



# PROSPECT VALE GAZETTE

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## An Action-Packed Week Ahead

We've got another busy and exciting week coming up at Prospect Vale! Year 4 are heading off on their trip to the River Mersey, which promises to be a fantastic opportunity to bring their learning to life. Wednesday will also be our Website Photography Day, so we'd really appreciate your support in making sure the children come in looking super smart and ready to shine.



There's plenty more happening too – our KS2 footballers are in action on Friday with a match at Etchells Primary School, and it would be brilliant to have your support on the sidelines cheering them on. Our music provision continues to thrive, with recorder, brass and choir filling the school with sound throughout the week. Year 6 parents are also

invited to a meeting on Monday afternoon to go through the final details ahead of the Robin Wood residential, which takes place on 15th October.

Finally, a special reminder to our Nursery parents that it's your turn for the big phonics roll-out meeting this week. This is a really important chance to find out how you can support your child with their reading at home, so we'd love to see as many of you there as possible.



Thank you, as always, for your support – and don't forget to read on below to find out more about our upcoming discos, how you can get involved, and how to book your tickets.

Many thanks,  
Mr Redfearn



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**Headteacher**  
Luke Redfearn



# Dates for your diary

## Monday 29<sup>th</sup> September

- ★★ PM Hot Chocolate with Mr Redfearn for Star of the Week Certificate Winners
- ★★ Year 2 and Year 3: Cheer, Dance and Gym After-School Club
- ★★ Rock Steady PM
- ★★ Robin Wood Meeting at 3.30pm in Year 6
- ★★ 3.30-4.30 Reception/KS1 Futsal

## Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> September

- ★★ 3.30-4.30 – Boys Football Club
- ★★ 3.30-4.30 – Girls Football Club with SCFC
- ★★ Rapid Catch-up Phonics Meeting with Parents (Year 2)

## Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> October

- ★★ Website Photography Day
- ★★ Year 4 Trip to River Mersey
- ★★ Forest School for Reception AM
- ★★ Forest School for Year 1 PM
- ★★ Choir at lunchtime
- ★★ Lacrosse for Year 3, PM
- ★★ Lacrosse for Year 5, PM
- ★★ 3.30-4.30 Lacrosse Club
- ★★ 3.30 Nursery Phonics Meeting with Parents

## Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> October

- ★★ 3.30-4.30 Cheerleading Club Year 4/5/6
- ★★ 3.15-4.15 Recorder Club

## Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> October

- ★★ Year 2 Footballers at the Etihad
- ★★ Year 4 Recorder Lesson AM
- ★★ Year 5 Brass Lesson AM
- ★★ Year 4 Swimming AM
- ★★ 3.30-4.30 KS2 Futsal
- ★★ KS2 Football Match at Etchells Primary School



# Lacrosse at Prospect Vale

The children have been really enjoying their lacrosse sessions in school – it's been fantastic to see their skills developing and their enthusiasm shining through. We are so fortunate to be able to offer such a broad and varied curriculum, giving our pupils the chance to experience different sports and activities.

If your child has loved trying lacrosse in school, there are also opportunities to get involved in after-school sessions. Please do consider giving it a go – it's a great way to build confidence, teamwork, and fitness while having fun!











## Coffee Morning Success

A huge thank you to all our parents and staff for the wonderful cake donations that poured in last week. From chocolate brownies to classic Victoria sponges, the tables were groaning with choice and the smell of freshly baked treats filled the hall. It was a real joy to see our school community come together, share a chat over coffee, and raise money for such a fantastic cause.

Some of the bakes on display could easily have been contenders for *The Great British Bake Off*! We are always amazed by the hidden talents within our community. Thank you also to everyone who contributed through donations while enjoying a slice (or two!) – every contribution helped make the event such a success.

It's great to raise money for such a worthwhile cause, and we couldn't be prouder of the generosity and support shown by our families and staff. Events like this remind us how special our school community is and how much we can achieve when we work together.

Well done, everyone, and thank you once again!



# Photographs Next Week



Last year we captured some incredible photographs of our children for our school website, and they really showed off the spirit of Prospect Vale. On Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> October, we'll be taking some updated pictures so that our website continues to reflect the vibrancy of our school.

We would be grateful if children could come into school looking extra smart in their uniform on these days. A neat appearance will help us showcase our school in the best possible way.

Alongside the new photographs, we will also be refreshing the website with the most up-to-date policies, procedures, and curriculum information, making it an even more useful and welcoming resource for parents and visitors alike.





# Keep the Fundraising Going!

We are delighted to share that Prospect Vale is doing brilliantly in the Tesco blue token scheme at Heald Green! Every token counts towards securing vital funding for our school projects, and it's wonderful to see the support from our community.

A quick tip: we've been informed that at the Heald Green shop, the blue tokens are located **right by the tills**, but you won't be handed them automatically. Instead, you can simply pick some up every time you shop – so please remember to grab a few and pop them in the Prospect Vale slot!

Thank you for helping us make the most of this opportunity – your small actions will have a big impact. Look how well we are doing!



# School Discos: Volunteers Needed! 🎵 ✨

Tickets are selling steadily for our upcoming discos, but it's not too late to get yours! You can still book using this link: [Book tickets here](#).

Special mention to the upcoming discos:

- KS1 Spooky Disco – Friday 17th October, 4pm
- KS2 Spooky Disco – Friday 24th October, 4pm

We're also looking for **five volunteers** for each disco to help run our ever-popular tattoo stall. If you are able to lend a hand, please email the PTA at [prospectvalepta@gmail.com](mailto:prospectvalepta@gmail.com). Your support helps make these events a great success and ensures the children have a fantastic time!





## Certificate Winners

Nursery	Melissa
Reception	Thomas
Year 1	Aaliyah
Year 2	Zaki
Year 3	Musa
Year 4	Isaac
Year 5	Edith
Year 6	Leena

## Dojo Certificates

Every day, children are awarded with dojo points that count towards a weekly total and an ongoing total. The weekly total winners for each class are displayed here. There are also opportunities to receive badges for children collecting dojos over time. This allows us to celebrate our school ethos at every opportunity.

Nursery	Hafsa
Reception	Sanvi & Mohammad
Year 1	Eliza
Year 2	Sama
Year 3	Ali
Year 4	Sara
Year 5	Edith
Year 6	Megan

## Attendance

Well done to **Year 3** for achieving the highest attendance this week! Keep up the great work!

This is quite behind our **96%** target. We need to aim for a higher percentage next week!

Reception	87.8
Year 1	95
Year 2	96.7
Year 3	97
Year 4	93
Year 5	95.6
Year 6	92.7
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>93.9%</b>

