



# PROSPECT VALE GAZETTE

We care, we strive, together we thrive

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## Headteacher's Message

It is such an exciting time of year, with lots of new faces in school and lots of children preparing for their next steps. This week, we welcomed some of our new Reception and Nursery children, and children across school also spent time a whole day with their new teachers as part of Transition Day. Read on below to find out more!

We are also very busy behind the scenes preparing for September and making sure everything is ready for the year ahead. Usually, we would be receiving our Year 6 SATs results next Tuesday, but this has been delayed nationally and schools will now receive these on **16th July**.

Next week, we also have our rearranged EYFS Sports Day taking place on Thursday morning at 9.15am-10am, followed by our

KS1 Sports Day in the afternoon at 1:30pm. We are really looking forward to welcoming families into school for both events.

Finally, Mrs Hall has a PE surprise activity planned for us all next Wednesday – and parents are invited to join us for the first session in the morning at 9am! Watch this space...



Mr Redfearn, Headteacher

# Dates for your diary

## Monday 6<sup>th</sup> July

- ★ ★ Cheshire Cricket in School
- ★ ★ Extreme Reading Launch!
- ★ ★ PM Rock Steady in School
- ★ ★ Cheerleading Year 1/2 3.30-4.30
- ★ ★ 7pm Stockport Children's Book Awards

## Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> July

- ★ ★ KS2 Football Club 3.30-4.30

## Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> July

- ★ ★ Forest School
- ★ ★ Year 4 Formby Trip
- ★ ★ Surprise from Mrs Hall – COME IN YOUR PE KIT! Parents invited for first session at 9am!

## Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> July

- ★ ★ EYFS (Reception and Nursery) Sports Day 9.15-10am
- ★ ★ KS1 Sports Day 1.30pm
- ★ ★ Cheerleading Year 3/4/5/6
- ★ ★ 6.00pm Year 6 Show

## Friday 10<sup>th</sup> July

- ★ ★ 9.30am Year 6 Show
- ★ ★ Year 3 Swimming
- ★ ★ Year 4 Recorder
- ★ ★ Year 5 Brass



## The only way is UP! Transition Day at Prospect Vale!

This week, the children spent a whole day with their new teachers for next year. It was wonderful to see so many smiles, happy faces and children who were genuinely excited about the next stage of their journey at Prospect Vale.

Across school, classrooms were full of thoughtful activities, creative work and plenty of opportunities for children to get to know their new teachers, new routines and, in some cases, new classmates. The day was all about helping children feel confident, settled and ready for September.

I know the children will thrive next year and I am already excited to see all that they will achieve.

Have a look at the pictures below to see a little snapshot of what the children got up to in each classroom.















## Year 6 Show – Not to be missed!

Our Year 6 children have been working incredibly hard on their upcoming production of *Grossbusters*, and we cannot wait for families to see it.

The children have shown fantastic dedication, enthusiasm and teamwork to pull everything together in a relatively short period of time. From learning lines and songs to rehearsing scenes and supporting one another, they have thrown themselves into the challenge brilliantly.

There will be two showings next week:

Thursday 9th July at 6.00pm  
Friday 10th July at 9.30am

This is definitely not one to be missed – we are so proud of the effort the children have put in and look forward to welcoming families to enjoy the show.



## National Book Token

Help us win £1,000 for our school library

National Book Tokens are giving schools the chance to win £1,000 to spend on books for their school library – which would be a wonderful boost for our children and help us continue to build a love of reading across school.

The more nominations a school receives, the greater its chance of winning, so we would be really grateful if families could take a minute to nominate Prospect Vale too.

Please use the link below to nominate our school:

[\[Nominate Prospect Vale\]](#)



Thank you, as always, for your support.





## Ahoy! A New Adventure in Forest School

A big thank you to Teddy and Edith who have kindly donated a fantastic pirate ship for our Forest School provision. It has already sparked lots of excitement and imaginative play, and we know the children will absolutely love using it. We are even thinking about painting it to make it truly ours!

If you ever have something you would like to donate to school, please send us an email with a picture first. We can then let you know whether it would be suitable and, where possible, add it to our ever-growing provision.

Thank you, as always, for your generosity and support.



## Certificate Winners

Well done to our certificate winners this week. You went above and beyond in exemplifying our school ethos!

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| Reception | Dayan and Yusuf |
| Year 1    | Edith           |
| Year 2    | Shayan          |
| Year 3    | Musa T          |
| Year 4    | Rumaisa A       |
| Year 5    | Anaya           |
| Year 6    | Rio and Abigail |

## 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.

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| Reception | Sanvi              |
| Year 1    | Farah              |
| Year 2    | Sarrinah and Caleb |
| Year 3    | Noah               |
| Year 4    | Hania              |
| Year 5    | Safa               |
| Year 6    | Aminah and Alexia  |

## Attendance

Well done this week everyone for such a SPECTACULAR attendance this week. This is another incredible score!

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| Reception | 98.7 |
| Year 1    | 99.5 |
| Year 2    | 97.2 |
| Year 3    | 94.5 |
| Year 4    | 98.4 |
| Year 5    | 98.3 |
| Year 6    | 96   |
| TOTAL     | 97.4 |

