



SANDILANDS NEWS



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Dear Parents and Carers,

On Thursday, Sandilands held a Spelling Bee with 4 other schools from our local cluster. Our two Sandilands competitors were Christabel from Year 3 and Anvel from Year 6. Although they did not win, they did brilliantly and we are so proud of them! Congratulations and well done Christabel and Anvel!

This is your last chance to enter the World Book day 'read your way' photo competition. Winners of the book tokens will be announced in Monday's assemblies. Submit your entry to wbd@sandilands.manchester.sch.uk

Have a lovely weekend, Mrs Higginbotham



Dates for your Diary

- Tues 19th March**—Reading Breakfast Rec/Y1/Y2 8:15am
- Weds 20th March**—Reading Breakfast Nursery 9:10am
- Weds 20th March**—2:45pm Phonics Screening check parents meeting Y1 & Y2 KS1 hall
- Thurs 21st March**—Reading Breakfast Y3/Y4/Y5/Y6 8:15am
- Tues 26th March**— 2:45pm 1B Class assembly KS1 Hall
- Weds 27th March**—2:45pm 3A Class assembly KS1 Hall
- Thurs 28th March**—1:30pm RB Class assembly KS1 Hall
- Thurs 28th March**—2pm School Closes for Easter break
- Mon 8th April**—School re-opens for the Summer Term
- Fri 19th April**—Class Photos

Year 1

This week in year 1, we have been starting to create hand puppets based on little red riding hood in DT. Last week the children did some research into what would be the best way to fix together the different parts of the puppets and design them based on two characters from the story, Little Red Riding Hood or The Big Bad Wolf. This week they had to use their cutting skills to cut out the template of their puppets.



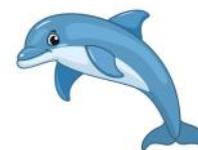
Reception

Wheels Wednesday was a huge success in Reception. We'd loved seeing the children showing off their scooter and bike skills. The drizzly weather didn't stop us!



Year 3

This week, in PE, Year three have continued to learn about improvisation in dance. We have been moving like different sea creatures around the ocean. The children also created their own group dances to portray how different vehicles move on the water. We have been very impressed with the level of teamwork being displayed.



Year 2

In music this half term Year 2 have been singing 'The music man' song and learning to play the glockenspiels during the instrumental section - we've tried hard to keep the beat and ensure we are striking the correct notes at the correct time.



Year 4

This week, the children in year 4 have enjoyed writing their own cliff-hanger endings based on the story of Beowulf. The children have created suspense and drama in their writing and the year 4 team are very impressed! They have also set up an investigation looking at the effect different liquids have on the enamel of teeth and are looking forward to seeing what happens over the next lessons.



House Points

This weeks House Point winners are **GREEN**
Well done to Emmeline Pankhurst House

Children invited to sit on the V.I.P table this week



Aadra A 1A	Oliver W 2A	Roman Mc 3A	Ledley A 4A	Liam C 5A	Oliver S 6A
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These children were chosen to eat their lunch on the V.I.P table with a friend of their choice as a reward for their all-round fabulousness!



Nurs	Mazen
	Olivia
	Teresa
Rec A	Sirin A
Rec B	Adam A
1A	Rosie F
1B	Alfie H-K
2A	Layad F
2B	Sasha M
3A	Sonny S-T
3B	Isla-Rose V
4A	Harper-Leigh H
4B	Kayson-Lee H
5A	Bobby K
5B	Trisha B
6A	Maimouna S
6B	Ethan B

Weekly Attendance

Group	% Attend
RA	93.4
RB	91.3
1A	92.5
1B	91.8
2A	93.6
2B	93.6
3A	89.1
3B	94.4
4A	93.6
4B	96
5A	93.9
5B	96.1
6A	94.4
6B	92.8

Total Whole School 93.3%

Target Whole School Attendance 97%



Taranvir S Jake T
Minnie M Asli K
Medine K James F
Helloy V-D-S

COMMUNITY GUIDE FOR PARENTS & GUARDIANS

REPORTING CRIME - A COMMUNITY GUIDE
'SOLIDARITY AGAINST HATE'

In a non-emergency you can phone 101 or you can choose to Report the crime online using google, search for the keywords 'Greater Manchester Police report a crime'
<https://www.gmp.police.uk/ro/report/oc/af/how-to-report-a-crime/>

It can take less than five minutes to report a crime online and unlike a phone call, at the end of the report you can keep a file of your report as evidence. Ensure you save the PDF and write down the reference number as the PDF does not contain the crime number.

If the police do not contact you within 48 hours or you are unhappy with their response, you can request GMP to carry out their duties by reporting your case as a complaint, this will ensure that either a sergeant or inspector will contact you to discuss not only the handling of the case but a full review of your case. Report every crime, no matter how small, at the bare minimum demand the police record your incident as a crime.

LIAISE ONE ON ONE WITH YOUR ASSIGNED OFFICER
www.gmp.police.uk/fo/feedback/complaints/make-complaint-about-police/

48 hours after submitting your crime report, you can phone 101 and ask for the name and badge number of the Officer allocated to handle your case. They can also leave notes for the Officer.

Once you have the Officers badge number, you can email them directly by taking their badge number, for example Officer Smith, badge number 12345. You can then Email that Officer directly via 12345@gmp.police.uk. You are within your rights to ask for regular updates and what action the Officer has taken to take your case forward. If you are unhappy that they have not responded or found their response unsatisfactory, make a formal complaint using the above URL.

VICTIMS RIGHT TO REVIEW
'REQUEST A REVIEW OF A POLICE DECISION NOT TO CHARGE'

If a suspect has been identified and interviewed and either full charges have not been brought or no further action. You have the right to pursue a 'Victims Right to Review' application.

Simply follow the below URL and complete the online form, this will request that the CPS & GMP assign the case to a new Officer who will review all evidence and decisions made, providing you with a detailed outcome regarding your case.

<https://www.gmp.police.uk/advice/advice-and-information/victim-support/vrr2/victim-right-to-review/victim-right-to-review/>

WHAT IS HATE CRIME?

Hate crimes and hate incidents are when someone is abusive, harasses you, makes threats or is violent towards you because of who you are or who the person committing the crime thinks you are.

ANY CRIME THAT TARGETS THE FOLLOWING IDENTITIES IS A HATE CRIME:

- Disability
- Race or ethnicity (including culture, nationality and language)
- Religion or belief (which includes non-belief)
- Gender identity
- Sexual orientation

HATE CRIME CAN INCLUDE:

- Name calling
- Online or cyber-bullying
- Attack or violence
- Damage or graffiti

WHAT SHOULD YOU DO IF YOU EXPERIENCE OR WITNESS HATE CRIME?

It is important if you experience or witness hate crime that you report it to a teacher, family member or responsible adult. There are lots of services that can provide support...

Victim Support - Contact your nearest Victim Support office - call the 24/7 Supportline 08 08 16 89 111 or contact them via live chat www.victimsupport.org.uk

Childline - Talk to a counsellor on 0800 1111 or via live chat www.childline.org.uk

You & Co - You & Co helps young people cope with the impact and effects of crime. www.youandco.org.uk

HOW CAN WE MOVE AWAY FROM HATE...

- Understanding and tolerating difference.
- Educating ourselves on commonly held racist/homophobic/sexist/transphobic beliefs and stereotypes.
- Voicing our opinion when we hear/see something incorrect, unfair or prejudicial.

Say no to hate | **We stand together** | **No to racism** | **Love not hate** | **Stop hate** | **We stand together**

MESSAGE COMMUNITY CHURCH & COMMUNITY GROCERY PRESENT

EASTER EGG-STRAVAGANZA

SATURDAY 23 MARCH, 3PM

WYTHENSHAW FORUM
MANCHESTER, M22 5RX

COLOURING COMPETITION ON THE DAY
- GRAND PRIZE -
(THEME PARK DAY FOR ONE FAMILY)
WYTHENSHAW KIDS CHOIR
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£1 PER ADULT, KIDS (UNDER 16) FREE

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