



Livingstone Newsletter

17th April 2026

Star of the Week:

Nursery: Chester

Year 3: Heidi

Reception: Hooriya

Year 4: Luka

Year 1: Celine

Year 5: Noor

Year 2: Mila

Year 6: Amber

Well done to all our stars of the week!

Clubs:

Bookings for clubs will open at 6pm on Monday 20th April. The club list for this term is below. Please note the start date – most start next week, but some don't.

Club	Years	Places	Day	Times	Teacher	Start Date
Coding Club	Y5, Y6	12	Tuesday	3.15 - 4.15pm	Mrs Legge	28th April
Lego Club	Y3, Y4	12	Tuesday	3.15 – 4.15pm	Mrs Coulter	21 st April
Multisports club	Y1, Y2	20	Tuesday	3.15 – 4.15pm	Mr Flint	21 st April
Multisports / Cricket club	Y5, Y6	30	Wednesday	3.15 – 5.00pm	Tameside Active coach / Cricket coach	22 nd April
Sewing Club	Y3, Y4, Y5, Y6	10	Thursday	3.15 – 4.15pm	Miss Willard	23 rd April
Debate Club	Same as last term	6	Thursday	3.15 – 4.00pm	Miss Mathews	23 rd April
Motor Skills – bikes and balance bikes	R, Y1 Ideally Y1 who can't ride a pedal bike	16	Thursday	3.15 – 4.15pm	Ms Sellers	23 rd April

Year 5 Jodrell Bank Visit:

Please make sure that you have completed the survey to give your permission and made your payment for the Educational Visit to Jodrell Bank next Thursday. Thank you for your support.

Big Sing at Mossley Hollins:

On Monday 27th April, Year 5 will also be going up to Mossley Hollins to participate in the Big Sing. They will be performing a song for other local schools and participating in group singing activities. They will walk up to Hollins after lunch and then walk back together afterwards. If the event overruns, they may be slightly late returning to school.

Blind Side Performance:

We have also arranged for Y5 and Y6 to see a performance called 'Blind Side' which is funded by Tameside. This production followed by a Q and A session, is written to combat violence against women and girls.

<https://breakingbarriersrochdale.co.uk/project/blind-side/>

Royal Institution Science Event:

Excitingly, we have managed to arrange for the Royal Institution to come into school on the 7th May.

<https://www.rigb.org/learning/science-shows-your-school>

They will be delivering an exciting and probably eventful science show to all year groups on this day! There will also be a community event in the evening from 5.30-6.30pm which we will be offering tickets for in the next couple of week. This will be on a first come, first served basis. Look out for the information.

Nursery lists for future years:

If you have a child under 3 and you haven't yet added them to our Nursery lists please do so! We maintain these lists for future years so that we can then offer places to those on the lists. Please do let us know if you'd like to add your child to the list – they are never too young – I recently added a child who was only a week old to the list for September 2029!

SchoolGrid school meal ordering:

Remember to order your child's meal on School Grid. If there's no choice marked, they will get the default option which is a jacket potato with a choice of filling. The cut off time for orders on the day is 8.55am. Apologies for the issues with School Grid this week, it is not under school's control.

Smart watches:

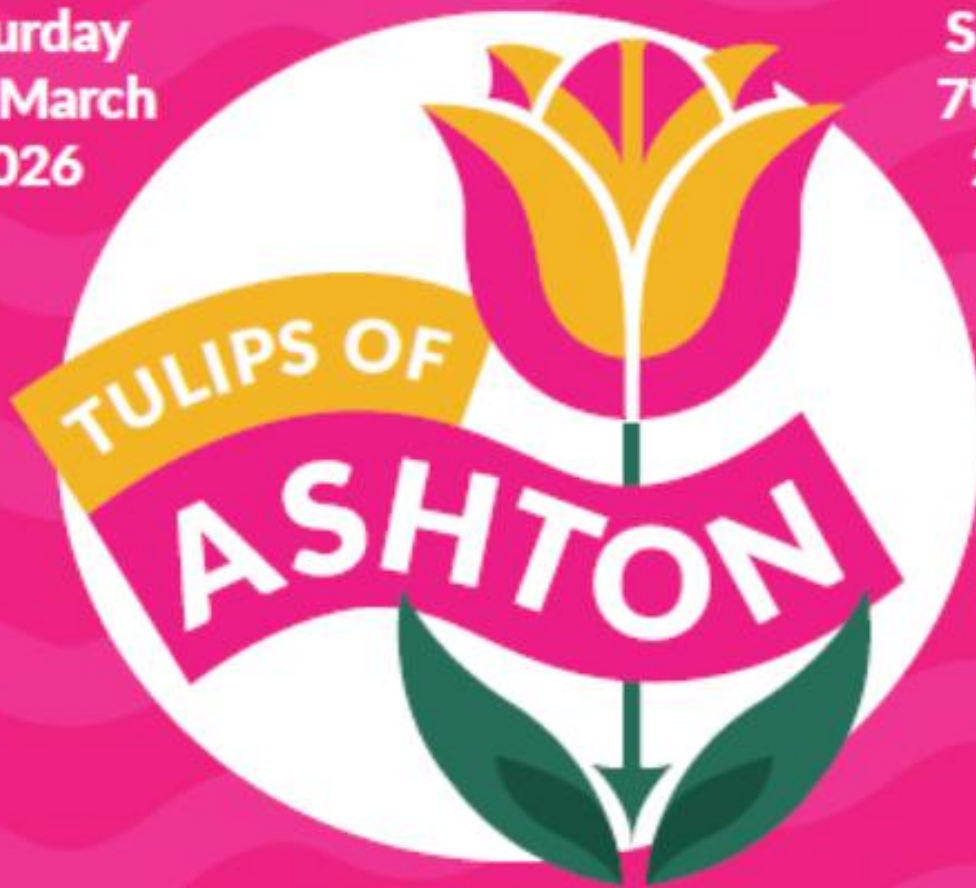
Please do not let children wear smart watches for school. Some have calculator or camera options even when not connected to a phone and this is not appropriate in school. Thank you for your support.

Diary Dates

Thursday 23rd April – Year 5 Educational Visit to Joddrell Bank
Monday 27th April – Year 5 to Big Sing at Mossley Hollins pm
Tuesday 28th April – Blind Side Y5 & Y6 – production challenging violence against women and girls
Monday 4th May – Bank Holiday, School Closed
Wednesday 6th May – Year 4 virtual Times Tables Challenge against Mossley Partnership Schools.
Thursday 7th May – Royal Institution Science day including community show in the evening 5.30pm – 6.30pm
Monday 11th May – Thursday 14th May – KS2 SATs
Monday 18th May & Tuesday 19th May Y6 Bikeability
Tuesday 19th May – Year 1 Educational Visit to Blackpool Zoo; Y2 Athletics competition @ MHHS
Friday 22nd May – End of half term 3.15pm
Monday 25th May – Friday 5th June – Whit half term holiday.
Monday 8th June – Children return to school
Monday 15th June – Wednesday 17th June – Robinwood
Thursday 18th June – Debate competition @ MHHS
Friday 19th June – Class Photos
Thursday 25th June – MHHS Y6 Parents Partnership Evening
Monday 29th June – MHHS Roadshow event for Y6 (Y7 2026) at Livingstone 5pm
Thursday 2nd July – Y6 Transition day; Internal transition day and new EYFS transition session
Friday 3rd July – Y6 Transition day
Tuesday 7th July – Y5 7 Y6 Football Festival @ MHHS 3.45pm
Thursday 9th July – Mayan Cookery Y5 @ MHHS
Monday 13th July – Primary Olympics – Y3,4,5,6
Tuesday 14th July – Y6 performance 6pm
Wednesday 15th July – Y6 performance 6pm
Friday 17th July – Non uniform day to raise funds for Friends of Livingstone
Wednesday 22nd July – Celebration evening 3.30pm come and look at your child's work from over the year
Thursday 23rd July – Leavers Do 5.30-7.30pm
Friday 24th July – Leavers assembly 2pm; End of term 3.15pm

Saturday
14th March
2026

Sunday
7th June
2026



The Ashton Sculpture Trail Is Here!

Get ready for an unforgettable family adventure right in the heart of Ashton!

A vibrant collection of hand-crafted sculptures — cast, designed, and decorated by local artists, community groups, and our very own borough's industries — is popping up all across the town centre.

From the moment you step through the town's gateways to the bustling shopping districts, you'll be greeted by a trail bursting with creativity and colour, guiding you on a playful journey through Ashton.



Scan the QR code to find
out more about the trail!
www.intameside.co.uk



Look out for the
information and
activity packs at
your local library!

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STORY TIME



Sit back and listen to some of our favourite stories, then take part in crafts, colouring, and puzzles.

STORIES FROM 11AM

DUKINFIELD LIBRARY, CONCORD WAY, SK16 4DB

SATURDAY 14 MAR
SATURDAY 18 APR
SATURDAY 16 MAY

AIMED AT 3-6 YEAR OLDS AND THEIR FAMILIES

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Short Story Competition



FOR YOUNG WRITERS



Deadline:

Friday 1st May 2026

Theme: "Once Upon a Storytime"

The winners will be published on



CATEGORIES:
5-7, 8-11 & 12-16
500 WORDS MAX

Scan to enter



Write your own fairy tale

JOIN OUR CLUB! 2026/27 SEASON!



FREE OPEN TRAINING!
ALL AGE GROUPS!
ALL ABILITIES!
BOYS AND GIRLS TEAMS!
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MOSSLEY COMMUNITY CENTRE

MOSSLEY SCARECROW FESTIVAL

1st-10th May **2026**

Following on from last year's amazing festival,
we would like to hold our next Spring Scarecrow event!

Calling all Businesses, Schools, Community Groups and
Individuals, get your creative juices flowing and make a
Scarecrow to display during the week
at your home, street or premises!

FUN & GAMES is the theme!

Let's make Mossley smile.

FREE TO ENTER



Register your interest to be included in a trail map,
by April 3rd by emailing:

admin@mossleycommunitycentre.org.uk

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