



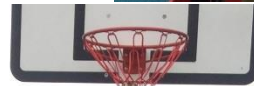
# Nevill Road Junior School

## Parent Newsletter 6 - Autumn Term 2018



Dear Parents and Carers,

**The playground is officially OPEN!!!** Last Friday, the trim trail and games area passed their final health and safety checks. All of the children had a go on the equipment during lunchtime, which was absolutely lovely to see as it feels like we have had to wait so long for a playground that the children truly deserve. Thank you for all of the donations you have given towards this project.



### Co-op membership scheme.

Please use the link below to back us if you are already a coop member or would like to become one if you are not already! This means we will receive 1% of all the money spent on Co-op branded products by members who choose to back our cause. <https://membership.coop.co.uk/causes/29237#>

Friends and family can also help by choosing Nevill Road Junior School as their 'good cause' so please pass on the information. The money raised will go towards further plans for improving the outdoor area including a woodland story telling area, a covered stage for those children who love to sing and dance as well as additional seating for outdoor learning.

## Children in Need

The children had a wonderful time helping to raise money through all the activities that took place during the day. Something strange however, had happened to all of the children as we seem to have had an outbreak of spots across the whole school!!! Well done to all the children (and staff) for making such an effort to support such a good cause.



## Whole School Cultural Awareness Day – Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> November

We are very excited to be launching our first ASPIRE day linked to our curriculum aims:



**Aim High, Succeed, Persevere, Imagination, Respect, Enthusiasm.**

Over the course of the day, children will visit a multicultural market taking place in the hall. At the market, children will take part in exciting activities such as Indian Stick Dancing, Japanese Origami, Tai Chi and Pakistani Craft. All activities will be led by experienced instructors who will be visiting our school for this very special day. Teachers will support the day by planning and delivering a variety of multicultural activities over the course of the day.

## Greater Manchester Sports Awards



Mrs Sheldrake, Mrs Jordan and myself, represented Nevill Road Junior School as one of the finalists at the Greater Manchester Sports Awards last Friday. Trafford were the winning borough on this occasion but we were still incredibly proud of everything that we have achieved in such a short amount of time. The school continues to lead the way in Stockport for its commitment to PE and Sport, with an increasing number of activities throughout the school day as well as our free after school sports clubs. Well done NRJ!

## Coffee and Calculations

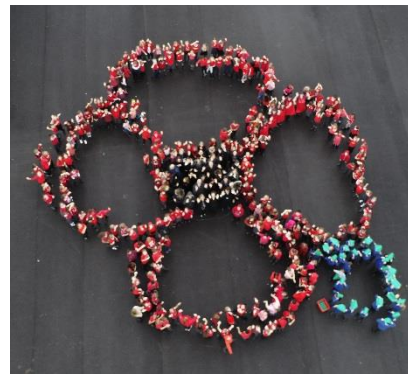
The first of these sessions will be taking place on **Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> November 5.30pm - 7.00pm** for Year 6 parents. This is a chance for you to learn with your child about how to access the most up to date maths methods taught in school. We look forward to seeing as many of you as possible.

## *FANTASTIC FINISHES* ★

These events are another opportunity for you to find out what the children have been learning about in their Topics so far this year. Please see the attached poster to find out more about these sessions and when they are taking place. It is a chance to join in with activities, look at the children's beautiful Topic books and talk to your child about their learning. Friends and family are all welcome.

## 100 years Remembrance Celebrations

Once again we marked this poignant occasion in true Nevill Road fashion. All of the children made poppies which were displayed in the school hall as well as took part in our whole school poppy photograph as a tribute to all the soldiers who have fought and go on fighting for our country. I am sure you will agree that the images look stunning.



## E safety

Nevill Road Junior School is committed to keeping children safe and to promoting the safe, responsible use of technology. We are regularly updating the website to ensure that the latest information can be accessed by parents. A recent document that has been brought out by the Local Authority is called 'Protect young eyes' which gives parents advice on the apps that children are currently accessing. We have sent out letters recently with regards to how inappropriate use of technology can lead to children developing mental health issues, behavioural difficulties, struggle with sleeping and concentration. Please be reminded that video games such as 'Fortnight' are not suitable for children below the age of 12.

Thank you as always for your continuing support.

Kind regards

Judi Cliff  
Headteacher

## DIARY DATES

### NOVEMBER

Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup>

Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup>

Thursday 29<sup>th</sup>

Friday 30<sup>th</sup>

- Year 4 Greek Day
- Whole school culture awareness day
- Coffee and Calculations Year 6 parents 5.30pm - 7.00pm
- HGBC Puppet assembly 10.10am
- Wacky hair day (bring jar donations)
- Christmas jumper sale 8.30am - 9.30am (Junior Hall)

### DECEMBER

Monday, 3<sup>rd</sup>

Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup>

Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup>

Friday 7<sup>th</sup>

Monday 10<sup>th</sup>

Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup>

Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup>

Friday 14<sup>th</sup>

Monday 10<sup>th</sup>

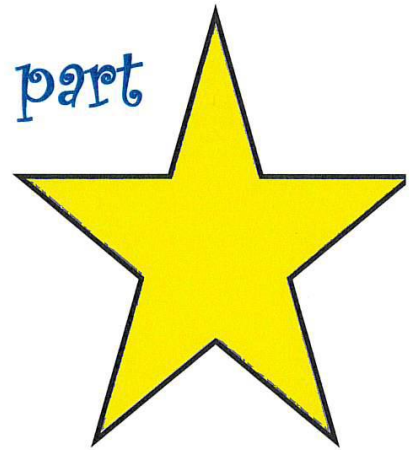
Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup>

Friday 21<sup>st</sup>

- Conway Centre Parents Information Mtg 3.30pm-4.30pm
- Year 4 Parents, 'Fantastic Finish' afternoon 2.00pm
- Coffee and Calculations Year 5 parents 5.30pm - 7.00pm
- St. George's choir concert 6.00pm
- Christmas door competition judging
- Christmas hats (chocolate donation)
- Year 3 Parents, 'Fantastic Finish' morning 9.15am
- Year 6 Parents, 'Fantastic Finish' morning 9.15am
- Year 4 Christmas Show 2.15pm
- Year 5 Parents, 'Fantastic Finish' afternoon 2.00pm
- Year 4 Christmas Show 6.00pm
- Christmas jumper day
- Christmas dinner
- Christmas fair 4.00pm - 7.00pm
- Miss Dean is back and sadly Mr Roscoe leaves us.
- Year 3 Christmas concert 2.15pm
- Last day of term

\*\*\*Please note school starts again on Monday 7<sup>th</sup> January\*\*\*

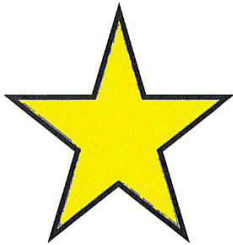
You are invited to take part  
in our FANTASTIC  
FINISHES events



Year 3

Friday 7th December 9.15am

Help make Stone Henge Collages with your child.



Year 4

Tuesday 4th December 2.00pm

Bring a box and make Ancient Greek stringed  
instruments.

Year 5

Wednesday 12th December 2.00pm

Join in with a Tudor Christmas Market.

Year 6

Monday 10th December 9.15am

Find out about your children's learning in the  
Plastic Planet Gallery.



Celebrating your child's learning at Nevill Road Junior School

