

FLORENCE MELLY COMMUNITY PRIMARY SCHOOL WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

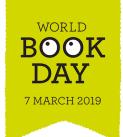
Community Primary

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CELEBRATING WORLD BOOK DAY!

Wow, what a day we had on World Book Day at Florence Melly! The children didn't let us down with their imaginative and awesome costumes which allowed their favourite characters come to life. The day was jam-packed with reading activities and it didn't pass by without us giving the children a treat for their amazing effort - they sipped hot chocolate and had biscuits whilst teachers shared a variety stories. The day allowed us to teach the children the importance of reading every day for at least 10 minutes and to promote reading for pleasure. Here at Florence Melly, we understand that reading allows us to learn new things and transports us to an imaginary world. We hope your child enjoyed the day and that it encourages them to read more at home.

















A Special Author Workshop at Alsop High School and Visits to Liverpool Central Library

As part of our World Book Day activities, some of our Year 2 pupils visited Central Library. We were lucky enough to listen to stories told by children's author, Fran O'Brien. Year 5 also enjoyed World Book Day in style by participating in an expert workshop by author Paul Delaney. They were provided with a writing workshop, presented their very own performance poetry and designed their very own book characters. We really do celebrate World Book Day in style at Flo Melly!

A Trip to the Merseyside Rowing Club

On Wednesday, Year 6 children visited the Merseyside Rowing Club. As we were surrounded by water, everyone had to wear a life jacket. One child described it as 'wearing a hug.' We were shown around the area where they keep all of the boats. Our guide showed us the small boats that beginners use; at 27 feet, it didn't look very small. Even the oars were twice the size of the children. Everyone had a go on the rowing machines that rowers use when the weather is too bad to go on the water. Before we left we had time to help out the Liverpool John Moore's University ladies first team, giving them a gentle push off into the dock. We watched them racing away as we waved goodbye.

Cross-Country Running

A huge congratulations to our fantastic cross-country team who finished their league this week. The children have performed brilliantly all year and have clearly demonstrated our DREAMS core values. A special shout out to one particular pupil who secured a bronze medal! Well done!

The Full Royal Liverpool Philharmonic Experience

Earlier this week, three year groups experienced a unique performance by the Royal Philharmonic Orchestra. In the fantastic surrounding of the Philharmonic Hall, the children were treated to music from around the world which celebrated and reinforced the fundamental British Values. The event was a resounding success and many of the children commented what a wonderful and memorable experience they had. A huge thank you to Mr Walsh, our Music Lead, for organising the event. Check out our Flickr feed for lots more amazing photographs!



In Other News...

Every day is always action-packed and fun-filled here at Florence Melly. That is what we are all about...creating memorable experiences for our pupils. If you don't already, please check out our school Twitter feed as it is packed full of the activities we have been up to this week. You can follow us at @FloMellyNews. Here are just a few of the things we've been up to...

















12/03/19 Enrichment Trip to Manchester Science Museum 13/03/19 Specialist Art & Design Workshops in Year 6 **15/03/19**Road Safety
Workshop with
LFC Red
Neighbours

20/03/19
The
Book Bus
Visits
Florence Melly

WEEKLY ATTENDANCE