



# FUN Summer

## NEWSLETTER

Dear families,

The summer term is flying by and we are quickly approaching our final two weeks of this academic year. Much attention in school has been on transition and moving on. We have had our moving up days where our pupils have had the opportunity to meet their new teachers and begin to build positive relationships so that we are ready to hit the ground running in September. Our Year Six pupils have had the experience of high school as they start their transition away from Mossley after seven successful years. And we have had the pleasure of welcoming our new starters into reception - and the wider Mossley family - so that they could experience our Reception classrooms and meet our wonderful EYFS team.

However, it is important to reflect back on the fantastic year that we have had at Mossley, and all of the progress that our pupils have made. The hard work and attitude has been a pleasure to witness, and we have had the wonderful opportunity to share so many excellent experiences with them.

### **Moving up days**

The children and staff have all enjoyed two positive moving up days and have enjoyed getting to know all about their new year group. Staff and children have focussed on really getting to know each other, building positive relationships ready for September. There has been much excitement in the classrooms over the two days, and I know that staff are already looking forward to working with their new classes. Equally, they are looking forward to spending the remaining two weeks with their current classes making memories before they move on.

Thank you to all those that attended our Meet the Teacher evenings - I am sure that you found them useful, finding out what your child will be doing in their new year, and how you can support their learning so that they have the best year possible. The presentations from the evening will be on the school website on the corresponding year group pages.

### **Town Sports**

Last Wednesday, our Key Stage 2 athletics team took part in the inter-school annual Town Sports event. The children were incredible and produced some amazing individual results, but more importantly, demonstrated excellent support and teamwork for their peers. By the end of the evening, the boys were overall winners and the girls were runners up. This meant that the Mossley were overall winners! An extra twist to the evening was finding out that we had won by the finest of margins - 1 point - over The Quinta, who beat Mossley by the same amount the previous year. A huge thank you to all the staff who worked so hard and supported all the children. A fantastic achievement - well done Team Mossley!

## **Reports**

Reports will now be emailed via ParentPay on Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> July. This has been brought forward one day to allow the office staff to support with sports day.

## **Sports Day**

The recent weather has not been great and parts of the school field are still not currently fit. As it stands, Sports Day will remain scheduled for Friday 19<sup>th</sup> July.

Key stage 2 (year 3-6) am

Key Stage 1 (Reception – year 2) pm

Fingers crossed that the weather is kind to us - the forecast is much more positive next week and hopefully enough to dry out the field. We will continue to monitor the situation and do everything possible to make sure we have another brilliant Sports Day. We will keep you informed of any updates.

## **It's Coming Home!**

Following the impressive performance on Wednesday evening, the England team have sent football fans into dream land! As I am sure that most of you are aware, the final is to be played on Sunday evening at 8pm. Without extra time or penalties (which seem to have been a feature of this tournament for England) the earliest finish will be nearly 10 o'clock. We recognise that for some families, this will be a great occasion and children may be staying up late to watch the game. Therefore, we will be operating a "soft opening" on Monday morning. Registers will be open until 10am and children can arrive between usual start time and 10am. After this, registers will close and children arriving after this time will marked as late.

Come on England!!!

## **Staffing**

We are delighted to welcome Mrs Jones, who will be joining Mossley as a year 5 teacher from September.

Mrs Emma Watson, teaching assistant, will be leaving us to take up a post in Manchester. We wish her the best of luck and would like to thank her for all the support she has provided to so many children during her time at Mossley.

Please remember that we are here to support you in any way that we can. I can be contacted during the school day on the school number, or by email at any time – [head@mossleyce.cheshire.sch.uk](mailto:head@mossleyce.cheshire.sch.uk)

