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FLORENCE MELLY COMMUNITY PRIMARY SCHOOL WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

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Attendance Matters at Florence Melly Community Primary School

Well done and thank you to those pupils who attended school every day this week. Our whole-school attendance figure for this week was 94.9%, which is below our target and expectation. To try and improve this, starting next week, every class with attendance over 97% will receive an additional play on Friday afternoon. They will also receive double Dojos for their attendance. Lets see if we can get every class above 97%! Congratulations to 2M AGAIN this week as they were the class with the best attendance (97.9%).



VIP Treatment at Anfield for Liverpool vs Manchester City

Our relationship with Liverpool Football Club and their 'Red Neighbours' initiative continues to grow from strength to strength. Last year we were given free tickets to 18 football matches including 5 games in an executive box and had the opportunity to take pupils onto the sacred turf during half-time of the Sunderland game. This weekend, some lucky pupils were treated to an even better experience...they met their idols before the game. Pupils from Year 5 and Year 6 greeted both sets of players as they entered the stadium. They brushed shoulders with Jurgen Klopp and Pep Guardiola and a whole host of world class footballers. We just love providing unique experiences for our pupils and I'm sure this is an experience they will never forget!

Year 4 Football Match - 4D versus 4T

Some lucky Year 4 pupils were treated to an intra-school football match on Wednesday 17th January. The eager pupils braced the cold and windy weather, put on the famous Flo Melly kit and went head to head outside on our astro. The boys thoroughly enjoyed the game and some cracking goals were scored! We are hoping they perform as well when they face Ranworth Square on Monday 22nd January 2018. We are looking forward to offering similar games for all year groups as the weather improves over the coming weeks.



BBC Interactive Maths Live at Anfield

On Thursday 18th January 2018, one of our Year 4 classes one to Anfield to take part in the inaugural BBC Live Lesson 'Super Movers'. The lesson was all based around improving mathematics in an interactive way and focussed on fractions and decimals. The whole event was broadcast live on the BBC website. The children also took part in the recording of another episode and were lucky enough to meet Liverpool plays Joel Mate and Dominic Solanke and Alex Scott of Arsenal Ladies. The children thoroughly enjoyed the event which also helped to improve their maths skills. The lesson can be viewed on BBC iPlayer, using the following link: <https://www.bbc.co.uk/iplayer/episode/p05rr3pr/live-lessons-super-movers-live-lesson>



Badminton Club Champions

In celebration assembly today, we celebrated the achievements of four superstar athletes who have been perfecting their badminton skills in Mr Ashley's after-school club. These Year 6 pupils have battled each other and thier peers over the last term and their achievements were recognised by all today during assembly. The pupils were so proud of their achievements and have beautiful certificates to take home to show their parents.



KEY DATES

22 Jan
Year 4 Boys
Football Match
versus
Ranworth

22 Jan
Holocaust
Memorial Week
(Whole-School
Theme)

6 Feb
Safer
Internet
Day

6 Feb
Year 5
'BikeRight'
Initiative

Check out the calendar
section of the school
website for events up
until the Easter holidays.