



NEWSLETTER

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Year 6 High School Open Days: The high schools are all holding open days for your children and yourself to look round before the final decision is made as to what high school they will apply for. Please check the high school websites for when they all are as they all have different dates and times. Some of them can be found on our website.

Multi Academy Trust (MAT) Update: a letter can be found on page 4 of the newsletter keeping parents/carers informed.

Phonic Meetings: We are aware that child care was an issue for parents attending these meetings – attendance for meetings was very low between 3-8 parents
For next time, we will consider a way forward to overcome these issues

Coats: Due to the ever-changeable weather and torrential rain at the moment please ensure that all children bring a coat to school. Thank you

Volunteer Helpers needed for the FCL Spooky Discos: If you think you could help out at one or both spooky discos then please contact the Laura & Louise via the email address below.

Without volunteers the event may not be able to go ahead!

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Pupil Voice Y5:

"I love school and all the subjects we do in class – my absolute favourites are Art and Maths."

"I love all the displays we have around school because they are full of our really nice work."

Congratulations!

Golden Book Award: YR: Cole Y1: Theo Y2: Cato

Y3: Benjamin Y4: Lexi Y5: Ethan Y6: Rosie

Lunchtime Award: Y2: Alicia Y4: Mia

Attendance award: KS1: Y1 – 95.86% KS2: Y4 – 97.24%

Diary Dates

Monday 16 th October	Reception Stay & Play 9am – 10am
Monday 16 th October	Year 1 Final Stay & Play Session 1 9.15am - 10.15am (15 places) Session 2 2pm – 3pm (15 places)
Friday 20 th October	School Closes – 3.15pm
Tuesday 31 st October	School Re-Opens
Thursday 2 nd November	Spooky Discos See Attached poster on page 4 for details. Tickets available on Scopay (Products)
Monday 6 th November	Parents Evening
Monday 6 th November	Flu Immunisations

Out of School Activity Clubs

Please note: clubs for years 1 & 2 only run until 4pm

Monday	Construction Club with Mrs Hardman	Y1 & Y2	3.15pm - 4pm
Monday	Football Skills with Mr Euston	Y3 & Y4	3.15pm - 4.15pm
Wednesday	Multi-Sports with Mr Cowling	KS2	3.15pm - 4.15pm
Thursday	Multi-Sports with Mr Hyman	Year 2	3.15pm – 4pm
Thursday	Gardening Club with Miss Mawdsley	KS2	3.15pm – 4:15pm
Thursday	Football Team Radcliffe Borough	Y5 & Y6	3.15pm - 4.15pm

PE Days

(Reminder PE kit is dark PE shorts, black or navy, plain white t-shirt and pumps/trainers. KS2 need plain joggers and jumper for winter)

Years 3, 4, 5, 6	Wednesdays
Reception Years 1 & 2	Thursdays

A Few Useful Reminders

Website: Remember you can find out a lot of information on the school website, from letters that are texted out to parents/carers. Upcoming events on the School calendar and don't forget to check out the class pages to see what the children have been learning.

Water Bottles: Please ensure bottles contain only water and not juice. Water bottles are accessible throughout the day to all children and we have children with allergies to juice.

Trainers: should not be worn for school

Long hair: please ensure it is tied back for school

Earrings – Please remember that children cannot wear earrings for PE – they should either be taken out or covered over with micropore tape. Alternatively leave them at home on the days for PE

PE kits – please ensure that their kit is in school on the correct day

Any issues in school: A reminder that if any parents have issues regarding their child or with school please do come in to see us or send in a polite email for our attention. We urge you to do this, rather than air your grievances on any social media platform. This is in line with the schools Parental Code of Conduct. One of the dangers of social media, is that it spreads and so easily becomes gossip. We appreciate your compliance with this. Thank you

Playground Equipment: Please remember that at the start of the day and the end of the day – children are not to go on the playground equipment. Children have been reminded in class. Also, please ensure younger siblings do not go on it as well. We would not want accidents to happen as the children are not supervised. Thank you
Inspire, Believe, Learn



Dear Parents/Carers,

We wanted to give you an update as to where we are up to with converting to a Multi Academy Trust (MAT). As you will know, we got the Academy Order agreed by the DfE at the end of May last term.

Since then we have been busy working with our conversion consultant Jeff Marshall, the DfE and the Local Authority. We have agreed with the Local Authority that the final conversion date for completion will be April 2024.

One thing you may notice from the Trust logo is that we have had to slightly alter our name for it to be accepted at Companies House.

We are now called **The Collective Community Trust**. We feel this is very appropriate as the six founding schools are all community schools – Cams Lane, Woodbank, Ribble Drive, Whitefield, Heaton Park and Butterstile.

We have been busy meeting regarding practical and strategic arrangements with the trustees and members, and arranging new systems such as the financial and auditing system.

Please remember that when we do convert each school will still maintain its own unique identity- we will all keep our own school uniforms, our own school logos and our own aims/values. The children will not experience any changes in the way they are taught or how the school curriculum is organised.

We will continue to keep you informed as the conversion process heads towards the final date.

Please do not hesitate to get in touch if you have any questions or queries.

M Graves

Head Teacher



SPOOKY DISCO

£2.50 PER CHILD, RECEPTION PARENTS AND CARERS TO
STAY

HOSTED BY FRIENDS OF CAMS LANE
SPOOKY DISCO, GAMES, GLITTER TATTOOS & TREATS

2ND NOVEMBER

KS1- 5PM TILL 6PM

KS2- 6.30 TILL 7.30

