



Northway News

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CURRENT WHOLE SCHOOL ATTENDANCE:

96% - Well done everyone!

BEST INFANT CLASSES

97.7% - Y1/2 Mr Wright

BEST JUNIOR CLASS

96% - Y3 Mrs McGhee & Y5
Mrs Shimmin & Mrs Collins

Exciting News - Our New Junior Library is Open!

We are thrilled to announce the opening of our brand-new Junior Library, a wonderful space designed to inspire a lifelong love of reading in our children. This fantastic addition to our school has been made possible thanks to the generous donations from you throughout the past year and the incredible support at school events. A huge thank you to our dedicated PTA members for their hard work in organising these events. The children are already enjoying the library, and it's proving to be a great environment for them to explore books and develop their reading skills.



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY FOR THE NEXT TWO WEEKS

Tues 2nd Dec @ 8am: Reception & Y6
Breakfast with Santa

Wed 3rd Dec @ 8am: Y1 & Y2
Breakfast with Santa

Thurs 4th Dec @ 8am: Y3, Y4 & Y5
Breakfast with Santa

Fri 5th Dec: Y5 visit Lydiate Over 50s
Club

Mon 8th - Fri 12th Dec: Food bank
donations week

Mon 8th Dec @ 3.30pm: Choir
performance

Tues 9th Dec: Stars Christmas jumper
day

Tues 9th Dec @ 9.15am: Reception, Y1
& Y2 Infant Christmas performance

Tues 9th Dec @ 2.30pm: Reception, Y1
& Y2 Infant Christmas performance

Wed 10th Dec @ 8.50-9.50am: Stars
Christmas stay and play

Wed 10th Dec @ 12.30-1.30:
Rainbows Christmas stay and play

Fri 12th Dec: Christmas jumper day
(Rainbows-Y6)

Fri 12th Dec: Nursery Rainbows
Christmas party

Fri 12th Dec @ 9.15am: Y3, Y4, Y5 &
Y6 Junior Christmas performance

Fri 12th Dec @ 2.15pm: Y3, Y4, Y5 &
Y6 Junior Christmas performance



Food Bank Donations

This Christmas, let's continue to spread acts of kindness. While we truly appreciate the thoughtful gifts often given to staff at this time of year, we would love for you to instead donate to our local food bank. From the week beginning 8th December, we will be collecting items for Maghull Food Bank. Every contribution, big or small, will make a difference. Together, we can make Christmas brighter by giving the gift of kindness. THANK-YOU!

Film Night

Thank-you to everyone who attended Film Night earlier this week! Even after deductions for the snack packs, the event has raised £1041.89 which will be putting towards our next exciting project!

Uniform Shop

You may have noticed the units in the main office with our uniform shop in. If you are in need of any items, please browse through and either help yourself or make a small donation. If you are having a sort out then please send in *GOOD AS NEW* items which have been washed so they can be pre-loved!

Christmas Jumper Competition

On Friday 21st November, the children brought home a design Christmas jumper competition. If your child wishes to enter the competition, please send all designs back into school by Friday 5th December along with 50p. All proceeds will go towards our PTA funds.

Maghull Youth Council

Celebrating Our Year 6 Representatives

We are incredibly proud of our Year 6 representatives who recently attended the Maghull Youth Council and visited Bootle Town Hall to meet the Mayor of Sefton. This was a fantastic opportunity for our pupils to develop their leadership skills and have their voices heard in shaping the future of their community. Experiences like these help our children understand the importance of active citizenship and inspire them to make a positive difference. Charlotte, Joseph and Harry will now form part of Maghull Youth Council where they can represent the views of young people to make changes in our community. We are so proud of them!





Grow with me Christmas Tree

Using the left-over funds that we raised during 'Bird Week', we have bought our own Christmas tree. Each year, come and take your picture next to the Christmas tree as you bloom and grow together!



If anyone is skilled in carpentry and would be willing to make us a sign to dig into the ground saying:

Grow With Me Christmas Tree

Planted 2025

Please contact Mrs Harrison via the office.

Pantomime

Last week, Reception to Y6 enjoyed a visit from a pantomime company performing Jack and the Beanstalk. This is something we pay for as a school for a Christmas treat so it was lovely to so many singing along and enjoying it!

Parent Workshop - Children's Behaviour: Thinking and Expanding Your Toolkit

Wednesday 3rd December - POSTPONED

Following feedback from parents, we are going to move this to the New Year. There is so much going on in December for families that January feels like a time when this will be better scheduled. We'll let you know the new date when it is booked in.

FAMILY SUPPORT INFORMATION

School Safeguarding Team: Mrs McKenzie, Mrs McGhee & Mrs Harrison. Please arrange a meeting via the school office, if you require support.

Maghull Food Bank: Based at St. Georges United Reformed Church, Northway, Maghull. Open Tuesdays 10am-12pm. No vouchers needed.

CAMHS Crisis Care Team: 0151 293 3577 or Freephone 0808 196 3550. This team offers 24 hour support to children and young people (under 18) who are in mental health crisis in Liverpool or Sefton.

Domestic Abuse support: SWACCA - www.swacca.com for women, young people and children throughout Sefton

Mental Health Support for Men: Sean's Place in Sefton and Liverpool www.seansplace.org.uk

Mental Health Support: MIND - www.mind.org.uk

Mental Health support for young people: Young minds www.youngminds.org.uk

Click on our QR code to find out what has been happening each week in our curriculum.

