



# The Moss Hey Messenger



Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> March 2018

**Easter Egg Hunt TODAY:** Come along at 5:30 for a BBQ and fun! If it rains, we will show the film 'Hop'.



**Year 5 enterprise project:** Our Year 5 children have worked hard to develop a detailed plan; they have made artefacts based on their curriculum topic, to sell at the Spring Sing, in order to raise money for Guide Dogs for the Blind. Please support the children when you come along to either the morning performance (9:15) or the afternoon performance (2:30)

**Internet Safety:** You will all be aware of the publicity surrounding the use of iPads, iPhones and other technologies by children, many as young as 4 years old. We urge all parents - whatever age your children might be - to attend our information evening. A crèche will be available.

**THURSDAY 19<sup>TH</sup> APRIL** - arrive at 6:45 for a prompt 7:00 start.



**Sport at Moss Hey:** Our Hockey Team played brilliantly on Tuesday, in the regional finals held at Manchester University's Armitage Centre. They played eight 'back to back' matches and so had to run fast, with one team member down! They played against teams from Tameside, Bury and Manchester, and came forth in their group. Very well done to Luca, Phoebe, Charlie, Annabel and Lily. (Matty is a team member but was poorly)

Don't forget our ongoing competitions – Sports Journalist and Design a Stadium; the children have had a fantastic assembly to inspire their stadium designs.

**Head Teacher Recruitment:** The Governors have worked closely with Stockport HR and Clive Taylor, our School Advisor, to develop a recruitment plan. The advert is now 'live' and Governors are working hard to ensure that the best candidate is appointed as soon as possible. We will keep you updated.

**Spring Sing:** Children in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 are very welcome to wear a Spring Bonnet at our Spring Sing.

EYFS, Year 1 and Year 2 have their Spring Sing at 9:15 on Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> March.

The KS2 Spring Sing is at 2:30 on Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> March.

Children in KS2 are very welcome to enter a decorated egg into our Easter Egg Competition; please bring in your (hard boiled) decorated egg on Monday 26<sup>th</sup> March.

Please come with your wallet/purse to support our Year 5 Enterprise Project.

The PTA will provide tea, coffee and hot cross buns!

**OOS bookings:** Once again, numbers of children who appear at the OOS club door but who have not been booked in is increasing. This puts real pressure on the club – for the children's safety and wellbeing it is *essential* that we know numbers before the session starts. Bookings can be made via the School Gateway website [www.schoolgateway.com](http://www.schoolgateway.com).

**The Moss Hey Big Bash:** Tickets will be on sale after the Easter holiday. At the excellent price of £35:00, tickets can be bought individually, in pairs, groups or as a whole 'table for 10'. The evening is always a great success, in a super venue with excellent food, drink and entertainment. Don't miss out!

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

Don't forget – you can synch your phone diary to the school diary; pop into the office for details.

Monday 26<sup>th</sup> March: Full Governing Body Meeting

Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> March: Spring Sing – Key Stage 1 at 9:15 and Key Stage 2 at 2:30

Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> and Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> March: Parent Evening

Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> March: Closing date for Sports Journalist of the Year competition

Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> March: Last day of term! Children may bring in a toy (not electronic) to play with on this last day of term. There will be an informal (pupil only) Year 3&4 talent show, organised by a group of Year 5 boys.

**\* Events in the community - Friday 6<sup>th</sup> April: Comedy Night at Bramhall Cricket Club . Doors open at 7.30pm and the entertainment begins at 8pm. The compere for the evening is Karen Bayley, and star acts include Nick Doody, Brendon Burns and Marc Jennings. Tickets cost £15, and include your first drink! Strictly over 18's. Details can be found at: <http://bramhallcc.com/events/comedy-night/>**

Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> April: Golden Ticket Tea Party

Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> April: e-safety presentation 7pm IMPORTANT. We will provide a crèche from 6:40 as we would like as many families to attend as possible.

Friday 20<sup>th</sup> April: Class Photographs NEW DATE

Friday 20<sup>th</sup> April: Sale Sharks to train with Years 4&5 for a 5 week block NEW DATE

Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> April: Winning House Treat

**\*Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> April: PTA meeting at school, 7pm start. All very welcome to attend.**

Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> April: Year 3 start swimming.

**\*Friday 27<sup>th</sup> April: Home Clothes Day in return for luxury hamper gifts and exclusive raffle prizes for the Moss Hey Big Bash.**

Friday 27<sup>th</sup> April: Disco Time! KS1 starts at 6:00pm and KS2 starts at 7:15

Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> April: Band play at Valley Spring fair – meet at 11:45 for a 12:00 performance. Please come in school uniform

**\*Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> April: Come along to have your car washed by our Year 6 children! From 1pm to 4pm**

Monday 30<sup>th</sup> April: Our kitchen staff are offering afternoon tea and cakes! Come along to enjoy sandwiches, cakes and a cup of tea. Your children can join you. 2:30 start. £2:30 per person eating, payable preferably by cheque to Dolce.

Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> May: Moss Hey Big Bash

Monday 14<sup>th</sup> May: Year 6 SATs week

Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> May: EYFS day trip to Chester Zoo

Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> May: Choir perform at Bramhall Park Duck Race – an annual event

Monday 21<sup>st</sup> May: Millie's Trust coming in to do First Aid training with Years 5&6

**\*Friday 25<sup>th</sup> May: Date (weather permitting) for Sports Day INCLUDING charity sporting event. This year we are having a charity focus – Children's Hospice Week. We will take part in their 'Around the World' challenge. More information to follow.**

Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> June: Bags to School collection

Monday 25<sup>th</sup> June to Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup>: Year 6 Residential

**This year the Summer Fair will be held on Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> July. It's always a fun day for all the family so keep the date free!**

**\*Advance notice: KS2 show will be on Wednesday and Thursday 18<sup>th</sup>/19<sup>th</sup> July.**

**\*Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> July: Open Evening 3:30 to 6:00**

**\*Friday 27<sup>th</sup> July: Leavers' Assembly at 9:15**

**INSET DAY REMINDERS**

School will be shut for INSET training days on:

- Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> May 2018
- Monday 11<sup>th</sup> June 2018
- Monday 30<sup>th</sup> July 2018
- Tuesday 31<sup>st</sup> July 2018