

# Livingstone Newsletter 11<sup>th</sup> October 2024

Star of the Week:

Nursery: Luca Reception: Freya Year 1: Georgina Year 2: David Year 3: Charlie Year 4: Ben Y Year 5: Alex Year 6: Sophia

#### Clubs:

No singing club on Monday as Mrs Bromley is at another meeting. No Y1/2 multi-sports on Tuesday as Mr Flint is at a sports competition. All other clubs are on as normal.

#### Tag Rugby Competition Tuesday 15th October:

Mr Flint has sent letters out for this competition – please return the permission slips as soon as possible.

#### **Individual and sibling photos:**

These are booked for Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> October. We will ensure siblings in school get photos taken together. If you have a child who is too young for school and you'd like to have a sibling photo taken with children in school, then please come to the back hall door (past Reception door) from 8.30am on Thursday. Thanks.

#### Nasal Flu Immunisation:

We are expecting the nasal flu team to do a mop up session for those who missed it but can't yet confirm when this date will be.

#### Thursday 24th October:

We will be hosting our Hallowe'en disco on Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> October. There will be snacks and drinks to buy, games, prizes and awards for the best costume. All money raised goes to 'Friends of Livingstone' who use it to buy things that all children can benefit from such as recorders for recorder club, subsidising school trips and food for Christmas parties. Please see below for more information:

Year group	Time	Cost	Adult Supervision
Nursery and Reception	In the morning in school time. Children can come to school in their fancy dress costumes for the day.	Contribution of £1 per child would be appreciated	From school staff
Year 1 and Year 2	5-6pm	Entry £2 per child and £1 for accompanying adults	All children need to have an adult with them.
Years 3-6	6.15-7.15pm	Entry £2 per child	Children can be left to be supervised by school staff but must be collected by an adult at the end. Older children will not be allowed to walk home because it will be dark.

#### Year 6 High School applications:

Please remember to do your high school application if your child is in Year 6. The deadline for applications is 31st October. Please don't leave it until the last minute as the closing date is in half term and there won't be anyone around to help if you need it.

#### **School Streets initiative:**

To make this scheme work we need 5 volunteers who can spare one half hour slot (either morning or afternoon) each week. Please get in touch with the office if you can spare the time to make this scheme work.

#### Uniform:

Please put names in ALL pieces of uniform – we already have a box full of lost property that doesn't have names in!

#### Asda Cashpot for Schools:





We have registered with Asda cashpot for schools scheme – just follow the simple steps below every time you shop at Asda to earn money for our school.

#### **Asda Rewards Cashpot for Schools** Cashpot for Schools Terms & Conditions Asda Rewards terms & Conditions Download and sign up to the Asda Asda does the rest Shop in store across Asda and Rewards app George, or online at Asda.com The money raised will be donated through Opt into the Cashpot for Schools campaign and Asda will donate a percentage of your shop to Parentkind to schools to spend on what they need most. This won't affect your own Cashpot select a specific primary school or select your chosen school each time you shop and 'Schools in Need'. Once opted in and selected a school, we will add £1 to your chosen schools Cashpot to help get them started. Each school will get an additional £50 added to their Cashpot, after at least one customer has shopped and scanned their Rewards app.

After the diary dates, I have attached some flyers about local events.

#### Dates for your diary:

Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> October: Individual and sibling photos

Thursday 24th October: Halloween disco – am Nursery and Reception, 5pm – 6pm Year 1 / 2, 6.15pm – 7.15pm KS2

Friday 25<sup>th</sup> October: End of term 3.15pm

Monday 28<sup>th</sup> October – Friday 1<sup>st</sup> November: Autumn half term holiday

Monday 4<sup>th</sup> November: Children back to school

Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> November: Debate Society Meeting at MHHS

Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> November: Livingstone Open Day and Evening for prospective Nursery and Reception for September 2025

Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> November: Y6 Maths Interschool challenge

Tuesday 26th November: Parents' Evening 3.30-6pm

Wednesday  $27^{th}$  November: Parents' Evening  $4.00-6.30 \, pm$  Saturday  $30^{th}$  November: Christmas Fair  $11 \, am-1.30 \, pm$ 

Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> December: EYFS nativity 9.30am; Y1/2 nativity 2pm

Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> December: Y1/2 nativity 6pm Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> December: EYFS nativity 9.30am

Monday 16<sup>th</sup> December: pm Y3/4 party Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> December: pm Y1/2 party Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> December: am EYFS party Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> December: pm Y5/6 party

Friday 20<sup>th</sup> December: Carol Concert; End of term 3.15pm Monday 23rd December – Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> January: Christmas holidays

Monday 6<sup>th</sup> January: INSET Training day for Staff Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> January: Children return to school



A Green Libraries Week Event

# CHILDREN'S FANCY DRESS SWAP

and 'Green Halloween'

## STORY TIME

#### WE WANT YOUR COSTUMES!

Donate your pre-loved costumes to any Tameside Library during staffed hours before 2nd October.

(Donors are entitled to an additional costume). Costumes must be in good, clean condition.

### 12 October

Pick up a costume 10am - 12pm Stories and craft 11am - 11:30am

Dukinfield Library Concord Way, Dukinfield, SK16 4DB

For more info contact: information.direct@tameside.gov.uk or call 0161 342 4000





Monday 28th October - Tuesday 29th October 2024

- Saddleworth School, OL3 5NU
- Drop off from 8.45am and collection at 3:30pm
- **†** Boys & Girls aged 5-12!
- https://booking.thefootballfunfactory.co.uk/event/2585
- 🔠 Thursday 31st October Friday 1st November 2024
- ♦ West Hill School, SK15 1LX
- Drop off from 8.45am and collection at 3:30pm
- if Boys & Girls aged 5-12!
- https://booking.thefootballfunfactory.co.uk/event/2584

Weekly programmes where 3-week free trials are available

West Hill School (Stalybridge) - Football Fun & Development - Mondays 5.00pm-6.00pm (5 to 12 years) -

https://booking.thefootballfunfactory.co.uk/event/724

Saddleworth High School (Diggle) - Football Fun & DevelopmentFridays 5.30pm-6.30pm (5 to 12 years) -

https://booking.thefootballfunfactory.co.uk/event/726

- West Hill High School (Stalybridge) Tots Football Fun Saturday's 08.45am-09.30am (18 months to 5 years) https://booking.thefootballfunfactory.co.uk/event/727
- West Hill High School (Stalybridge) Tots Football Fun Saturday's 09.30am-10.15am (2 years to 5 years)
- <a href="https://booking.thefootballfunfactory.co.uk/event/728">https://booking.thefootballfunfactory.co.uk/event/728</a>



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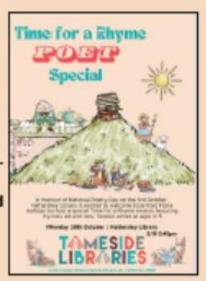
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#### **Events**

To celebrate Green Libraries Week we have a fancy dress swap and a Green Halloween story time on Saturday 12th October at Dukinfield Library



There is a special Time For A Rhyme session at Hattersley Library on the 28th October 2:15-2:45pm for children aged 0-5 to celebrate National Poetry Day



#### Half Term Events

Batty Half Term Fun
Droylsden Library Mon 28 Oct
10:30-11:30am
Dukinfield Library Tues 29 Oct
10:30-11:30am
Denton Library Thurs 31 Oct 2-3pm
Ashton Library Fri 1 Nov 3-4pm

Join us for our Autumn Half Term events as we celebrate all things batty with a visit from the South Lancashire Bat Group. Sit down for circle time with a bat expert and learn what bats are, how they live and why they are very useful creatures to have around (and not just at Halloween). There will also be crafts, a batty game and a treasure hunt to enjoy too. Circle time takes place 5 minutes after start time and crafts are drop-in.

Droylsden Library, Manchester Road, Droylsden M43 6EP Dukinfield Library, Concord Way, SK16 4DB Denton Library, Town Hall, M34 2AP Ashton Library, Market Place, OL6 6BH



The Wolves in the Walls Story
Performance
Wednesday 30th October 2024
5:15pm - 6:05pm and 6:25pm - 7:15pm
Stalybridge Library
Book on Eventbrite:

www.tamesidelibraries.eventbrite.co.uk

"Lucy hears sneaking, creeping, crumpling noises coming from inside the walls. She is sure there are wolves living in the walls of her house. But, as everybody says, if the wolves come out of the walls, it's all over..."

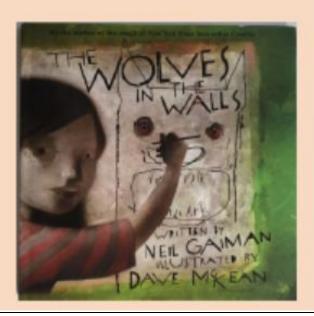
Come and enjoy this spooky retelling of Neil Gaiman's The Wolves in the Walls performed by Story Maker's Simon Sullivan.

Children must be aged 6+ to watch the performance as there are scary themes but the

There are two performances that last approx. 50 mins each.

story does end happily.

Stalybridge Library, Trinity Street, Stalybridge, SK15 2BN





Join us at our Dukinfield Music Centre for engaging and fun musical activities for young people aged 7-11. You will have the opportunity to use state of the art musical instruments to play and create music with one of our brilliant music tutors.



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LUNCH PROVIDED

To register for any of the holiday clubs please visit the link below or scan the QR code.