



# NEWSLETTER

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**12<sup>th</sup> October 2018**

## Headteacher Message

This week we have been celebrating Road Safety week. Children have been learning about road safety, crossing the road and promoting good parking habits. We had a special assembly called "Slow Down for Bobby" which taught us how to keep ourselves safe when we are out and about on the local roads.

We have also been designing road safety banners which we then entered into a competition, and a winner has been chosen for KS1 and KS2. These designs will now be sent off and made into real banners which you will soon see on our school fences.

Well done to all the children that took part. It was an extremely hard decision to choose just two! Our lucky winners were announced by the Mayor – Mr Tom Ross – who presented them with prizes and certificates in a special assembly.

A huge thank you to our Parent Council who organised for these special assemblies and visitors to school. We would also like to thank them for holding a Peaceful Protest with our local PCSO's to reinforce the importance of parking safely outside our school gates. Please keep our children safe!



Anita Edwards  
Executive Headteacher

## Attendance Week Ending 12.10.18

R	98%
Year 1	96%
Year 2	96%
Year 3	93%
Year 4	97%
Year 5	97%
Year 6	97%
Whole School (weekly)	96%
Whole School (Sept to date)	97%

**Target 96.2%**



A reminder to send in any Food Bank donations for our

### HARVEST FESTIVAL – MON 15<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER.

KS2 parents are welcome to attend at 9.15am.

**Nursery & Reception:** Coffee, Hot Chocolate, Cordial juice.

**Years 1 & 2:** Tinned meat: hotdogs, tinned ham, tinned fish.

**Years 3:** Jars: Cooking sauces - pasta sauces and various cooking sauces.

**Year 4:** Tinned Fruit, rice puddings, sponge puddings.

**Year 5:** Tinned vegetables. (Particularly carrots, peas and sweetcorn)

**Year 6:** Toiletries: toothpaste, toothbrushes, shower gel, shampoo, conditioner, sanitary items.. The food bank has also requested any donations of pet foods, if possible.

**PLEASE NOTE: No dried pasta, tea-bags or tins of beans as these are currently over-subscribed at the Food Bank! Thank you.**

## Terrific Time Keepers

The winners this week REB, 3SI, 4CW & 6LP.

What an achievement!  
Well Done!



## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

**15th October**

Harvest Festival assemblies

**16th October**

Parents Evening

**17th-19th October**

Y5 Robinwood Trip

**19th October**

Finish for Half Term @ 3.05pm

## A REMINDER TO PARENTS Half Term

Next week is our final week of the half term. We close on Friday 19<sup>th</sup> October at 3.05pm (After School Club will run as normal).

We return on Monday 29<sup>th</sup> October.

**Year 1 Trip to Knowsley Safari Park.**

Please ensure you have paid £10 on ParentPay and returned your consent form.



As part of our **Road Safety Week**, the Parent Council organised a peaceful protest every morning and evening.

By doing this, they hope to spread the message that parents should be able to take their children to and from school safely without dodging parked cars which have pulled up on the double yellow and zigzag lines.

They were joined by Partington Day Nursery, the Ear4u ladies, Adele New our local Labour Councillor, PCSOs and many parents, children and members of our community. We would like to say a big **THANK YOU** to everyone who has supported this protest!

**Remember,**  
**PLEASE DON'T PARK OUTSIDE OUR SCHOOL,**  
**IT IS SELFISH AND DANGEROUS!**

Let's keep our children safe.



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## ★ OUR STARS OF THE WEEK ★

- REB — Kylan Foley-Brown & Nehemiah Runnett-Bell
- REC — Isla-Grace Bancroft & Kai Southwell
- IKO — Alice Steed & Freya Gleim
- 1AV — Jack Leeming & Delilah Murray
- 2SJ — Jayden Foley Brown & Lavea Omary
- 2HW — Lydia Lomas & Madison Clayton-McGuirk
- 3SI — Georgia Brooke & John Sherriff
- 3NW — Lauren Boardman & Caleb Scott & Bradbury
- 4CT — Grace Duncan & Ava Meaney
- 4CW — Cassius Clayton & Ruby Bennett-Campbell
- 5AF — Owen Parsonage & Gracie Williams Scott
- 5LA — Matthew Ball & Adam Phillips
- 6LP — Alisia Pickering & Ella Povah
- 6CB — Nuala Doherty, Jack Waller, Amy Taylor & Madison Bunseedhun

## Road Safety Week



On Tuesday 9th October, Jude Lennon the author of SuperBob/ S.T.O.P. and part of the Slow Down for Bobby

campaign visited our school to talk to our children about road safety and to read her books. You can find out more about the campaign at

<https://thebobbycolleratruster.org.uk/> or [www.facebook.com/slowdownbobby](http://www.facebook.com/slowdownbobby)



Parents and carers were also invited to come along to our 'Slow Down Bobby' assembly.

As part of the Road Safety Week, the children were asked to design their own road safety banner.

You'll be able to see the winners in next weeks newsletter for Key Stage 1 and Key Stage 2.



### POETRY DAY AT BROADOAK

10 lucky children from Year 5 and Year 6 (Nuala Doherty, Amy Taylor, Jack Waller, Chloe Alexander, Grace Oakley, Lucy Earp, Jack Jarvis, Samatha Lowther, Matthew Ball and Robyn Howe-Williams) were chosen to attend a Gifted and Talented workshop at Broadoak School this week.

The event was attended by Tony Walsh, famous for his Manchester poem "This Is The Place", who spoke to the children about his love of poetry.

It was a very special event and the children thoroughly enjoyed being involved.