

## The Moss Hey Messenger



## Friday 17<sup>th</sup> November 2017

Trees: We have been allocated 100 saplings from the Woodland Trust, to continue developing our wild area. These need planting. We will have a family fun planting day on Sunday 26th November from 11:00 to 12:00. Please come along with a spade and your wellies, and we will get planting!

**PTA events:** There are many exciting PTA events coming up – your support is always needed!

- Donations of chocolate still welcome
- Friday 17<sup>th</sup> November: TODAY <u>DISCO!</u> Reception and Key Stage One from 6:00-7:00 and Key Stage 2 from 7:15 to 8:15. Come in party clothes! Tickets in advance or on the door, £2:50. Hot dogs and all the usual refreshments will be available.
- Friday 24th November: <u>Hamper items</u> from Years 2 through to 6, with <u>mince pies</u> from Reception and Year 1. (Usual school uniform please)

  Please note: 5p Friday (planned for 24th November) has been shifted to Friday 19th January.
  - Friday 1st December: **Bottles** for our bottle tombola (Usual school uniform please)
- From Monday 4th December: Lucky Dip Cups to be brought in
- From Monday 4th December: Gifts for the gift stall to be brought in
- Friday 8th December: from 5:30pm CHRISTMAS FAIR

Light up Bramhall: Once again we will take part in this lovely family event. Come along to school on Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> December at 3:45 for a mince pie and some mulled wine. With glow sticks and glow rings to hand, the procession will leave school at 4:10 to reach the village in time for the Christmas Tree lights to be turned on.

**Bags to School:** Our Autumn term collection is on Monday 20<sup>th</sup> November. Don't forget – the more they weigh, the more they pay! Bring along your unwanted clothes etc either in the bags provided or in any bin liners.

**Sport at Moss Hey:** Just a reminder that we invite anyone that has had sporting achievements outside school, to send in any certificates or photographs - so that they can be displayed on the Sainsbury's School Games display board and celebrated by the whole school.

Out of School: Please ensure you have booked and paid for your Out of School sessions in advance. We are also concerned about parents not booking on in advance; whilst we do not ever want to turn children away, if our numbers exceed staffing levels due to unplanned attendance we may have to turn children away. Bookings can be made at <a href="https://www.schoolgateway.com">www.schoolgateway.com</a> up to 07:00 on the day of the session.

**Cool Milk:** Children under 5 are provided with milk free each day under the Nursery milk scheme. If you would like your child to continue to receive milk after their fifth birthday please visit the Cool Milk website at <a href="https://www.coolmilk.com">www.coolmilk.com</a> Cool Milk advise us that children registered last year will need to re-register if you wish them to continue to receive milk this year.

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

Don't forget – you can now synch your phone calendar to the school calendar so you will never miss anything!

Monday 20th November: Bags to School collection \*Tuesday 21st November: EYFS Family Workshop

\*Tuesday 21st November & Wednesday 22nd November: Year 3 Parents Evening (new dates)

Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> November: Year 5/6 Dodgeball Tournament at Bramhall High Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> November: Primary Girls Active Day at Armitage Sports Centre

Friday 24th November: Enrichment session 2

Sunday 26th November: Family Fun Tree Planting Day 11:00

Monday 27th November: PTA Panto for everyone: Sleeping Beauty-NEW DATE Tuesday 28th November: Year 5/6 Quicksticks Hockey at Bramhall High \*Wednesday 29th November: Year 3 trip to Chiquito Restaurant, Didsbury

Friday 1st December: Enrichment session 3

\*Sunday 3rd December: Light Up Bramhall. Meet at school at 3:45 for mulled wine, mince pies.

\*Monday 4th December: Time Tables Challenge tests begin this week

\*Monday 4th December: Year 1 Family Workshop from 2:20

Monday 4th December: Years 5&6 to St Michael's church 'Discover Christmas'

Tuesday 5th and Wednesday 6th December: Reception nativity 9:30

Wednesday 6th December 1:30 – 3:30 Year 5 DT Workshop making Anderson Shelters

Friday 8th December: Christmas Fair

\*Thursday 7th December: Year 2 family workshop 9:15 to 10:00 – focus on reading

\*Friday 8th December: Year 5 trip to Imperial War Museum

\*Monday 11th December: No teacher run clubs this week except band and choir \*Tuesday 12th December: Year 6 Family Workshop – maths focus from 2:30

Wednesday 13th and Thursday 14th December: KS1 nativity

Thursday 14th December: Music Concert

Friday 15th December: Christmas Dinner – please order online as usual

Monday 18th December: Key Stage Two Carols at St Michael's

\*Monday 18th December: No teacher run clubs this week including band and choir

**Tuesday 19th December: Finish for Christmas** 

\*Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> January: Term starts

\*Monday 8th January: PTA meeting at the Damson Tree Café

\*Friday 19th January: 5p Friday (new date)

## **INSET DAY REMINDERS**

School will be shut for INSET training days on:

- Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> May THIS IS A NEW / ADDITIONAL DATE AS WE HAVE BEEN COMPELLED TO SHUT THE SCHOOL FOR POLLING DAY
- Monday 11<sup>th</sup> June 2018
- Monday 30<sup>th</sup> July 2018
- Tuesday 31st July 2018

