>th</sup>, 25<sup>th</sup>, 26<sup>th</sup>, 27<sup>th</sup>

### Times

9.30am
10.30am
11.30am
1pm
2pm

To book your place please email [asdtrainingteam@liverpool.gov.uk](mailto:asdtrainingteam@liverpool.gov.uk)

With a choice of your date and time and you will be emailed a zoom link.

For more information about our service please view the Liverpool Local offer Page / Liverpool ASD training team for future training and workshops.

[Liverpool ASD Training Team | Liverpool Family Information & SEND Directory](#)



# Liverpool City Council ASD Training Team

Social Communication/Social Interaction

Date: 26<sup>th</sup> & 27<sup>th</sup> February 2026

Time: 9.30am – 12 noon

Venue: Virtual Zoom

Dear Parent/Carer,

If you have early concerns about social communication and interaction or your child is awaiting assessment from the ASD pathway, we would like to offer you the opportunity to attend the above workshop on Social Communication and Social Behaviour.

Session 1:

Overview to build your understanding of the areas that may cause difficulties/gaps for you child and strategies to support.

Session 2:

Question/Answer opportunity to discuss specific areas of concerns.

You need to attend session 1 to access session 2.

If you wish to attend, please contact the team on the email below.

Email: [asdtrainingteam@liverpool.gov.uk](mailto:asdtrainingteam@liverpool.gov.uk)

If the above dates for the workshop are not suitable, please view the Liverpool Local offer Page / Liverpool ASD training team for future training and workshops.

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We look forward to meeting you.

Yours sincerely

**ASD Training Team**