



# Norris Bank Primary School

# THE FRIDAY ISSUE

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## Armed Forces Day

Armed Forces Day on Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> June, from 11.00 am until 4.00 pm, will be a key event for the community of Stockport.

Stockport Normandy Veterans Legacy has become an 'education' arm of Stockport Armed Forces Covenant and as such has an active role in the forthcoming Armed Forces Day celebration at Stockport Market on Saturday 24th June. The group will be there - in a gazebo - to talk to children and parents (with activities). However, most importantly, they have a Normandy Veteran from Crewe, Bernard Morgan, who is going to be joining them. He is a 99 year old D Day veteran, an ex RAF Sergeant who landed on Gold Beach. His stories are fantastic and he is keen to talk to any children who may wish to come and meet him. We expect him to be with us from 12 noon until 2.00 pm.



## Sport

Following on from our win at Heaton Mersey Tennis Club, the Y3/4 team were through to the Greater n Manchester Finals at Bramhall Tennis Club today. They played extremely well and enjoyed the experience. Well done to Hudson, Ivan, Jessica and Nancy.



Lottie from Y6 has been given an award from Heaton Mersey Lacrosse Club at their end of season awards for The Greatest Contribution to her team. Lottie plays up for the U13's and obviously is a very talented and inspiring player!



Well done!

## Freshwater Theatre

On Thursday, Year 2 took part in a workshop led by the 'Freshwater Theatre Company'. The children became 'Earth Explorers' and role played an adventure around the world crossing all five oceans and seven continents. On our travels we explored facts about key landmarks and took part in drama activities pretending to be animals in the Grand Canyon, mountain climbers on Mount Everest and divers in the Great Barrier Reef. The children were enthusiastic and thoroughly enjoyed the experience.





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### Active Week

Our 'Active week' will be running this year the week beginning the 3rd July with our sports day for everyone on Tuesday 4th July. The week, as always, will be an opportunity for the children to have a go at a variety of activities which will be arranged for them such as archery, yoga and scooters to name but a few. The children will need to be in their normal PE kits for the whole of the week including sports day on the Tuesday. Please can you also ensure that they have a water bottle, sun hat/cap and sun screen.

On Tuesday 4th July our Sports day will start from 9am onwards with our KS2 Junior children and from 1.15pm onwards for our Infants.



### Gardening Club

Every Thursday lunchtime, the Key Stage 2 children help Kirsty in the garden. Last Thursday the gardening club picked strawberries from the school garden and these were used as part of the school lunches last Friday. They were DELICIOUS!!



### Coding Club

Thank you to Mr Chadwick who is a computer science teacher at Manchester High School for Girls, for leading our coding club for Years 5 and 6. Over the past few weeks they have completed high level projects using Microbits including virtual pets. The children and the teachers have learned a lot.

### Midday Assistant Vacancy

Do you, or somebody you know, have what it takes to be a midday assistant at Norris Bank Primary? You would be part of a great team supervising children in the hall and playground. The working hours are 1.25 per day, term time only. If you are interested please call into the office for an application form.





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# DOES YOUR CHILD LOVE MUSIC?

bring them to our **Infant Music Makers taster session!** 



Infant Music Makers is centred around the early development of basic musical skills through singing, playing instruments and most importantly, having **fun!**

Children have a choice of beginner instruments to learn: pBuzz or violin alongside percussion and singing activities to develop basic skills and musicianship. They will also take part in a termly performance!

## Come for a taster session!

### WHEN?

Thursday 20th July 2023, 5-6pm 


### WHERE?

Stockport Music Service, SK6 1DJ

### WHO?

Children who will be in Reception, Year 1 or Year 2 from September 2023.

### REGISTER YOUR PLACE BY EMAILING

[lauren.hinds@stockport.gov.uk](mailto:lauren.hinds@stockport.gov.uk) 



Infant Music Makers runs during term time on Thursdays from 4.00pm - 6.00pm!

4.00-4.45 - Choir - for all children, including reception

4.45-5.00 - Break

5.00-6.00 - Instrumental, percussion & musicianship skills (for children in Y1 & Y2 only)

**Membership is just £45 per term!** 

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Date	Description
Friday 23rd June	Dress Down Day & Bottle donations for the summer fair's bottle tombola
Friday 23rd June	PTA Summer Fair 3.30-5.30pm
Monday 26th June	New Parents meeting for new reception cohort starting September 2023
W/B 3rd July	Active week
Tuesday 4th July	Sports days and family picnic
Wednesday 5th to Friday 7th July	Year 5 residential to Anglesey
Thursday 6th July	Year 6-7 transition day TBC
Thursday 6th July	Teddy Bears picnics for new Year R Children
Monday 10th July	Reserve date for sports days and family picnic
Thursday 13th July	Moving up: Children meet new teachers fro September
Friday 14th July	Annual reports go out to parents
Tuesday 18th July	Year 6 leavers production to parents Year R Farm Visit
Wednesday 26th July	Year 6 Leavers assembly
W/B 27th July	INSET Day: School closed for the summer

If you need to contact a member of staff, follow the link below to our web page:

<http://norrisbank.stockport.sch.uk/staff-contact-information/>

*Remember the email will not be read until possibly that evening or the following day.  
Please consider the contents of the email before sending it.*

