



# NEWSLETTER

15th November 2019

## Head of School Message

Dear parents and carers,

As I'm sure you will all have seen on our Instagram feed, this week we were awarded the Salvation Army 'Recycle Michael' award as we won the competition by gathering the most amount of clothes and shoes to support the charity. On Tuesday, Michael himself showed up to present the certificate and the cup to our Head boy and Head girl. All the children were extremely pleased and excited at their achievement. Well done and thank you for all for your support.

Recently we had some alterations to the paths on the exit from the school yard. The alterations were made to support and encourage children and parents to use the footpaths provided. If I could ask that the footpaths are used at all times and to refrain from cutting through the carpark as it can be extremely busy at times. As adults, please set a good example for the children and insist that they use the footpaths at all times.

All in all it has been an extremely busy week. We had our Remembrance Service on Monday, Anti-bullying all week, odd socks on Thursday and the year 6 class assembly today. You can see our most up to date pictures and news on class Dojo, website and our social media.



Mr D Kenny  
Headteacher



Mrs J Williams  
Head of School

## STAR OF THE WEEK

Congratulations to this week's stars, we are very proud of you.

NURSERY: Daisy James

Lewis Easton O'Connor

RECEPTION: Olivia Davies

Louie West

YEAR 1: Ella Hall

YEAR 2: Ruby Wileman Kirby

YEAR 3: Oscar O'Hare

YEAR 4: Will Napier

YEAR 5: Harriet Salisbury

YEAR 6: Ethan Cullen

PPA: Poppy James

Head teacher Spectacular Pupil:

Michael Heaton

## TERRIFIC TIMEKEEPERS

Can we remind Parents/Carers that doors open at 8.25am ready for lessons to start at 8.30am. Our winners for last week were our pupils from Reception and Y3. Well done! Meeting will take place shortly for parents whose children still continue to come in late.



## SAVE THE DATE

Please pencil the dates in your diary for our Christmas shows.



### Nursery + Reception

4+5<sup>th</sup> December at 10.15am

**Y1+Y2**

17<sup>th</sup> December at 9.15am + 1.15am

**Y3 + Y4**

12<sup>th</sup> December at 1.30pm + 5pm

**Y5+Y6**

10<sup>th</sup> December at 1.30pm + 5pm

## CHINESE LUNCH DAY

We hope the children enjoyed their Chinese lunch on Wednesday. We know our kitchen staff did.



YEAR	% ATTENDANCE W/C 4/11/19
REC	96.0%
Y1	93.3%
Y2	99.0%
Y3	98.7%
Y4	97.0%
Y5	92.4%
Y6	92.6%
TOTAL	95.6%
YEAR TO DATE	<b>96.1%</b>

## WHAT DO I DO OUTSIDE SCHOOL?

Well done to Dexter Scott from Reception class. Dexter has been chosen to go for football trials at Liverpool football Club, he goes tonight. We wish him well and hope he comes back with good news. Have we a future Liverpool star here at Blacklow ?



## ROAD SAFETY WEEK

Next week is National Road Safety Week. It is important that our children are aware of the dangers of our roads. Here are some rules to talk to your children about this weekend. Know Your Signals - Stop, Look, And Cross - Pay Attention - Listen - Don't Run On Roads - Crossroads and Pedestrian Crossing- Never Stick Hands Outside The Vehicle- Never Cross Road At Bends.



# FOCUS OF THE WEEK – A BIT OF EVERYTHING

Michael is The Salvation Army's top recycler, travelling across the country to over 500 schools, collecting clothing and shoes that children and their families no longer want or need. Here at Blacklow Brow, we decided to help Recycle Michael, and as always our children more than delivered, so much so that we were the Merseyside winners of the Salvation Army UK Recycle with Michael Challenge. Well done everyone.



We were very lucky to have the privilege of Ian Simmons and Janine Cryle visit our children for Remembrance Day. I must say they looked absolutely spectacular in all their regalia, it made the hairs on the back of my neck stand up. The children loved it and thought Janine was magnificent playing 'The Last Post' on her bugle.

Thank you to all our parents/carers who attended our early years 'Stay and Play' sessions this week, it was lovely to see you all and getting involved in all the activities.



## WORDS OF THE WEEK

MATHS – Obtuse Angle  
 ENGLISH – Succulent  
 Have a practice of these words over the weekend, who knows you could earn yourselves some house points when you return to school and use these words in your context.

## NURSERY HOURS

Don't forget to claim your 30 hours free childcare if you are entitled. Your code must be given into school by the 30<sup>th</sup> November in order to claim for your child's January hours.



## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

- 18<sup>th</sup> November: Y5 Cinema trip
- 19<sup>th</sup> November: Y6 cinema trip
- 21<sup>st</sup> November: Y5 Tatton Park trip
- 21<sup>st</sup> November: Y3 Cinema trip
- 25<sup>th</sup> November: Y6 Mock SATs
- 2<sup>nd</sup> December: Rec-Y6 Flu Immunisations
- 4<sup>th</sup> December: Deaf Active in Asda with Y4

## LATE PICK UP FROM SCHOOL

If children are not collected at the normal pick up time of 2.30pm OR late being collected from an afterschool activity, they will go into afterschool which is charged as follow:

- 2.30-3pm = £3
- 2.30-3.30pm = £5
- 2.30- anything after 3.30pm = £10
- Late after 5.30pm - £1 for every minute late

