# Moorlands Junior School Newsletter

# 23rd February 2018

# Fiver challenge

We are pleased to announce that Miss Calladine's Fiver Challenge group raised a magnificent £171 at the fair they organised before half term.

Well done to everyone involved!

#### **Auction of Promises**

Don't forget the pledges for our Auction of Promises! If you want ideas please look at www.auctionofpromises.com for auctions held by other organisations.

# Mr Clark

Mr and Mrs Clark are very pleased to announce the birth of their second child: Margot Iola Clark. Born on Tuesday 30th January 2018 at 9.37am, weighing 6lbs 8oz.

Congratulations to the Clark family from all at MJS.

# Website

Our new website has been launched! You will be able to find it on www.moorlandsjuniorschool.com.

Did you know that we have a Facebook and Twitter page? Follow us on @MJSSale and like our Moorlands Junior School Facebook page.

#### **Easter Egg Collection for Wood Street Mission**

Once again, we are collecting Easter eggs for Wood Street Mission, a local charity which we support throughout the year.

The collection starts on Monday, we would be very grateful for any donations.

Thank you.

# Big Worker of the Week

**3C** Francesca Harrison

3P Dylan Green

**4C** Millie Armitage

**4DK** Seth Williams

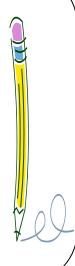
WN Lauren Wilson

**5GT** Grace Doogue

5L Oliver Cook

**6C** Joshua Fowles

**6G** Abigail Renfrew



# **Stars of the Week**

**3C** Elliot Casey

**3P** Beth Stanley

**4C** Rowan Leeming

**4DK** Orlaith McLoughlin

WN Lauren Higgins

**5GT** Thomas Hartley

**5L** Thomas Brassell

6C Tom Curtis

6G Emile Oliver



Monday 26th February: Easter Egg collection for Wood Street Mission begins

Wednesday 28th February: 5L Class Assembly

Thursday 1st March: World Book Day

**5GT Class Assembly** 

Monday 5th March: Start of science week

Friday 9th March: 3C Class Assembly

Ramsbottom Music Festival

Monday 12th March: Open afternoon for science week

Friday 16th March: 6G assembly

Friday 23rd March: Easter Service (led by year 5)

Monday 26th March: Easter Egg competition scenes to

be brought into school

Wednesday 28th March: Easter fun assembly– Easter

hat parade (school only)

# **Ramsbottom Music Festival**

As we are unable to attend the Wirral Music Festival, this year we will be competing in the Ramsbottom Music Festival which takes place on Friday 9th March. Rehearsals for choir, school recorder group and orchestra have already started in earnest. We hope you can either support us at the event or join us to listen to the pieces on Tuesday 20th March at 9.15am.

#### **Friends of Moorlands**

Tonight is the night for our first ever gin tasting event! Doors open at 7.30pm.

Watch this space for details of how much money we raise.

The next planned event is on Saturday 3rd March.

#### Letters home this week:

Friends of Moorlands Spring into Fitness

Friends of Templemoor Swishing Event



# **World Book Day**

We are celebrating World Book Day on Thursday 1st March. As always, we will be studying a book and on the day will be carrying out activities based on the book. We are asking the children to dress up in characters from their favourite fiction book in order to make the day go with a swing!

# **Assemblies**

Well done to 6C who led our assembly this morning about Girl Guiding and World Thinking Day.

Next week we are having two assemblies: 5L's assembly is on Wednesday and 5GT's is on Thursday. Both assemblies are at 9.10am.

# **Easter Arrangements**

This is a very busy half term and Easter will be upon us before we know it! To celebrate Easter, we have several events at Moorlands Junior School, the details are as follows:

**Easter Raffle**— we will soon be selling raffle tickets at playtimes for a chance of winning one of two giant Easter egg. Tickets are 20p each or 3 for 50p.

**Easter Service 23rd March-9.15am** Year five children will be leading our Easter Service, all parents are welcome to join us for this event.

**Easter Egg Collection-**we are collecting for Wood Street Mission who will distribute these to families in Manchester.

Easter Egg Competition— this is our annual competition! There will be two categories: a child only category and a family category. The task is to decorate <a href="hard-boiled">hard-boiled</a> eggs and, if you wish, create a setting for them. The entries will be judged in 2 categories: child only entry and family entry for each of upper and lower school. Entries should be anonymous and brought into school on Monday 26th March.

**Easter Hat Parade Wednesday 28th March: (School only event)** This is our exciting Easter Hat Parade! Children bring their decorated Easter bonnets into school for our parade. Three winners are chosen from each class and there will be small prizes for every child that takes part.