

Spring Term Number 3  
 Week ending  
 26<sup>th</sup> January 2024



Dear Parents and Governors

**Learn – Achieve – Enjoy**  
**“Exceptional Pastoral Care” (Ofsted, September 2018)**

**KEY DATES**

DATE	EVENT
Wed 31 <sup>st</sup> January	St Giles gang workshops for Years 3-6
Wed 7 <sup>th</sup> February	WINNING HUMMINGBIRD TEAM MUFTI
Thurs 8 <sup>th</sup> February	MUFTI DAY – Mothers’ day items
Thurs 8 <sup>th</sup> February	Y1 class trip to the London Eye – Y1 Mufti day will be Friday 9 <sup>th</sup> Feb
Fri 9 <sup>th</sup> February	Y4 and Y6 AFC visit
<b>12<sup>th</sup> – 16<sup>th</sup> February</b>	<b>HALF TERM</b>
Mon 26 <sup>th</sup> February	Y4 Science trip
Thurs 29 <sup>th</sup> February	Year 5 Sports Leadership training
Mon 4 <sup>th</sup> – Fri 8 <sup>th</sup> March	Book Week
Wed 6 <sup>th</sup> March	Book Week Dress up day
Mon 11 <sup>th</sup> March	Y5 performing at the Royal Albert Hall 7-10pm
Thursday 21 <sup>st</sup> March	School closes at 1pm due to Parents PM
Thursday 21 <sup>st</sup> March	PARENTS PM 1.30-7.30pm
Mon 25 <sup>th</sup> March	Easter Bonnet parade and raffle
Mon 25 <sup>th</sup> March	Last day of Nursery
Wed 27 <sup>th</sup> March	WINNING HUMMINGBIRD TEAM MUFTI
Wed 27 <sup>th</sup> March	End of Spring term- school finishes at 1.30pm
Thurs 28 <sup>th</sup> March	INSET DAY FOR STAFF
<b>28<sup>th</sup> March – 12<sup>th</sup> April</b>	<b>SCHOOL HOLIDAYS</b>

**HEADTEACHER’S MESSAGE**

Happy Australia day! I am looking forward to making lamingtons and Anzac biscuits to eat – a family tradition each year.

[Breakfast club](#) – Our breakfast club provision is now very popular and almost at capacity. Priority is given to long term bookings. Very few adhoc bookings are available due to statutory staffing requirements that we need to adhere to. If you have not had confirmation that your child can attend the next morning from Miss Lilley, our School Business Manager, please do not drop your child off. Unfortunately, they will be turned away without prior booking being confirmed. We try to support exceptional circumstances, but statutory requirements can make this challenging.



On a similar note, **we are currently unable to accommodate Nursery aged children** in breakfast club due to statutory and legal requirements for staff ratios and minimum staffing qualifications for this age group. We are currently working with Governors to address this and hope to be able to offer this service in the near future. We apologise for any inconvenience this may cause.




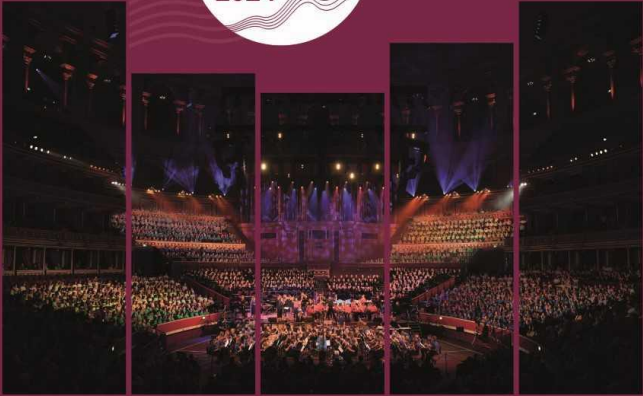
## TICKETS ON SALE FOR THE MERTON ROYAL ALBERT HALL PERFORMANCE THAT MORDEN Y5 (SILVER CLASS) ARE PARTICIPATING IN

Excitement is building amongst our pupils and staff as they prepare to showcase their musical talents at the Royal Albert Hall with Merton Music Foundation for their epic Music is for Life concert on Monday 11 March.

This incredible opportunity is the result of months of dedication and collaboration and has not only nurtured a love for music but has also provided invaluable learning experiences while leading up to a concert they'll never forget.

Parents, guardians and the whole school community are invited to witness the magic of this once-in-a-lifetime opportunity.

For ticket information, visit: [www.mmf.org.uk/rah2024/](http://www.mmf.org.uk/rah2024/)







Merton Music Foundation presents:

### CHANGE IS COMING

Monday 11 March 2024 at 7pm Royal Albert Hall

Join us for a magical return to the Royal Albert Hall with 1,500 young singers and instrumentalists from across Merton. Making memories that will last a lifetime.



Tickets: [www.royalalberthall.com](http://www.royalalberthall.com)  
[www.mmf.org.uk](http://www.mmf.org.uk)

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### HUMMINGBIRD WINNERS – Well done!

Hummingbird Winners for this week:

- BRONZE: Nathan**
- GOLD: Gracie, Charlotte**
- SILVER 2: Sagun**
- HUMMINGBIRD: Alexa**

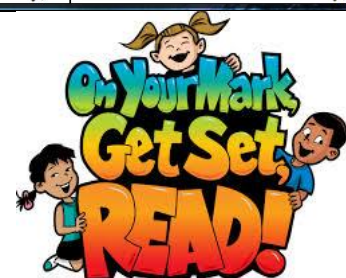


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### READING KINDLE WINNERS

Every child in Y1-Y6 who has 5 adult signatures Wednesday to Wednesday, has their name entered into a raffle. Three winners are selected in assembly to win our Kindles for a week. This week's winners are:

- **Y1 & Y2 – Jay-Sean**
- **Y3 & Y4 – Alexa**
- **Y5 & Y6 – Sajeef**



Well done everyone and keep reading! **Mrs Danaher, Literacy Leader**

## LEARNERS OF THE WEEK

Congratulations this week's Learners of the Week

w/e 26<sup>th</sup> January, Week 3

CLASS	LEARNER OF THE WEEK		HIGH 5 – VALUE WINNER	
	NAME	REASON	NAME	REASON
<b>Yellow</b>	Sophie	For working so hard in her role as Goldilocks this week. What a superstar!	Nika	Challenge- for using her sounds to produce some super writing this week. Well Done!
<b>Red</b>	Patrick	For his fantastic effort during D&T when building his house.	Ariah	Teamwork – for helping her friend during D&T lesson.
<b>Green</b>	Ernie	For his fabulous facts about underwater habitats shared in Literacy and Science.	Kaydeigh	Responsibility – for being so helpful and dedicated to her learning.
<b>Blue</b>	Ethan	For his perseverance in our Reading lessons to find meaning of words.	Tommy	Responsibility. For coming to school prepared consistently with both of his reading books and Reading Record.
<b>Purple</b>	Kameira	For creating an informative poster about the Rainforest in Geography/Home learning	Alicia	Responsibility – for aiming to work as independently as possible, before asking for help.
<b>Silver</b>	Denise	For completing lovely project work on our Science topic of Earth and Space.	Aurora	Resilience – for making an amazing effort this week when faced with new challenges.
<b>Gold</b>	Shamail	For great participation and effort in music 😊	Frankie	Resilience: shown in our PSHE task 😊

### MATHS TIMES TABLE ROCK STARS CHAMPIONS

Each week in assembly, we celebrate children on the TT Rockstars leaders' board. Children in Year 2-6 compete in this competition. **All children In Y2-6 are expected to complete a minimum of 30 minuter PER week and this is checked every Wednesday ready for our celebration assembly on Thursday.** This week's winners are:

Improved Speed	Name
<b>1<sup>st</sup></b>	Amy-Grace
<b>2<sup>nd</sup></b>	Alfie
<b>3<sup>rd</sup></b>	Cleo

Improved Accuracy	Name
<b>1<sup>st</sup></b>	Imani
<b>2<sup>nd</sup></b>	Jay-Sean
<b>3<sup>rd</sup></b>	Amy-Grace

Most Correct Answers:	Name
<b>1<sup>st</sup></b>	Gabriell
<b>2<sup>nd</sup></b>	Faraz
<b>3<sup>rd</sup></b>	Aurora



Well done everyone! **Mrs Green, Maths Learning Leader**

### SPRING TERM READING AMBASSADORS

Our Spring Term Reading Ambassadors are looking forward to getting started on Book Week preparation.

Congratulations to:

Red Class - Miles and Ariah

Green Class - Kaydeigh and David

Blue Class - Valentina and William

Purple Class - Rafay and Frankie

Silver Class - Munira and Fawad

Gold Class - Abaan and Jaazba

## MOTHERS DAY RAFFLE

Children can come to school in mufti on Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> February in exchange for donating a gift for our Mother's Day/Carers raffle. Gift suggestions: unused, unopened smellies, bath bombs, hand cream, chocolates or scented candles. **Please note that Red Class (Year 1) will have their mufti day on Friday 9<sup>th</sup> February due to going to London on a school trip on the 8<sup>th</sup>.**



Mufti Day

Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> February

(On Friday 9<sup>th</sup> February for Year 1)

Children will be able to wear their own clothes to school in exchange for donating a gift for the Mother's Day/Carers Day Raffle.

Please send in your gifts to your class teacher.



Gift suggestions: unused, unopened smellies, bath bombs, hand cream, chocolates or scented candles.

Thank you for your support.

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## FEBRUARY HALF TERM SPORTS CAMP FOR KIDS AGED 4-13

- Early 9am Drop off charge of £5 per child
- Late 4pm Pick up charge of £5 per child
- We can provide school dinners at the cost of £3 a day

£40.00

### Activities

- ✓ Football
- ✓ Dodgeball
- ✓ Basketball
- ✓ Arts & Crafts
- ✓ Swedish Handball
- ✓ Tournaments/Prizes

10am - 3pm

Mon 12th Feb - Thurs 15th Feb 2024

Morden Primary School

London Rd, Morden SM4 5PX

Registration Link

[www.multisports4all.co.uk](http://www.multisports4all.co.uk)

More Information: [msports4all@outlook.com](mailto:msports4all@outlook.com)



**Are you a Merton resident?**  
**Would you like help with any of the following?**

- ✓ Your child's development
- ✓ Behaviour and emotions
- ✓ Relationships
- ✓ Money
- ✓ Training or work
- ✓ Benefits
- ✓ Finding childcare
- ✓ And more



**Una Walsh from Merton Family and Information Support Hub – FISH will be at the following coffee mornings in the studio to answer all of your questions.**

**Friday 26<sup>th</sup> Jan, Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> Jan & Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> March**

**No need to book, just turn up 8.50-10am in the studio, have a cuppa and biscuit and see what Una can help you with.**

If you are not able to attend, but have some questions, please see the Merton Council flyer below for more information.



MERTON COUNCIL

## Family Information and Support Hubs (FISH)

We can help you with any aspect of family life, including:

- ✓ Your child's development
- ✓ Behaviour and emotions
- ✓ Relationships
- ✓ Money
- ✓ Training or work
- ✓ Benefits
- ✓ Finding childcare
- ✓ And more



Our Early Help Co-ordinators will offer advice and guidance to help you to find and access the supportive information and services that you need. Book a free session now:

Sessions take place Monday to Friday with a mixture of face to face and telephone appointments available. Please visit the website or scan the QR code to book:

[www.eventbrite.com/cc/family-information-support-hub-1705749](http://www.eventbrite.com/cc/family-information-support-hub-1705749)



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**Mrs P. Blow, Headteacher**

