



# The Moss Hey Messenger



Friday 21<sup>st</sup> April 2017

**The Moss Hey Big Bash:** The PTA have sent out details of this year's Big Bash; if you haven't already bought your ticket then DON'T DELAY! Come on, mums and dads, gather a group and have a great night out. Book your babysitter and reserve your tickets.

It is on Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> May at 'The Coach and Four' in Wilmslow. It will be an amazing evening and is always a fantastic fundraiser for school.

There will be quality food hampers to raffle; we are asking that pupils come to school next Friday - 28<sup>th</sup> April - in non-uniform in return for a donation to these hampers. Good quality / luxury goods please so that beautiful hampers can be made up (chocolates, biscuits, jams, preserves, bottles).

There will also be an auction; we have some fantastic prizes already but we always welcome more! Drop off your donations to the office.

**Year 2 Family Workshop:** Parents of children in Year 2 are invited to a maths family workshop on Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> April, starting at 9:00 and finishing at about 9:45. These family workshops are always very enjoyable and they give an insight into the expectations for each year group.

**Parent Forum Meetings:** Every month, parents are given the opportunity to come along to a parent forum, an opportunity to ask questions about what is going on at school. They last for 30 minutes and everyone is very welcome. Tea and biscuits provided!

Friday 5<sup>th</sup> May at 2:45

Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> June at 9:00

Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> July at 2:45



**Sport at Moss Hey:** On Tuesday, the pupils in Year 2 and Year 4 enjoyed a lovely morning of tennis with Darren O'Donnel - the specialist coach from Queensgate Tennis Club. We look forward to the weekly sessions that will take place over the course of this half term.

Our Learn to Lead programme has now started for this year. Pupils in KS2 continue to develop their sports leadership skills within their PE lessons and have now started to lead playground games at lunchtimes. Well done to our sports ambassadors for facilitating this.

Manchester Harriers are offering places at an athletics academy over the summer holiday. The sessions will take place at Wythenshawe Park and are for children of seven years of age or older. The course runs between 31<sup>st</sup> July and 4<sup>th</sup> August and then between 7<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup> August. The times are 10am - 3pm each day and the cost is £45 for the five days. For more information and to book places please visit <https://manchesterharriers.co.uk/2017/01/15/startrack-31st-july-7th-august-2017/>.

**PTA fundraising:** Look out for a pack that all children will be bringing home linked to Father's Day (shh!). This would make a lovely gift. The closing date for orders is Friday 12<sup>th</sup> May.

**Days and dates (New dates indicated in bold with an \*)**

**\*Monday 24<sup>th</sup> April: Dragon House Treat.** On this day, all pupils in Dragon House can come to school in their home clothes (Can be something green, but this is not essential) and bring a toy or game for the afternoon.

**\*Monday 24<sup>th</sup> April: Cup match, football, away vs Pownall Green**

**\*Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> April: Golden Ticket Tea Party**

Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> April: Year 4 family workshop at 2:30

**\*Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> April: Year 2 Family Workshop at 9:00**

Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> April: Tri Golf Final 3.45-5.45 @ Stockport Academy. This is for the group of Y5/6 boys and girls that went to the first round. This is the second level of competition.

Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> April: netball match v Lostock Hall

Friday 28<sup>th</sup> April: non uniform day in return for hamper items. (See details above)

**\*Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> May: Polling Day – school OPEN AS NORMAL**

Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> May: Reception Class to Chester Zoo

**\*Friday 5<sup>th</sup> May: Parent Forum at 2:45**

Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> May: Moss Hey Big Bash

Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> May: Band to play at Valley School's Spring Fair

Monday 8<sup>th</sup> May: Year 6 SATs week

Monday 8<sup>th</sup> May: Specialist netball coaches from Victory Sports Coaching to lead a session for netball club.

**\*Friday 12<sup>th</sup> May: Year 1 Parent Workshop-Bean tasting at 2:00**

**\*Friday 12<sup>th</sup> May: Final date for Father's Day gift orders.**

Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> May: Moss Hey Voices to perform at the Bramhall Park Duck Race. More details to follow.

Monday 15<sup>th</sup> May: Netball match v Norbury Hall

**\*Monday 15<sup>th</sup> May: PTA meeting. All very welcome. Feel free to come along at 7pm; we will be planning the summer fair and other events to raise valuable funds for school.**

Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> May: Primary Kurling Final 10-11.30 @ Heaton School. Again, this is the second level of competition following our success in the last round and will be for a selected group.

Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> May: 6:30 Year 6 pre-residential meeting

**\*Friday 19<sup>th</sup> May: PTA Disco for EYFS and KS1 Followed by KS2. Fancy dress optional; theme to be announced soon!**

**\*Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> May: Year 2 visit from Zoo2U**

**\*Friday 26<sup>th</sup> May: Year 4 cake sale**

Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> – Friday 16<sup>th</sup> June: Year 6 Residential to Dobroyd Castle

Monday 19<sup>th</sup> June: Year 4 trip to the recycling centre

**\*Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> June: Bags2School collection**

**\*Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> June: Parent Forum at 9:00**

**\*Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> June: Year 5 cake sale**

Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> June: Cricket festival at Cheadle Hulme School

**\*Friday 30<sup>th</sup> June: 5p Friday House Event**

**\*Friday 30<sup>th</sup> June: PTA Family Rounders event with BBQ. 5:30 to 7:00. Look out for more details.**

Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> July: Summer Fair

Friday 14<sup>th</sup> July: Sports Day NEW DATE (morning)

Friday 14<sup>th</sup> July: Family Race for Life starting at 2pm

**\*Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> July: Parent Forum at 2:45**

**\*Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> / Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> July: Year 6/KS2 End of Year Production NEW DATE**

Reception Class Family Workshops all run from 8:50 to 9:30

Friday 12<sup>th</sup> May

Friday 7<sup>th</sup> July