

LILY LANE

STRONGER TOGETHER



We have had an incredibly busy November! The children have had so many amazing experiences and they have excelled themselves at every opportunity. We have another busy month coming up, all events and dates are included in this newsletter.

#Year group assemblies

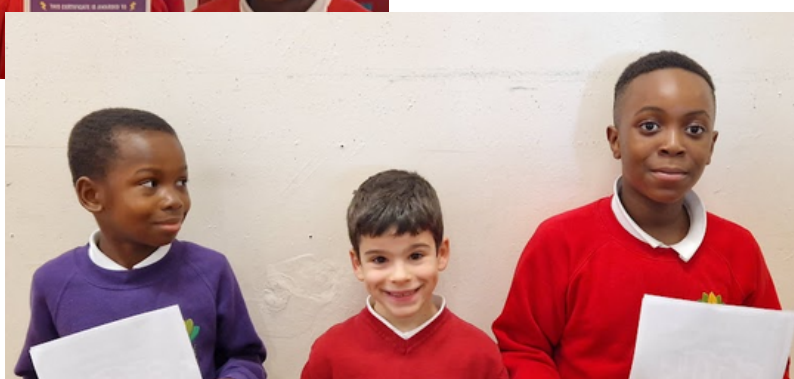
Well done to Year 3, Year 4 and Year 5 for their wonderful assemblies. They showcased all their learning to parents, and each year group were very creative in their delivery.

#Times Table Rock Stars

Lily Lane took part in a CLiC wide Times Table Rock Stars tournament this month. The children in Y3-Y6 took part. We have awarded certificates for the 3 most valuable players in each year group. A very well done to all children who took part.

#Children in Need

A huge thank you to everyone who made a donation for Children in Need. We raised £139.87 for a very good cause.



#Year 5 Jodrell Bank

All Year 5 children went on an educational visit to Jodrell Bank this month, which was a trust wide visit for all Year 5 children. All children were a credit to the school and the behaviour on both days was fantastic. The children explored the space dome and learnt about the Lovell telescope.



#School Council

We have a new school council. Children were able to apply for a school council position and then children voted to select who they would like to represent their class for this year. Two children were selected from each class from Year 2 through to Year 6. They received certificates and some very special badges. The first meeting was held on Friday 24th November. Children are able to talk to their school council representatives about any issues or any changes they would like to see in school. Mr Archibald and Miss Iqbal will be supporting them in this very important work.



#Remembrance service

On Friday 10th November we held our own Remembrance service for KS2. The children were very respectful and extremely well-behaved.



#Reception local walk

Last week the reception classes took a trip to a nearby post box and posted their very own letters home!



#Year 6 History visit to Ancoats

On Tuesday 6th November 6NJN went on an educational visit to Manchester to look for historical points of significance in relation to the Industrial Revolution. This was a great opportunity to embed our learning and experience, first hand, the buildings, canals and memorial. 6NJN were great representatives of Lily Lane and had many compliments from the public about our respectful behaviour. 6BHR and 6RBI are looking forward to their visit soon.



#Year 3 Drama workshop

Some children in year 3 took part in a drama workshop with Mr Kennedy. They explored the continent of Africa taking inspiration from their English text, 'Africa Amazing Africa' by Atinuke. They made Africa as a team out of rope, took their partners on a tour around the continent and created their own TV adverts about the different countries.



#Community partners Freshers Fair

Thursday 7th December 2pm - 3pm in the ground floor hall and community room.

Come and meet some of our community partners such as Sure Start, oral health, citizens advice, Biffa, Dina, No. 93, library service and the Neighbourhood team. You can discuss any issues you have or just come along to hear about the work they do. Everyone who comes will be entered into a raffle for a chance to win some great prizes!

the Twinkly Nativity



KS1 performance of The Twinkly Nativity

Monday 18th December at 2.15pm

Wednesday 20th December at 9.15am

Come and see our unmissable show!

November and December Diary Dates

Date	Event	Details
Tuesday 28th November	6BHR educational visit to Ancoats	A History walk linked to the Industrial Revolution
Wednesday 29th November	Year 1 ACL and Year 1SSH Geography field trip to Moston Lane.	A geography walk down Moston Lane looking at physical and human features of where we live.
Wednesday 29th November	Year 4 visit to St Dunstan's church	A visit to a church linked to the learning in Religious Education 4MPN and half of 4PMN
Thursday 30th November	Year 1/2CCE Geography field trip to Moston Lane	A geography walk down Moston Lane looking at physical and human features of where we live.
Thursday 30th November	Year 4 visit to St Dunstan's church	A visit to a church linked to the learning in Religious Education 4CAD and half of 4PMN
Tuesday 5th December	6RBI educational visit to Ancoats	A History walk linked to the Industrial Revolution
Wednesday 6th December	Year 6 SAT Parents meetings	Session 1 - 2pm - 3pm Session 2 - 3.30pm - 4.30pm Attendance is only required at one of the sessions
Wednesday 6th December	Nursery local walk	A geography walk around the local area looking at the features of where we live.
Thursday 7th December	Community partners Freshers Fair	2pm - 3pm Ground floor hall and community room.
Friday 15th December	Deposit deadline for Ghyll Head	Deposit of £50 for Ghyll Head. For further information see separate letter sent to parents.
Monday 18th December	Virtual story with Santa	Virtual story with Santa for Nursery, Reception and Year 1.

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Monday 18th December	KS1 'Twinkly Nativity' performance 1	KS1 parents invited 1st Floor Hall 2.15pm Tickets required for entry - more information to follow.
Tuesday 19th December	Virtual story with Santa	Virtual story with Santa for Year 1/2, Year 2 and Year 3.
Tuesday 19th December	Lotus class Stay and Play	Parents of Lotus class invited to a stay and play session 8.45am
Tuesday 19th December	Reception Christmas Concert	Reception parents invited Ground floor hall 9.15am
Tuesday 19th December	Christmas dinner	Christmas dinner for all children. Letters have been sent out if your child is on packed lunches.
Wednesday 20th December	KS1 'Twinkly Nativity' performance 2	KS1 parents invited 1st Floor Hall 9.15am Tickets required for entry - more information to follow.
Wednesday 20th December	KS2 Christmas concert	Parents invited More information to follow
Thursday 21st December	Party day	Children can wear party clothes or Christmas jumpers
Thursday 21st December	Nursery Christmas Concert	Nursery parents invited 9.15am
Thursday 21st December	End of Autumn term	School closes at 3.15pm
Thursday 4th January 2024	Start of Spring term	Gates open at 8.30am Doors open at 8.35am