

Friday 22nd September 2023

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## ATTENDANCE NEWS:


w/c: 18th September



### EYFS/KS1:

RG - 100% 

RKR - 93%

1C - 97% 

1G - 91%

2CR - 93%

2G - 95%

### KS2:

3M - 97% 

3G - 92%

4C - 97% 

4P - 91%

5O - 94%

5W - 94%

6G - 96%

6L - 97% 

Whole School Attendance: **95%**



## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:

**Monday 25th September** - INSET DAY - **School closed for children** and also Cash for Kids fundraising window opens (see end of Newsletter)

**Friday 29th September** - **Macmillan Coffee Morning at 9.15am**

**This charitable event is open to all families to come along enjoy a coffee and chat whilst also giving to a great cause.**

**Friday 29th September** - Next PTFA meeting in school after the Macmillan Coffee Morning

**Thursday 5th October** - Pre-loved Uniform sale at 2.30pm onwards

**Friday 6th October** - World Smile Day - Own clothes with a £1 donation

**Wednesday 18th October** - Reception '24 Open Evening from **4.00pm - 5.30pm**

**Thursday 19th October** - PTFA School disco

**Monday 23rd October** - Cash for Kids fundraising window closes.

**Wednesday 25th October** - Parents Evening

**Thursday 26th October** - the next 'Feedback Thursday' session at 2.30pm

**Monday 13th November** - Flu Immunisations taking place in school

**Friday 17th November** - PTFA 'Parents and Toddlers Fridays' starts on this day

## CROSS COUNTRY NEWS:

The Cross-Country season got off to a great start yesterday!

The first race was at Croxteth Park, thank you to all the parents who came to support.

We were so proud of our Y6,Y5 and Y4 runners- fantastic effort, well done to you all!



## SOLE REBEL AFTER SCHOOL CLUB:

Hannah thought it would be nice to let the parents/school community know that the fundraising they did last term has enabled Sole Rebel to buy tap shoes for all the children in the after school tap class and this week everyone had their new shoes on.

The children were very happy and enthusiastic to get tap dancing!



Thank you to those parents and carers who came along to our newly formed PTFA to help fundraise and plan exciting ways to help our school community.

**The next meetup is on Friday 29th September after the Macmillan coffee morning. All are welcome.**



On **Friday 17th November** the PTFA will be starting 'Parents and Baby/Toddlers' sessions at school. There will be a £2 admission cost and tea/coffee and toast will be served. This will take place each Friday and will be a great way to get to know other Greenbank families. Any donations of toys for these sessions would be gratefully received and can be passed on to Miss Rowlands. Thank you.

The PTFA will also be overseeing a school disco evening for our children to enjoy. More details with dates and times will follow shortly.



## FLU IMMUNISATIONS AT SCHOOL:

The Immunisations Team will be coming in to school on **Monday 13th November** to give children their flu spray if you have consented for them to have it.

If you have not already done so, please complete your child's flu consent form with either a YES or NO by clicking here :<https://econsent.merseycare.nhs.uk/>

Paper copies are available in the office if you are not able to do so online.

## BLUE PETER BOOK BADGE:

Details of how you can earn a Quentin Black Blue Peter Badge can be found using this link:

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbbc/findoutmore/blue-peter-apply-for-a-book-badge>

Let school know if you enter and receive a badge and you can feature in our Newsletter.



# CASH FOR KIDS SCHOOL CHALLENGE:



## From Monday 25th September to Monday 23rd October

our school has a really exciting opportunity to be part of the Cash for Kids School Challenge. Greenbank has been successful in being chosen to take part in Cash for Kids - 'School Challenge' together with 15 other schools across Liverpool.

As a school, whatever we are able to raise in funds will be matched funded to the same monetary value, **but ONLY IF WE RAISE THE HIGHEST amount of money!**

Schools Challenge will match fund all money raised for the top 3 schools and an extra 2 prizes for the best fundraising event and best social media post.

### Prizes are:

**1st prize £5000**

**2nd prize £2500**

**3rd prize £1500**

**Best social media post - £500**

**Best fundraising event - £500**

This is only a short window to raise as much money as possible, therefore school will be doing all we can to fundraise as much money possible within the timescale above.

The first thing we will be doing is organising a "5p Challenge" to start from next week (Tuesday as school is closed for an INSET Day on Monday).

Each classroom will be given an empty bottle to be filled up with 5p coins. Classes will then compete to see which one collects the most money by the 23rd October.

The winning class will receive a reward!

We hope you join us in raising vital funds for the school by taking part in this challenge.

So get saving your 5p coins!

More fundraising ideas, including the PTFA school disco (19th October) will be explained as soon as we have them!

**Thank you for your support!**