

Issue 4
October 2018

Autumn Newsletter

Period:
30th Oct — 21st Dec 2018



River View 's Photography Competition

Just a reminder of our exciting competition for children, parents, other relatives and staff . We are looking for budding photographers to enter our photography competition.

The photograph can be of anything you choose-there is no theme but the photo must be taken by the person who is entering.

There will be an exhibition of all the entries at school on Tuesday 27th November at 7pm including wine and nibbles. Four finalists will be chosen from each category and these will be professionally framed. The winning entrant from each category will be announced during the exhibition. All winners will receive a certificate and the winners of the children's category will also receive a prize!

To enter, please send your digital photograph to the following email address:

rvps2012@outlook.com

Please include the name of the photographer and the category they wish the photograph to be entered into. **The closing date for all entries is Monday 12th Nov**

Happy snapping!

Breaking News

River View App

Please remember to download our App.



Type in 'River View Primary' into the App Store search on your phone, download & sign in with the following:

Username – riverview

Password – parent

Please Register & make sure you agree to receive push notifications and allow all location services to receive messages.

In the Autumn term we will be phasing out our text messaging service and the app will be the way we will send messages to you, **therefore it is really important that you download it.**

We will also be introducing a new appointment booking system for Parent's Evening, so you will book your time slot to see you child's teacher on the app. Our next Parent's evening is on 26th November.

School Blog

Check out our blog from the link on our website. Your child could be mentioned as a 'Star of the week' or an 'Attendance Winner'. There is also information and pictures of activities the children have taken part in.

Curriculum Day

At the end of our first half term, we held a curriculum day based on different countries of the world.

Each class studied a country and developed work to exhibit about their country.

The work included art and clay models, fact files, authentic cuisine, singing and dancing. The children and staff had a wonderful time.

Checkout our blog for pictures of the children's exhibitions and activities .

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Trips, Visits and Useful Information

Up and coming trips

- 8th & 9th November — Year 1 will be going to Chester Zoo
- 11th—14th December — Y6 Residential trip to Lledr Hall

Payment of Trip & Clubs



Our method of payment is now online via Parentpay. If you need a username & details of how to access, please call into school office.

Look out for our residential trips. They are a great opportunity for our children to learn in a completely new environment.

Our Year 6 children attend Lledr Hall which is Salford's own outdoor education centre. In recent years our children have taken part in mountain biking, gorge walking, a trip down an abandoned mine, orienteering and much more.

Our Prestatyn trip returned last year after a few years off and it was a great success. We invite year 5 first, then year 4 until we have filled the spaces. This year the trip will be in June 2019 with plans to visit The Great Orme, The Greenwood Centre and lots of seaside fun!

Keep an eye out for the booking forms in the new year.

Term Reminders



Expectations

River View has high standards and expectations for our pupils.

Please visit our school website at www.riverviewprimary.co.uk for details regarding uniform, punctuality and attendance. We expect pupils and parents to adhere to our home school agreement which was signed previously when your child was admitted.

School Uniform

Please ensure correct school uniform is adhered to. This includes assuring that your child has the correct PE kit. All our uniform information is on our website.

Holidays in Term Time

Please may we remind you that as a school we do not authorise any holidays during term time.

Parking

Please be respectful towards our local residents and be mindful of where you park. Thankyou to all our parents who have changed where they park to avoid creating dangerous congestion at the bend on Wheaters Street.

After School Club Days

Important Club Notice

Holidays

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| After School Football Y3&Y4 | Monday |
| After School Football Y5&Y6 | Tuesday |
| After School Football Y1&Y2 | Friday |
| Gymnastics | Wednesday |
| Bike Ability | Tuesday |
| Multisports KS1 | Tuesday |
| Basketball KS2 | Wednesday |

Clubs places are allocated by the staff who run them. Please ensure you direct any enquiries about places to the office and they will check with the member of staff running the club, as we may have waiting lists. Should your child be added to a club at a later date, we need to ensure they are also added to the club register in order that we can communicate with you in case of clubs being cancelled.
Thank you.

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| School Re-opens | Tuesday 30th Oct |
| School Closes Christmas Holiday | Friday 21st Dec |
| School Re-opens - | Tuesday 8th Jan 2019 |

Governors/ Advanced Notice Dates (subject to change)

Governing Board Meeting Dates 2017 - 2018

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| GB Meeting Finance | 12th Nov |
| GB Meeting | 7th Dec |



Advanced Notice Events

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| Fri 16th Nov | Children in Need Day |
| Fri 23rd Nov | Individual Photo Day |
| Mon 26th Nov | Parents Evening |
| Mon 3rd Dec | Book Fair |
| Wed 5th Dec | Christmas Community Fair |
| Wed 12th | Christmas Dinner Day |
| Thurs 13th Dec | Nursery Nativity |

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| Fri 14th Dec | Reception Nativity |
| Tues 18th Dec | EYFS Party Day |
| Wed 19th Dec | KS1 Nativity |
| Wed 19th Dec | KS1 Party Day |
| Fri 21st Dec | KS2 Christmas Celebration |



Contact us - Our friendly office staff – Mrs Johnson, Mrs Brighthouse, Miss Johnson and Mrs Johnstone are available to help with any queries you may have.

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