

Prep School Newsletter

Friday 29th November 2019

The entire Prep school enjoyed a real treat on Thursday when a History Alive Workshop brought Egypt to Liverpool College. Famous Egyptologist Howard Carter took students on an unforgettable journey to discover the secrets of the pyramids and the civilisation that brought us so many inventions that changed the world. Cleopatra even travelled through time to tell us about life in ancient Egypt and the power of the Pharaohs. The students all learnt a great deal through their unique and highly interactive show.



The entire year 3 took part in a full day of Egyptian themed activities to support their learning in History. All children, and teachers, were all provided with Egyptian costumes and learnt a fabulous Egyptian dance with Cleopatra. An Egyptologist then demonstrated the process of mummification using an Egyptian dummy and the children became priests to embalm them. This was followed by a mummy wrapping competition and a hieroglyphics workshop. The children all learnt a great deal about Egypt through this superb and highly engaging experience.





Mr Stamper and Mrs Doran enjoyed the Egyptian Workshop too!



U10 & U11 Rugby v St Mary's Crosby (A)

Our rugby players travelled to Crosby on Friday afternoon to play St Mary's. Our U11s, coached by Mr Hall, played an outstanding game of rugby from start to finish. They were disciplined, inventive and determined in every aspect of their play. Charlie P, our captain for this game, particularly impressed Mr Hall with his tackling. It became hard to keep count of the tries being scored, but I'm told we won something like 12-1!

Our U10s played a slightly different version of tag rugby than they are used to, and we ended up splitting ourselves into two teams, playing two matches each. In each match our boys showed how much they have learnt playing this game. Their defensive shape was solid and well-organised, and there was some fantastic footwork as we went on the attack. We ran out winners in all 4 of the matches we played.

In the end, Liverpool College played 5 matches and won them all very well. A huge well done to all of the players involved!

The U10 and U11 girl's netball teams travelled to St Mary's last Friday. All excited, they were raring to go!

The U11 A team started competitively and it was a really close game with great goals from Esme W. A solid defence from Molly M, Shanzay J and Orla C enabled the girls to retain possession. The team came away with their first win! 3-2 to Liverpool College.

The U11 B team played their first match and really worked hard to keep possession and score some goals. It was a tough first match but it didn't dampen the enthusiasm of Rose H and Angelica C! The girls will build on this for their next match.

Finally, the U10 played a fantastic match! These girls are so enthusiastic, they take on board advice and are so keen to play. Katy W and Phoebe H scored some super goals, Ava S, Neha J and Malaya S were solid in defence and Isla M, Poppy M and Eva P were racing round everywhere. A well-deserved win for the U10's. 4-1 to Liverpool College.

A huge well done to all the girls and we look forward to our next fixture!



A big thank you to our pupils and parents!

The Pre-prep children enjoyed welcoming **Courage the Cat** into school. They collected our donated toys for the annual Radio City Toy Appeal. Thank you to staff, parents and pupils for their generosity. Last year, over 20,000 children in Liverpool were helped by this appeal and over £1,000,000 worth of toys were donated.



Year 6 were extremely lucky on Friday to receive a writing masterclass from award winning author Seth Burkett. Seth is an ex professional footballer who rose to fame as the only British player playing football in Brazil. He combined his passion for football with his love of writing to pen his first book based on his experiences called 'A Boy from Brazil'. At only 22 years of age, Seth became the youngest person ever to win the British Sports Book of the year award. More recently, Seth has become a Ghost writer for some of the world's biggest You Tube stars, Woody, Klieny and even the Singing Dentist. The lucky Year 6 students received a masterclass in how to become a ghost writer - and then became actual ghost writers themselves. The students found this workshop to be wonderfully inspiring and we look forward to reading the Year 6s finished pieces of writing next week.

Liverpool College was incredibly proud to host a stretch and challenge mathematics day on Tuesday where Able mathematicians from 7 different schools across Liverpool came to Liverpool College to receive a mathematics masterclass. Hosted by mathematician Colin Fieldhouse, the workshops inspired and challenged students to work at a level significantly beyond that of the normal Year 5 curriculum.



Play rehearsals on Thursday 5th December are for Main Parts and Group 1 & 2 only! Until 5.30pm. Pick up from the Prep School entrance.



The Bitesize Theatre Company will be in school on Thursday 12th December performing Robin Hood!

There is a cost associated with the performance and we would welcome a voluntary contribution of £3 per child by Friday 6th December to be handed to the class teacher.



Christingle Services

Parents, grandparents and friends are warmly invited to attend our Christingle Service to be held in Mossley Hill Parish Church:

Tuesday 10th December

The service will start at 7pm

The PTA will be selling warm Christmas cocktails before the service.

If you are able to help walk the children from school to the church for the afternoon rehearsal on the 10th December please contact Mrs Herron for further details.

Weekly Class Attendance and Punctuality Awards

Class	Attendance %		Punctuality %	
3R	96.4	😞	96.4	😞
3Q	88.8	😞	88.4	😞
3P	97.3	😊	97.3	😊
4R	96.9	😞	97.3	😊
4P	94.6	😞	96.4	😞
4Q	92.0	😞	92.0	😞
5P	90.3	😞	90.7	😞
5Q	92.0	😞	92.0	😞
6Q	88.4	😞	88.4	😞
6P	95.5	😞	95.5	😞



CONGRATULATIONS TO THE PREPLINGS WHO SANG A WONDERFUL CHRISTMAS CONCERT

AT ST GEORGE'S HALL IN 'A CONCERT FOR A CURE'.

Action for Children - Thursday 5th December

Any member of the choir who have not returned their reply slips for Action for Children please do so before Tuesday 3rd. Reminder. Children will be leaving from school and **will need a packed tea.**

A full Michaelmas 2019 term calendar has been emailed to parents and is available on the website

Thur 5 Dec Year 3 R class assembly
 Reception – Year 6 Flu Vaccination
 Action for Children Concert, Liverpool Cathedral

Well done to 3P Form for the best attendance this week with 97.3%! Keep up the good work, as we want all of our 'Mr and Mrs Potato Heads' to be clothed!

PLEASE CHECK THAT ALL KIT/UNIFORM IS NAMED THIS WEEKEND

We have rather a lot of unnamed lost property in the lost property box.

Max McQ has lost his named jumper and Arben L has lost his named school coat.



ON SALE NOW!
PERSONALISED
CHRISTMAS STOCKINGS



FOR KIDS
BIG & SMALL
90cm
£10.50

2 INITIALS AVAILABLE
BUT WILL BE SMALLER
THAN SHOWN



FOR YOUR
FURRY FRIENDS
46cm
£7.00

£5 DEPOSIT REQUIRED PER STOCKING ORDERED.
PLEASE ASK FOR AN
ORDER FORM
FROM THE SCHOOL OFFICE.

SEW ARTY

WINTER MINI MAKES CLUB

Come and have some fun! Let your imagination run wild!
Design, Customise, Sew, Create!

WEDNESDAY 11th DECEMBER 2018

3.15 - 4.15 £7 per child

for school years 3-6

This winter we
will be making beautiful
decorative wreaths
which can be used
to decorate your home
for every season and occasion!!



I would like my child to join Winter Mini Makes Club by **SEW ARTY**

Childs Name: _____

Childs Class: _____

Parent/Guardian Name _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____

Parent/Guardian Email _____

PLACES ARE LIMITED. PAYMENT REQUIRED BEFORE PLACE CAN BE BOOKED.

Payment of **£7** must be made to school **1 WEEK IN ADVANCE.**

PAYMENTS IN CASH ONLY PLEASE.

Place in an envelope with your child's name & class written on the front. **THANK YOU!**

NB, THIS CLUB IS RUN BY SEW ARTY BUT THIS IS NOT SEWING CLUB AND IS CHARGED SEPARATELY. NONE PAYMENT COULD MEAN YOUR CHILD HAS TO ATTEND AFTER SCHOOL CLUB

UNLESS PRIOR ARRANGEMENT HAS BEEN MADE WITH THE SEW ARTY TEAM.
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Best wishes to you all
for a good weekend!
Mrs A Pease - Head of
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