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Thursday, 18 January 2024

Dear Parents/Carers,

It's been a rather chilly week. Thank you for sending children wrapped up warmly so we can still play out at breaktimes and lunchtimes. The children have had lots of fun playing in the snow.

Moorlands Primary PTA Disco

Our PTA are once again running their very popular school discos.

Date: Thursday 1st February 2024

Timings: Disco 1: Reception, Year 1, Year 2, Year 3 – 5.00pm to 6.30pm

Disco 2: Year 4, Year 5, Year 6 – 7.00pm to 8.30pm

Tickets: Tickets are £2.50 each. They are available to book now on Parent Pay. Purchasing a ticket will put your child's name on the list, you won't be given a paper ticket.

Ticket deadline: Tickets must be purchased by 3pm on Friday 26th January. Book early to avoid disappointment! After this date, it will not be possible for you to buy tickets or to exchange them with someone else. This is to ensure correct medical/dietary information can be collated in advance of the Disco and to enable the PTA to purchase appropriate amounts of refreshments.

Please note, all children need to be picked up from the disco, they will not be able to walk home on their own. Please ensure any medication your child may need is sent to the disco (e.g. inhalers etc). Mobile phones must not be brought. When dropping off your child, please take their coat home with you and bring it at pick up as we don't have space to store them all.

There will be stalls for your child to purchase extra things on the night – including sweets, crisps, drinks, small toys/keyrings, cakes and biscuits. Please note that this time we are not serving hot dogs. Please send change if you can! Water will be available free of charge.

We hope your child is excited about the disco – if you have any questions, please contact us on moorlands.primary.pta@outlook.co

Behaving the Moorlands Way and Learner of the Week Awards

Each week, every class award two certificates: Behaving the Moorlands Way and Learner of the Week. These awards are for children who have shown they are wonderful role models and have an amazing attitude to learning - trying their best all the time.

Class	Award winner		Class	Award winner		Class	Award winner	
	Behaving the	Learner of the		Behaving the	Learner of		Behaving the	Learner of the
	Moorlands	week		Moorlands	the week		Moorlands	week
	Way			Way			Way	
DD	Albie C	Zoya F	2S	Owen W	Blake W	4H	Amelia K	Amber T
нн	Hugo B	Evie R	2H	Eden G	Louis B	5T	Aisha M	Elsie L
SS	Noor M	Archie T	3 M	Sulaiman H	Mason S	5KS	Lacy D	Beau M

We are delighted to share that the following students are this week's recipients of these awards.















1P	Ayyub W	Finley P	3CM	Billy W	Elisha S	5S	Paddy R	Evie C
1K	Muhab R	Eleyna M	35	Saylor S	Carter G	6W	Toby W	Anaiyah B
10	Kingsley R	Leo W	4G	Sam B	Scarlet D-S	6C	Ava G	Samuel T
2 J	Thomas W	Zoya W	4W	Grace H	Oliver D	6F	Jett T-H	Oliver H

They were presented with certificates in assembly, which will be on display in school for a week and have been given a privilege card which entitles them to go for lunch first with a friend on a day of their choice this week and a non-uniform day on Friday of this week.

Moorlands Munch!



Next week sees the start of an exciting new system in school. Each week, a child from Reception/KS1 and a child from KS2 will be picked by their lunchtime supervisor to bring home a Moorlands Munch activity bag containing a soft toy, Munch, games and activities all related to learning more about and exploring food. Every class will have a turn and children will be selected for a range of reasons including showing good manners, eating well or trying a new food. Everything is explained in the pack, which should come home on a Wednesday and will need to be back in school by the following Monday. We hope that Munch enjoys his foodie adventures and can't wait to find out what he has been up to!

Shout Outs





Last Thursday, a group of our super speedy runners took part in the Kirklees Cross Country Final. They were all amazing and have all got through to the West Yorkshire Finals in February. We are so proud of you all.

Over the weekend, Ella, with her friend and classmate Zara, both in Year 1, participated in their first dance competition. They both put on a brilliant performance for their debut performance, getting 4th place in the Junior Duet section at the Wintertime Dance Festival in Batley.



Arlo played in his first football tournament this weekend and tried his best, particularly out in the cold for several hours. He's only been going to training for a few months and we are very proud of his efforts.



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Matilda in 2H has impressed us with all her hard work on her spelling. She has been improving her weekly test scores by practising at home. She has been using the games on Spelling Shed to help her. Well done, Matilda, we are very proud of you - keep up the great work!

Reception Playground

From Monday, 22nd January, please can we ask Reception parents and children to wait either outside the hall doors (SS) or the outside Year 1 classrooms (HH & DD) in the morning. This will allow us to set up our outdoor learning before school.

Moorlands Star Writer of the Week

This week's Star Writer is Iram from 5S who wrote a fabulous narrative about what happened next in Skellig. Iram's work was neatly presented, using lots of imagery to describe the setting and the events taking place in her story. Iram also included lots of modal verbs, subordinating clauses and direct speech. Well done, Iram! All work chosen for Moorlands Star Writer of the Week will be shared on the school website and can be found under the 'Curriculum' tab on the website's main page. Our wonderful writing is also shared on Pobble (information about how to access Pobble will be sent by your child's class teacher. Please contact them directly if you are unable

to access Pobble). Be sure to keep checking our newsletter and website to see who the next Moorlands Star Writer will be!

School Bus - Service P48

If any parents/carers would like to book the school bus for travel to and from school, information concerning the P48 bus route is attached to this newsletter. Travel costs ± 1.00 and further information can be found by following the link shown below.

https://www.wymetro.com/schools/your-school/

Dates for Your Diary

23 rd January 24	3CM to Bagshaw Museum
25 th January 24	3M and 3S to Bagshaw Museum
1st February 24	PTA Discos
7th February 24	Year 1 Phonics screening information (9.10am after reading morning)
8th February 24	Year 1 Phonics screening information 5.30pm
8 th February 24	How we teach Maths evening - Early Years and KS1 – 5pm - 5.30pm
8 th February 24	How we teach Maths evening KS2 5.30pm-6.00pm
8 th February 24	Year 6 SAT's Information evening – 6.00 pm
9th February 24	School closes at the end of the day for half term.
19th February 24	INSET Day - teacher training, school closed.
20 th February 24	School re-opens.
20 th February 24	10 to Manchester Airport
21st February 24	1P to Manchester Airport
22 nd February 24	1K to Manchester Airport



21 st February 24	Young Voices Choir to Sheffield Arena
27 th February 24	Strictly Pennine Dance Festival
7 th March 24	World Book Day
21 st March 24	PTA Easter Egg Bingo
22 nd March 24	Yr.1 Easter assembly
22 nd March 24	School closes at the end of the day for the Easter holidays

Remember there are regular updates on X @MoorlandsHudds and on our school website <u>www.moorlandsprimary.org.uk.</u> As always, we do have an open-door policy, so if there is anything you would like to speak to us about, please do. They are offering schools a voucher code (back2school) so that households can get a discount on entry when booked through www.brickworkshops.co.uk . The discount code expires at the end of 24th January.

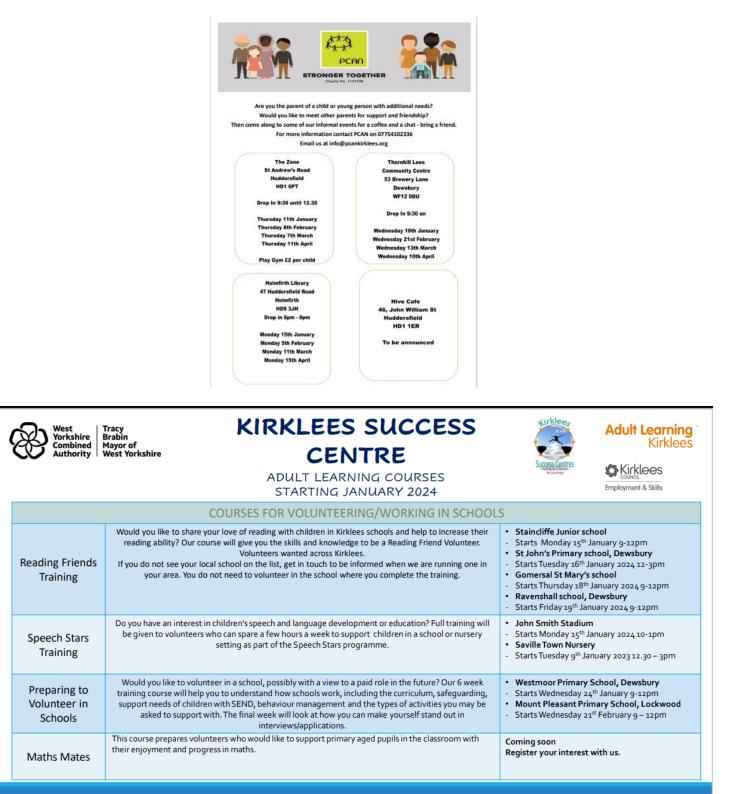






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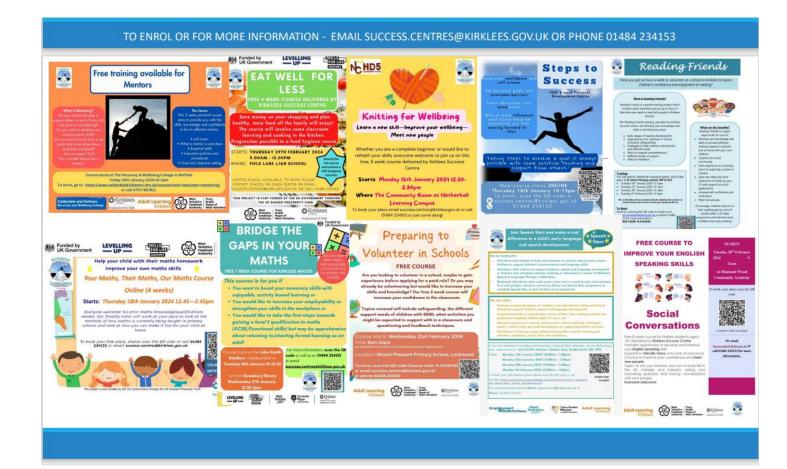




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	COURSES FOR HEALTH AND WELLBEING	
Eat Well for Less	Our popular short course looks at ways to save money on your food bills and make healthy, tasty food for all the family.	Field Lane J, I & N School Starts Thursday 29 th February 9-12pm
Steps to Success	Need help to increase your confidence, self-esteem or motivation? Join our friendly tutor on this popular course to look at the way we think, explore our comfort zones and to learn strategies to help overcome the issues and barriers in our lives.	Online Starts Thursday 18 th January 2024 10-12pm
Create Time for Wellbeing	Leave your worries behind and join us as we bring a variety of craft projects to have a go at, which may include marbling, weaving, Acrylic paint pen crafts/glass painting, Macrame, Paper Flowers/egg box flowers, Felting, Marbling, Jewellery/beading or rag rugs. Everyone welcome at these sessions.	Saville Town Nursery Thursday afternoons 1-3pm from 18 th January (starts with jewellery making)
Knitting for Wellbeing	Did you know knitting is good for your mental health and wellbeing? From beginners to improvers, join our friendly class where you can learn the basics or more advanced techniques. Everyone welcome, materials provided.	 Intermediate course starts at The Recovery & Wellbeing College in Mirfield (For anyone wanting to move on from the basics) Starts Tuesday 9th January 10-12pm Heckmondwike Primary school Wednesday 17th January 9-11.30am Netherhall Learning Campus community room Starts Monday 15th January 12.30-2.30pm
Write Time for Wellbeing	Suitable for anyone, no experience needed. Take some time out for you and learn activities you can do anytime which can help when you are feeling stressed and overwhelmed.	Coming soon Register your interest with us.
Weight Off Your Mind Workshop	Would you like to gain more control over your eating and have a positive mindset when it comes to your eating habits? This 2 hour workshop will explore how we can overcome emotional and binge eating to help you make healthier lifestyle choices.	ONLINE with the Recovery College in Mirfield Monday 15th January 10 – 12pm

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Courses delivered by our team of friendly tutors from Kirklees Success Centre. We provide free adult learning courses for any Kirklees resident aged 19+ at community venues, schools, online and from our classroom at the John Smith Stadium in Huddersfield.

For courses at the Recovery College, please telephone 07717 867911 or enrol by visiting the recovery college website https://www.calderdalekirkleesrc.nhs.uk/courses-and-enrolment/

More courses coming soon-get in touch today to register your interest or to be added to our termly update list or find us on Facebook - Kirklees Success Centre.



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ROUTES

Towards Moorlands Primary

From Crosland Road, Moor Hill Road, Hill Top Road, Deer Croft Crescent, Deer Croft Road, Moor Hill Road, Crosland Road, Lindley Moor Road, Moorlands Road.

From Moorlands Primary

From Moorlands Road, New Hey Road, New Hey Road, Gosport Lane, Forest Hill Road, Stainland Road, New Hey Road, Lindley Moor Road, Crosland Road, Moor Hill Road, Hill Top Road, Deer Croft Crescent, Deer Croft Road, Moor Hill Road, Crosland Road, New Hey Road, Westbourne Road.

TIMETABLE Crosland Road Moorhill Road Moorlands Road	DEP DEP ARR	0833 0838 0848
Moorlands PS	DEP	1540
Outlane Terminus	DEP	1545
Moorhill Road	DEP	1555
Crosland Road - New Hey Road	DEP	1605
Marsh Junction	ARR	1610

NOTES

SCHOOLS SERVED: Moorlands Primary, Moorlands Road, HUDDERSFIELD , HD3 3UH

OPERATOR: First 0113 381 5000

For any more information, please contact Education Transport on 0113 348 1122 or visit www.wymetro.com/schools Moorlands Primary School School Holiday Dates 2024/2025 School opens – Tuesday 3rd September 2024

Half Term Close Friday 25th October 2024 Reopen Tuesday 5th November 2024

<u>Christmas Holiday</u> School Closes Friday 20th December 2024 Reopen Monday 6th January 2025 Half Term Close Thursday 13th February 2025 Reopen Monday 24th February 2025

<u>Easter Holiday</u> School Closes Friday 4th April 2025 Reopen Tuesday 22nd April 2025 School Closed for May Day – Monday 5th May 2025 Half Term Closes Friday 23rd May 2025 Reopen Monday 2nd June 2025

School Closes for Summer Holidays – Friday 18th July 2025

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