

Prospect Vale Gazette

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Last Tuesday evening, twelve members of our choir represented our school at Stockport School Choirs' Festival at Stockport Town Hall. The concert was called 'Be Our Guest' and was a celebration of 100 years of Disney. The children loved singing in such a wonderful venue in front of an audience of several hundred. They were great ambassadors for our school in their enthusiasm, behaviour and beautiful singing. They performed three songs on their own and joined in with seven other schools for one 'massed' sing. Their version of Supercalifragilisticexpialadocious brought the house down! Thanks also to Mrs Novacki and Mrs Pammenter who spent hours working with the children to prepare the music and organise the event. New choir members are always welcome. Choir is open to children in Years 4, 5 & 6 and meets in the Year 3 classroom on Wednesday lunchtime. We just ask that your child attends regularly and makes every effort to attend performances.



Polite reminder to all families

Please can I take this opportunity to remind our community to be respectful to others, particularly during the holy month of Ramadan which is a special time for many of our families.

Please take the time to view the Respect Agenda documentation on our school website and in the school's entrance hall.

Let's all work together to ensure all of our community feel safe, happy and respected.

Thank you

Mrs Gaulton



Who has impressed us this week...

Class	Star of the week	Pupil of the week
Nursery	Hassan	Leandro
Reception	Harjas	Yuvi
Year 1	Louis	Abdulmeeqsit
Year 2	Yusuf	Haniya-Noor
Year 3	Aryan K	Anmol K
Year 4	Sienna	Grace B
Year 5	Dylan	Elise
Year 6	Haroon	Ayza

Children in Years 3, 4 & 5 benefitted from another FREE morning working with professional musicians Tim Crooks and Nicole Battick this week. They were working on adding the finishing touches to the Stockport Songbook songs. The Songbook concerts on 22nd and 23rd March form part of a weekend of cultural events around Stockport. See <https://www.stockport.gov.uk/stockport-town-of-culture#> for more details. There is still time to sign your child up to represent school - just get in touch.



Stockport Town of Culture

Holi is to be celebrated on March 25th this year.

We hope all our families who celebrate this fabulous festival are busy planning and preparing for their celebrations.

Year 6 have learnt about Holi recently and have created a wonderful corridor display to showcase their learning.

Make sure you take a look during Parents' Evenings next week, there are so many wonderful displays representing the diverse festivals and celebrations that are important to our school community.



Reminder to families who are fasting during Ramadan

Please do let our office know if your children are fasting for Ramadan and if you would like them to access our quiet space at lunchtimes. This helps us plan for staffing supervision each day.

You can let us know by telephoning the office or emailing
admin@prospectvale.stockport.sch.uk

**Thank
You!**



Thank you so much to the children and their parents who came to watch the children perform at the end of their last drama club on Wednesday. We have had such a wonderful eight weeks of learning about Macbeth, building confidence and having fun and the children have been absolutely fantastic. Thank you for supporting the group and keep an eye out for updates about Drama Club!

Miss Cochrane and Mr Gray.



Miss Duckett says 'Please can we remind all nursery children not to bring in items from home. Unfortunately, we have had a few incidents recently of items being brought in and either being broken or lost, so please keep them at home. Thankyou.'



Dates for Your Diary

Monday 18th March - Robin Wood Meeting 15:30 Y6 parents

Tuesday 19th March - Parents Evening 1 - 15:30- 6pm

Wednesday 20th March - Parents Evening 2 - 16:30-7pm

Thursday 21st March - Music showcase afternoon & Easter Raffle - Parents invited - 1:15pm

Friday 22nd March - Y5/6 Boys football team at Manchester City Academy tournament

Friday 22nd March - Stockport Songbook Premiere at Stockport Academy - 5:30pm

Saturday 22nd March - Stockport Songbook Concert (Stockport County Ground) - 3:30pm



Yesterday, the boys on Key Stage 2 attended a singing workshop at Halle St Peters' and joined forces with eight other schools to work on some simple and fun songs. After just one hour singing together, the boys were singing in 4 parts - the sound was amazing. They also learned a song which included some improvisation. Haroon was brave enough to have a go at improvising on his own. Our children, as usual, were a credit to their families and our school.



Year 2 have had a busy week with parent visitors. Haniya-Noor's mum came on Monday to share with the class how Ramadan and Eid is celebrated in her family, and some of the meaning behind the traditions. Then on Wednesday they had another parent visit, where Mrs Soiland-Reyes shared the importance of Dia de los Muertos to families from Mexico and how she and her family celebrate this.

Huge thanks from Year 2 to both parents!



Thank You!



#letgirlsplay

On Friday 8th March, ALL girls across the school from Nursery - Year 6 took part in a fun day of football activities.

The sessions were set up and taken by the Girls Football leadership Team.

The day was National, set up by the FA in an initiative to get as many girls playing football as possible across the UK.

It was a brilliant day and we worked on our skills in free kicks, penalties, dribbling and throw-ins.

Everyone loved it and we were all really proud of all the girls their energy, confidence and effort.



#LETGIRLSPLAY



The winners of this week's house cup are AIRBUS & LOCKHEED!

We have a draw!

A Huge well done to both teams for all your hard work this week!!



House	Points
LEARJET	316
BOEING	360
LOCKHEED	378
AIRBUS	378



Class attendance W/C 11.03.2024	Whole school attendance W/C 11.03.2024
Nursery - 93.3%	<p style="text-align: center; font-size: 2em; color: #8B4513;">94.4%</p> <p>Our current aim is above 95%</p> <div style="border: 2px solid #00AEEF; padding: 10px; transform: rotate(-15deg); display: inline-block;"> <p style="color: white; text-align: center;">Congratulations to Year 1 – our attendance superstars this week</p> </div>
Reception - 94.3%	
Year 1 - 98.6%	
Year 2 - 94.1%	
Year 3 - 94.1%	
Year 4 - 93.8%	
Year 5 - 91.3%	
Year 6 - 96%	

