



# The Mosslands School

Newsletter 2<sup>nd</sup> February 2023



## School Diary Monday 6<sup>th</sup> – Friday 10<sup>th</sup> February 2023 Week A

Date(s)	Event(s)
Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> February	No Events Scheduled
Tuesday 7 <sup>th</sup> February	Year 9 Options Evening Drop In Session 4-6pm
Wednesday 8 <sup>th</sup> February	No Events Scheduled
Thursday 9 <sup>th</sup> February	Readathon
	Homework Club 3.20-4.30pm Library & D22
Friday 10 <sup>th</sup> February	Perception Theatre Performance Y10 & 6 <sup>th</sup> Form

## News

### Message from Mr Whiteley

Thank you for your support this week during the period of industrial action. Thanks to everyone who ensured their children successfully completed the

work that was on Google Classroom. Our plans for the proposed future strike days will follow a similar model and we will keep you informed as developments arise.

Following a number of bicycle related incidents, we will be working with Merseyside Police to facilitate a bike marking programme in the new term. I will circulate details on how you can get your child's bike security marked once I have them.

For your advance notice there is a training day on Monday 27<sup>th</sup> February, immediately following the half term break.

### **Year 9 Options**

Letters will be sent home tomorrow regarding the drop in event on Tuesday for parents of boys in Year 9.

### **Sixth Form Applications**

The application process is now open for any student in Year 11 who wishes to apply for a place in Sixth Form. You can apply using the link on our school website in the Sixth Form section or you can request a paper version of the application form from the main office. If you have any questions, please contact Mrs Danher at school. The deadline for applications is **Friday 17<sup>th</sup> February 2023.**

## **Sixth Form Parent Survey**

A link to a survey has been sent via email to all parents of students in Year 11. This survey is to find out the views and opinions of parents/carers about the Sixth Form provision. If you need the link to be resent, please contact Mrs Brunton at school on ext. 223. We would appreciate as many responses as possible. Thank you in advance.

You can contact Mrs Danher and Mrs Brunton via email [sixthform@mosslands.wirral.sch.uk](mailto:sixthform@mosslands.wirral.sch.uk)

## **Library**

Wirral Book Awards: Our students had a fantastic day hearing from and meeting some of the authors from the shortlisted books that we have been reading over the past couple of months. Over the next few weeks, the students will get to vote for their favourite book and as you can see from the photographs, Chris Whitaker, author of the *Forever*s, was certainly a favourite on the day!



In honour of Holocaust Memorial Day last week, our Book of the Week is *White Bird*, a graphic novel from the author of the much loved book *Wonder*, R.J.



Palacio. This wonderful book tells the story of Julian's grandmother who lived under Nazi rule in France as a young Jewish girl and how the kindness and courage of others help her survive.

This Thursday, a selection of keen readers will be completing a sponsored Readathon in the library and raising money for Read for Good, a charity that provides new reading books and storytellers for local children's hospitals. If you would like to sponsor our students to read for an entire day, please click this link <https://readforgood.enthuse.com/donate#!/>

For the latest news, events and book recommendations, follow us on Instagram @library\_mosslands.

### **History Trip**

Students from 8X3 enjoyed their history trip to the International Slavery Museum in Liverpool last week. They have been studying Liverpool's role in the slave trade and how it enabled the city to grow during the 1700s.

### **Medication In School**

If you have any questions or concerns regarding medication in school, please contact the SEND Department.

## **Art Department**

You can follow us on Instagram @art\_mosslands to see some fabulous examples of the work produced by our students.

## **Super Curriculum**

Please see the attached information, which now includes the clubs that were previously featured in the diary section above.

## **Wallasey Food Fair**

Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> February 10am – 2pm in the school hall.

## **Fundraising for Mosslands**

Don't forget to order your online shopping through "Easyfundraising.com" to help raise money for school.



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