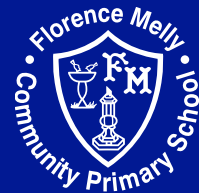


# FLORENCE MELLY COMMUNITY PRIMARY SCHOOL WEEKLY NEWSLETTER



Friday 30th November

Keeping you up to date what's going on!

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## THE FLORENCE MELLY CHRISTMAS CONCERT

Dear parents/carers, we are delighted to inform you that we will be holding a Christmas concert at Liverpool Hope University Chapel on Tuesday 18th December, from 1.30pm to 3.00pm. This event is for children in years 2 to 6. They will be transported to the event at 9.30am for a morning rehearsal. The children will have their lunch on site (this will need to be provided unless your child is in receipt of FSM and you would like the school to provide a packed lunch). Tickets for the event will cost £2.50 each and will be limited as the venue holds a maximum of 500 people. Each family will be limited to 2 tickets on a first come first served basis. If there are any tickets left, they will also then be available on a first come first served basis. Hope University have informed us that all parking on site will be free. Tickets will be available to purchase from the office shortly and please check our website, newsletters and Twitter feed for further details. We look forward to seeing you attend the event and thank you for your continued support.

### Making Slime in Science Club

How superb after-school science club proved to be this week as the children made their very own slime! YUK! Mr Mullin, our science lead, is really raising the profile of science in our school and there is a real buzz about the subject at the moment. After making their products, the children evaluated and improved them before testing the properties of the slime. They plan on making lots of different varieties to sell as part of an enterprise project. What a great way to bring science to life!



### Bikeability

Despite the weather, Year 5 took part in some fantastic Bikeability sessions this week. The children braved the adverse conditions to learn some valuable life skills about staying safe on two wheels. They learnt about bicycle maintenance, necessary signalling and how to ride safely in difficult environments. In the afternoon, the children were allowed to experience the roads surrounding the school, and learnt more vital skills about manoeuvring in the presence of traffic. One child said: "Bikeability was an amazing afternoon!"

### Festive activities with some very special guests!

What another fantastic memorable experience for four of our pupils this week! It isn't often that you get to play festive themed bingo with four international footballers - but that's exactly what some of our KS2 pupils got to do this week after being invited to Anfield courtesy of Red Neighbours. The children took part in some brilliant bingo sessions and won some great prizes, and they got to meet some of their heroes. One of our pupils was even selected to take part in a 'dance off' with Liverpool's newest midfielder Naby Keita the judge! As ever there are more photos available on our Twitter and Flickr feeds.



### Attendance Matters at Florence Melly!

A huge congratulations to 4B who won this week's gold attendance award with 98.9%. What a fantastic effort! Maybe 2D and 6B (silver - 97.9%) and RL (bronze - 96.9%) can knock them off their perch next week!

### In Other News this Week...

Every day and every week is always action-packed and fun-filled here at Florence Melly. That is what we are all about...creating memorable experiences for our pupils. This week we have...enjoyed expert workshops on anti-bullying from Bullybusters; prepared Christmas shoeboxes as part of the Operation Christmas Child initiative with Samaritan's Purse; started using TT Rockstars in Year 6; practised our songs to perform at our Christmas concert at Liverpool Hope Chapel and Year 3 found some fantastic facts about Ancient Egypt using the National Geographic Kids Encyclopaedia with MGL!



## KEY DATES

**03/12/18**

Year 3 Samba  
Performance at  
2:45pm

**05/12/18**

Whole-School  
PATCH  
Pantomime

**05/12/18**

PATCH Baillie  
and Walshy's  
BOOGIE BINGO

**12/12/18**

Christmas  
Dinner Day for  
the Children

Check out our Twitter and Flickr feeds for more information and photos about the fab activities we provide our pupils, each and every week.

