

## Moulton Primary School Newsletter

Friday 15<sup>th</sup> November 2024



Good luck to our Year 6 Junior Strictly Team who are competing this Saturday at The Derngate. We are very proud of you and hope you really enjoy the experience on the day!

### Christmas Card Designs



Thank you for all of your orders for your children's Christmas Designs, and thank you for your patience while we sorted through these. We hope that you have all received these now.

If you missed out on ordering items, the online shop will be reopening on 15<sup>th</sup> November until midday on 24<sup>th</sup> November. Ordering details are the same as on the sample card you received - please get in touch via [friendsofmoultonprimary@gmail.com](mailto:friendsofmoultonprimary@gmail.com) if you have any issues with this! This will be the last opportunity for orders as the company we use have not scheduled any further shop opening dates.

### Helpers for the Christmas Fair

The FOMPS Winter Market and Christmas Fair is on Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> November 11am - 3pm. We are asking for your help! Please consider offering an hour of your time to support the event. Please follow this link [volunteersignup.org/J8K4W](https://volunteersignup.org/J8K4W) to sign up for the area and time that you are able to help with. We really

couldn't do it without you! We really do appreciate every hour that is offered to help us run this event - and without enough support we are unable to run all of the areas that we would like to, we have so much planned this year! We are looking for help either the day before for set up and also on the day itself.

Please share with family and friends and see if they are able to help too! We are happy for children to help alongside you too (not refreshments please!)

Thank you!

Team FOMPS



## Sports News

### Saints Hockey Clubs

Northampton Saints Hockey Club would like to invite all pupils at Moulton Primary School to try a free 6 week taster session of hockey at the club, based at Moulton College on a Saturday morning - please see the link opposite for further information (<https://www.saintshockey.org.uk/junior-information-5-14-years/>). The club's Under 8 and Under 10s provision runs on a Saturday morning between 9am and 10.30am at Moulton College.



In order to register for this opportunity, the club would kindly request that interested parents or guardians complete the form below:

<https://forms.gle/xn8943UwRBezm4737>

If you have any questions regarding the above, please feel free to get in contact with Andy Dale, Club President on [andrewdale1971@gmail.com](mailto:andrewdale1971@gmail.com) or by calling 07725 432013.

### Year 5 and 6 Football



On Thursday, a squad of Year 5 and 6 children represented the school at the Daventry Schools 7-a-side U11 competition. For many of the squad this was their first time competing in a football competition and everyone was a little nervous.

Moulton were drawn into one of four groups with three other schools. We managed to win our first two games and in our last group game we played against Deanshanger who had also won their first two games. Moulton had a slow start and conceded early on, but from there on in we dominated the game and created a string of chances. We hit the bar and their keeper made some great saves before we eventually scored the equaliser. Moulton kept searching for a winner but just could not find a way through and the game finished in a draw. Unfortunately, we finished second in the group on goal difference.

In the afternoon, Moulton advanced to the runners up group, where we again played great football and controlled all 3 of the games. We finished the competition with 3 wins, 3 draws and having only conceded 1 goal.

The children should be very proud of themselves as they went undefeated through the entire competition. What a fantastic achievement and only accomplished through the great team work and the contributions everyone made both on and off the pitch. Well done everyone.

Thank you all the parents and family members that came along to give support and encouragement.

## Play Leaders

Our Year 5 Crick Play Leaders took to the playgrounds this week to help and support our younger children during the lunchtime. They have had training and were armed with a range of games, activities and challenges they could teach the children and support them with developing their personal and social skills.

Next week Spencer will be taking over and will focus on send and receiving skills using bean bags.



## Children in Need



It was great to see the children come into school all dressed up in their sports mufti ready to challenge themselves with a physical challenge. The children had great fun trying a range of exciting activities.

You have raised a total of £292 that will be donated to such a wonderful and worthwhile cause. Well done!

## Healthier Lunchbox Recipes

Whether squeezing it in before the school run in the morning or before bed on busy midweek evenings, preparing your child's lunchbox can seem like just another thing on the list.

School meals are a great choice, but if you do not make a packed lunch for your child then there are some great tips on the link below.

[Lunchbox ideas and recipes – Healthier Families - NHS](#)



## Classroom News

### Reception



Since returning to school, the children in EYFS have had the best time learning about a range of celebrations. As the children came into school, they happily shared their experiences of Bonfire night. We started our learning by investigating the history behind this and discovered the story of the gunpowder plot. We enjoyed making a range of firework themed crafts and discovered lots of new vocabulary like soaring, zooming and sizzling!

In addition, we have learnt about the celebration of Diwali, also known as the festival of light. We enjoyed the story of 'Rama and Sita' which taught us how good is more important than evil. We found out that during the celebration, people light lamps at Diwali called 'Diyas' to show that light is more powerful than darkness. We loved creating our own!

## Year 1

This week, Year 1 have been learning about the parts of a computer. They have been becoming experts at using the trackpad on the Chromebooks to draw lots of lovely pictures. They have learned how to change the colour, change the size and change the pen style. After they became experts with the trackpad, they began to learn how to type with the qwerty keyboard. They started by learning how to make capital letters and how to type their name. They then tried to type whole sentences. Great work Year 1!



## Dates in the Diary

DATE	YEAR GROUP	EVENT	TIME
16th November	Year 6 Strictly	Strictly Competition	
18th November	Year 4	Hockey Competition	After school - 5.40pm
18th November	EYFS	Phonics Workshop	9 - 9.45am
19th November	Year 1	Phonics Workshop	9 - 9.45am
27th November	EYFS, Year 1 and Year 2	Christmas Movie Night	3 - 4.30pm
27th November	KS2	District Cross Country Competition Championships	11.30 - 4pm
28th November	Year 3	Y3 Strings Project Assembly	2.15pm
28th November	Year 6	Windrush Workshop	Normal School Hours
30th November	All	FOMPS Christmas Fair and Winter Market	11 - 3pm
4th December	4 Spencer	Y4 Brass Project Assembly	11am
4th December	4 Crick	Y4 Brass Project Assembly	1pm
4th December	4 Tull	Y4 Brass Project Assembly	2pm
4th December	KS2 (Yr3, 4, 5 and 6)	Christmas Movie Night	3 - 4.30pm
9th December	EYFS Spencer	Christmas Nativity	2.30pm

10th December	Year 4	Christmas Assembly	9am
10th December	EYFS Crick	Christmas Nativity	2.30pm
11th December	EYFS Tull	Christmas Nativity	2.30pm
11th December	Whole School	Christmas Dinner and Christmas Jumper Day	Normal School Hours
11th December	Year 5	Christmas Assembly	9am
12th December	Whole school (bookings only)	Grandparents - Tasty Treats	
13th December	Whole school (bookings only)	Grandparents - Tasty Treats	
17th December	EYFS, Y1 & Y2	Royal & Derngate Panto	Normal School Hours
17th December	Year 3	Christmas Assembly	9am
18th December	Y3, 4, 5 & 6	Royal & Derngate Panto	Normal School Hours
18th December	Year 2	Christmas Assembly	2.45pm
19th December	Year 1	Christmas Assembly	9am
20th December	Year 6	Christmas Assembly	9am
20th December	Whole School	Muffi Day	Normal School Hours
13th January	Year 2	Storytelling Session	2.45 - 3pm
17th January	Young Voices Choir	Young Voices Concert	
20th January	Year 1	Storytelling Session	2.45 - 3pm
29th January	EYFS	Storytelling Session	2.45 - 3pm
1 <sup>st</sup> May	Year 5	School Trip - National Space Centre	Normal School Hours
12th May	Year 2	Storytelling Session	2.45 - 3pm
12th - 14th May	Year 4	Residential	TBC
14th May	EYFS	Storytelling Session	2.45 - 3pm
2nd June - 6th June	Year 6	PGL	TBC
5th June	Year 1	Storytelling Session	2.45 - 3pm
12 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 5	Workshop – Past Productions	Normal School Hours

## Sleep Right workshop by Scope

Is your child or young person's struggling with their sleep  
Come and join us by clicking on the link below to  
purchase your free ticket

<https://www.wnvp.co.uk/events/sleep-right-workshop-by-scope>



**SLEEP RIGHT WORKSHOP**

Sleep Right workshop delivered by Scope

Sleep Right (by Scope) supports families of children with special educational needs and/or disabilities aged 2-18 years, who have severe sleep problems and live in Northamptonshire. Q&A session at the end.

Please ensure you have registered as a WNVP member. Membership is FREE!

Please book your ticket with the link

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The poster features a stylized illustration of a child in a pink bed, a circular inset photo of a woman wearing a headset, and a purple banner at the bottom with the WNVP logo and tagline.



We would like to invite you to our

## Casino Night 2<sup>nd</sup> Birthday Celebrations

**FRIDAY 22 NOVEMBER**

arrive at 6.30 pm

We're welcoming our community to join our residents and colleagues to celebrate our 2<sup>nd</sup> Birthday. Arrival will be from 6.30pm with a reception, speeches and refreshments. From 7.30pm, a home-cooked buffet meal and our fun casino will be open.

Please call us on **01604 931 442** to confirm your attendance or for further information.

**We're looking forward to a lovely evening.**

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Northampton NN6 0FU  
(NN6 0AB for sat. nav)

