

NEWSLETTER

Friday 3rd May 2024



Testing Times

Year 6 and Year 2 will soon be completing their Statutory Assessment Tests. Year 6 will be sitting their tests week commencing Monday 13th May (Monday to Thursday) and the Year 2 assessments will be spread out throughout May, so as not to overwhelm the children (these are kept very low key for our Year 2 children).

In June, Year 1 will be completing their phonics screening check and Year 4 their multiplication check. The children have been working extremely hard and we are sure that they will try their very best.

Rugby Tournament

On Tuesday 23rd April, nine children from Year 5&6 took part in the Annual Tag Rugby Tournament at Laund Hill Community Club. Despite the grey and rather cold conditions, the children showed true Meltham Moor grit and determination. All the children joined in enthusiastically. There were some brilliant performances, with strong running and some great defensive play from everyone. After winning all the group games convincingly, they ended the afternoon with a first V second playoff match against Marsden, who they had beaten previously. Their final match ended in a draw. As always, the children were a credit to Meltham Moor. Well done Will B, Rosie B, Adam, Lyla, Jamie, Amelia S, Finlay, Henry and Tommy A. Thank you to Mrs Marshall, Mrs Stopford, Mr Dawson and Mr Fitzpatrick for providing lots of support and encouragement!



Netball Finals

On Tuesday 30th April, after winning their first round of games the previous evening, eight Year 6 children went to the Huddersfield Schools Netball Finals at Colne Valley High School. The team started strongly, beating Marsden Juniors by 2 points. They then went on to beat both Ashbrow and Crossley Fields confidently. As winners of their group, they then played Reinwood Juniors in the semi-final. Unfortunately, they were narrowly beaten by an extremely strong, and very tall, team! Having missed out on the final, they played Marsden again in the 3rd place playoff. This match ended in a 2-2 draw. The children were all amazing and should be justly proud of their 3rd place finish out of approximately 70 schools across Kirklees. Well done to Owen, Lyla, Rosie B, Rosie K, Maisie, Will B, Harry and Finlay. Thank you also to the parents who provided amazing support to the team!





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Spring Walk

Reception went on a Spring walk around the local community on Thursday, looking for signs of Spring. They found lots of signs of Spring such as green leaves, beautiful coloured flowers and even a birds nest! They demonstrated all of our school values whilst they were out and were a credit to the school. Well done Reception!

PTA - Help!!

The PTA are planning to hold a Summer Fair this year, following our Sports Day on Wednesday 26th June, but they will need some help!

If you would like to help at the Summer Fair, please pop along to the planning meeting on Tuesday 21st May (after school) to find out more! You can give as much or as little time as you want and you don't have to join the PTA to help. Every little helps! Volunteer numbers are really low so a lot more help is needed to make this event a success.

Your help is always appreciated!



On Saturday 11th May, the weekly Coffee Morning held at St Barts Church Hall in Meltham will be in aid of Meltham Moor Primary, so all money raised on the day will be for our school! If anyone would like to offer some time on the day to help or to bake some cakes for the cake stall, that would be fabulous!

If you would like to help please contact our PTA by e-mail -PTA@melthammoor.tlt.school, or just turn up on the day.

DIARY DATES

Monday 6th May - May Day (school closed) Monday 6th May - Scarecrow Festival

Monday 13th to Thursday 16th May - SATs week

Wednesday 15th May - Year 5 Visit to Huddersfield Mosque

Monday 20th May - Year 4 Pond Dipping (Cliffe House)

Tuesday 21st May - Planning Meeting for Summer Fair

Wednesday 22nd May - Canoeing trip (post SATS trip for Year 6)

Friday 24th May - break up for half term!

Tuesday 4th June - back to school

Wednesday 26th June - Sports Day