

Lily Lane

Stronger Together



#Farewell

As you may know, today was Mrs Murray's last official day as Lily Lane's headteacher. We would like to take this opportunity to say a huge thank you to Mrs Murray for everything that she has done for Lily Lane this academic year. She will be hugely missed by all of the children and staff and Moston Fields Primary are very lucky to have her as their headteacher.



#Curriculum Spotlight

The children have already started their brand new topics for this half term. Have a look at the curriculum newsletters for each year group, which can be found on the class dojo story or on our website, to find out more about what the children will be learning this half term.

This term we will be taking more year groups on educational visits linked to their topics. Keep a look out for letters giving you more information about these

#Welcome

We would like to introduce our new headteacher, Mrs Lewis, to Lily Lane. Mrs Lewis will be joining us from Monday 1st May and we are very excited to have her join us. Mrs Lewis will be in touch shortly to introduce herself and explain a little about herself.

#Dates for Your Diary

Monday 1st May – bank holiday

Tuesday 2nd May – Strike day (RK and 5I closed)

Friday 5th May – King Charles' Coronation

Monday 8th May – bank holiday

Tues 9th May – Fri 12th May – Y6 SATs week

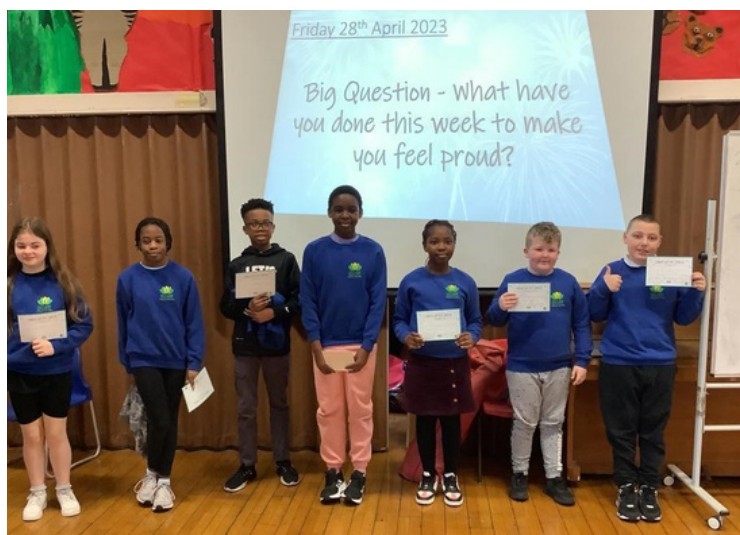
May – Y2 SATs administered this month

#King Charles' Coronation – Friday 5th May

On Friday 5th May, we will be commemorating King Charles' coronation in school. On this day, we will be taking part in activities (and assemblies) that teach us all about what the coronation is and what it means to people around the world. Our school kitchen will also be making afternoon tea style lunches for all school lunch children and any packed lunch children who have chosen to order one. We will share pictures of what we are learning throughout the day.

#Child of The Term

We are very honoured to introduce our brand new Children of the Term. They have all been chosen because of showing their ready, respectful and safe behaviours at all times and they should be very proud of themselves. These children can be seen wearing purple jumpers and they definitely wear them with pride.



#Football

On Friday 21st April, Lily Lane took part in the knock out stages of the Manchester Schools 9-a-side cup. We were visiting our fellow CLIC school, Chorlton Park in the quarter finals and both sides have never played each other so neither knew what to expect. The first half saw lots of chances for both teams as they battled to gain the upper hand, some great defending and last-ditch tackling meant that we went in at half time 0-0. The second half saw the team play with a lot more confidence and once they had got use to the larger pitch and bobbles (we are lucky to play mostly on 4G pitches) we began to create more and more opportunities going forward. Both teams continued to push for the winner and we were unlucky not to score in open play with some great counter-attacking moves only denied by some good opposition goalkeeping and defending themselves. At the end of the match the score was still tied at 0-0 so the match went to extra time. Again, after several near misses, we still weren't able to break down the Chorlton team and at the final whistle of extra time, the score still remained 0-0. This meant the match would be decided by penalties...something that no footballer wants. The brave players that stepped up did themselves proud, some were scored, some were saved and some were missed. The penalty shoot-out went all the way to sudden death and we were unlucky to lose by a solitary strike. The players were upset but congratulated Chorlton Park on their victory and we have to say their sporting conduct was exemplary. We wish them good luck in the next round of the cup. Well done Lily Lane, we will come back stronger and better next season!

