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Northway News



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CURRENT WHOLE SCHOOL ATTENDANCE:
97.7% - It's increased since the last newsletter!

BEST INFANT CLASSES

99.6% - Rec Mrs O'Connor

BEST JUNIOR CLASS

99% - Y5 Mrs Rigby

SEND Coffee Afternoon

Thank-you to those parents who attended this yesterday afternoon and we hope you found it useful. Our Inclusion Consultant is sending links with further information over which we will share with all parents in the next newsletter.

Show Racism the Red Card Day

On **Friday 16th October** we invite all children to wear red to school. They do not need to wear their uniform on this day and may wear a red item of clothing or red accessories. No donation of money is required as this is an awareness raising event.

Alder Hey PJ Day

On **Friday 23rd October** we invite all children to wear their PJ's to school. We will be asking for a minimum donation of £1 to send to Alder Hey Children's Hospital. Please help us to support such an amazing cause - we promise not to fall asleep for the day!

School Council 2026-27



We are proud to announce our new School Council have already set to work showing prospective parents around our school and representing our Northway community. Today they enjoyed a treat from the Coffee Carriage to celebrate their new post and completing their first successful mission!

They have already begun to make plans to improve the local area with Councillor Mrs Crompton, raise money for charities and raise awareness around racism, starting with an assembly to promote equality, respect and kindness.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Wed 30th Sept: Individ. & sibling photographs for Rec-Y6 (Nurs in Jan)

Fri 16th Oct: Show Racism the Red Card - Wear red (non-uniform - all red or just an item that is red)

Fri 23rd Oct: Alder Hey PJ Day

Fri 23rd Oct: Finish for Half Term - normal time

Mon 2nd Nov: School reopens

Wed 11th Nov: Parents' Evening School close: 1:30pm
After Sch Club close: 4pm



PARKING

Photographs have been sent of a silver car parking halfway across a resident's drive on Dodds Lane this week. The car was blocking the drive for 20 minutes. Please be considerate of our residents and park respectfully.

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



Northway Children Compete in First Sefton Primary Schools Cross Country League Race

A huge well done to all of our junior children who took part in the first Sefton Primary Schools Cross Country League race on Tuesday evening. The race was at Merchant Taylors' School and there were hundreds of children taking part, including lots of pupils from Northway who were terrific representatives of our school. Children from Year 3, Year 4, Year 5 and Year 6 took part and they all performed brilliantly. A special well done must go to Lula, Ezra, Charlotte and Kieran who came first for Northway in the races for their age categories. Out of the 144 competitors in the Year 5/6 Girls Race, Charlotte came 4th which is truly incredible! All of the children who took part received a massive ovation from the rest of the school in our celebration assembly.



Secondary School Admissions

A letter from Sefton Admissions has been sent to all Y6 parents and carers regarding applying for a secondary school place for next September 2027 by 31st October.

If you are wishing to apply for a secondary school in the Sefton area, please use the following link to complete the online application- [Starting primary or secondary school in September 2026](#)

If you are wishing to apply for a secondary school in the Knowsley area, please use the following link to complete the online application- [Applying for admission to year 7 in secondary school | Knowsley Council](#)

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