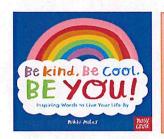
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Science visitor

We were very excited to welcome Alan Ames - Birdman into school this week so that we could learn all about his birds of prey. The children throughout the school really enjoyed this special experience.

Alan visited Nursery and the children there met a barn owl, just like in their recent story Owl Babies.

The children in school all got to meet Alan and his birds to enrich their science learning. Alan showed us how the birds' bodies help them to fly and we found out many interesting facts to increase our science knowledge of animals, life-cycles and adaptataion.

Some of our older children were able to meet the birds up close and have already asked if Alan can visit school again soon!



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Special visitors come to Rivington!

We were extremely lucky to be visited by three Tongan Rugby players this week. They spent time with our Y3 and Y4 children, teaching them some Rugby skills. The children absolutely loved this experience and we wish the players lots of luck in their next match at the weekend!









A parent of a child from Keisha's class sadly passed away about 6 weeks ago, at the young age of 43. The parent was a lovely lady, had time for everyone and always had a beautiful smile on her face. Her chosen charity was the NSPCC and Keisha really wanted to do something to raise money in her memory, so has decided she will cut off her hair and donate it to the LITTLE PRINCESS TRUST all 16 INCHES of it.

Keisha would love it if you could donate via the link below 🥰

https://gofund.me/4b7400e9



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Well done to all our merit winners this week!

	Merit 1	Merit 2	Values Merit	
Reception	Joseph for super blending in phonics.	Alannah for having more confidence in phonics and maths lessons.	Finn for always being kind and polite to others.	
Year 1	Thomas R for sharing his lovely ideas in our English lesson this week.	Abel for some lovely listening during phonics.	Jacob for always following the Rivington Way and lining up beautifully every time!	
Year 2	Margo for always presenting her work beautifully.	Mackenzie for being an enthusiastic writer.	Willow for always showing a good attitude towards her learning.	
Year 3	Hayden for asking lots of interesting questions during our session with the Bird Man.	Archie for always making sure his work is beautifully presented.	Cole for always being a polite and respectful member of year 3.	
Year 4	Kayden- for staying on task during a work activity.	Poppy- For taking pride in the work that she produces.	Katie- For showing a good attitude towards her work and being a good role model to people on her table.	
Year 5	Eyla for working hard in all she has done this week.	Rubin for persevering, even when he finds something challenging.	Faye for her excellent attitude towards her learning and being a great role model for others.	
Year 6	Finn for having a good attitude to work in all lessons.	Dylan for showing great perseverance with his work.	Emily for always beir a positive and helpfu member of Y6!	

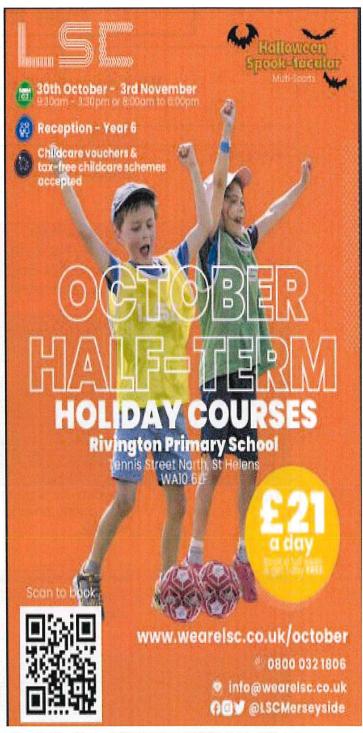
DIARY DATES

Please find below information dates for the term ahead.

Date Management of the land	Event
Wednesday 25th October	Rock Kidz workshop
Thursday 26th October	PTFA Halloween Disco
Friday 27th October	INSET DAY
Monday 6th November	REC & Y6 Heights & Weights
Monday 6th November	Y6 SAT's meeting, 5pm
Monday 13th November	Parents Evening

More dates to be added soon!



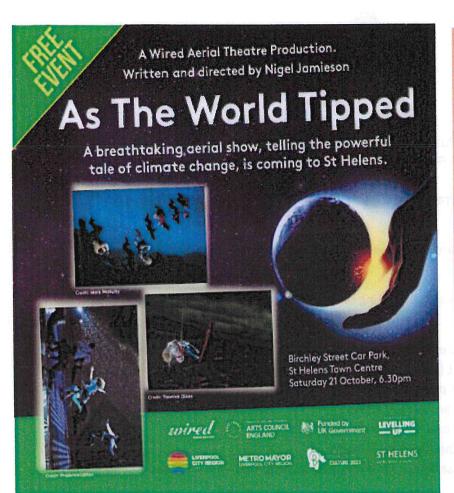


Weekly Attendance Awards

Week commencing 16th October 2023

Reception	88.3%	
Y1	77.7%	
Y2	69.3%	

Y3	88.3%
Y4	80.7%
Y5	79.3%
Y6	93.2%





SPOOKY HALF TERM FUN WITH ST HELENS LIBRARY AND THE WORLD OF GLASS

Tuesday 31st October 2pm – 4pm Spooky Crafts

Spooky Trail around the museum

Trick or Treat with St Helens Wellbeing Service

Booking is required.

St Helens Library, Chalon Way East, WA10 1BX

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ST HELENS WELLBEING











Letter to parents and guardians from Merseyside Police re. Halloween and Bonfire Night

We are writing to all parents and guardians to ask for your help over the upcoming Halloween and Bonfire Night period.

We want everyone to have fun and we'll be working hard to keep you safe, but we need your help:

Know where your children are

- Encourage kids to go to local events that are being organised, or try a spooky film together
- If your children are going out (particularly on the 30th and 31st of October), make sure you know where they're going. If possible, drop them off and pick them up
- Don't let your children hang around the street
- If they're going somewhere local walk there with them
- Have an agreed time when they need to be home
- Don't buy fireworks or eggs and flour for them, and don't let them take it out of the house

Know the risks

- Throwing things at cars, buses, shops and houses can hurt people drivers might swerve if they get distracted and cause a crash, or someone might get hurt by broken glass (and scratched paintwork can be very expensive to fix)
- Getting into trouble with the police can lead to a criminal record, which means not being able to go on holiday to countries like the USA, and not being able to do certain jobs
- Messing around with fireworks is dangerous some burn as hot as 1,200 degrees hot
 enough to melt glass and cause serious or fatal injuries

Know the law

If a young person under the age of 16 commits any of the offences below, the parent/guardian will have to pay the fine.

- A person under the age of 16 can be arrested and fined if found with an unlit firework
- A person under the age of 16 can also be arrested and fined if they throw or light a firework or make a bonfire
- A person under the age of 16 can be arrested and fined for throwing things like eggs, flour, paint or other objects at people, vehicles or property

Thank you for your help and support. By working together, we can keep your children safe this Halloween and Bonfire Night.

Merseyside Police