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Friday 17th November 2023

Class of 2023 Learning Awards

This week, the school welcomed back our former students to collect their GCSE certificates.

Some ex-students were also surprised to receive learning awards from their old teachers including: 'Excellence in Science' for Mia, 'Excellence in Mathematics' for Cara, the 'Young Composer Award' for Samuel and the 'Five Years of Great Learning Habits Award' for Amber who was the only pupil with zero Nuhope's and 100% attendance for all five years.

Congratulations to everyone in the Class of 2023, it was lovely to see our former students again and listen to their stories about their post-MHHS lives. We wish them all the very best for their future.

Remembrance Sunday Parade Last Weekend

The Mossley Hollins School band took part in the Remembrance Sunday Parade and Act of Remembrance at the Cenotaph for St Mary's Church in Hollingworth last Sunday.

The students were absolutely fabulous, behaved impeccably and performed brilliantly. Miss Lundberg was so proud of them all and we also received a thank you letter from the Reverend.

Congratulations to the members of the school band and thank you to parents, carers and staff who supported the occasion.

Can you help our school production?

Our Drama Department are in need of 1920's style costumes for this year's production of 'Singin' in the Rain'

If you own any flapper or Great Gatsby style dresses or men's suits that you can consider loaning to the school, we would be incredibly thankful. Please email admin@mossleyhollins.com if you would be in a position to support us.

Information & Contacts

Our purple Newsflash celebrates the recent successes of our students both in and out of school. If you would like to access the blue monthly Information & Contacts, visit our website for the November edition.

Karate Nationals in Bury Last Weekend

Four Mossley Hollins students took part in the Ken Yu Kai Karate Nationals.

Brooke (Year 7) achieved Silver in KA20 Team Kata, Silver in KA6 Individual Kata, Silver in KU11 Kumite and Bronze in Ku24 Team Kumite.

Bethany (Year 8) achieved Gold in KU16 Individual Kumite, Silver in KA10 Individual Kata and Bronze in KU24 Team Kumute.

Joshua (Year 9) achieved Bronze in KA8 Individual Kata.

James Jubbs (Year 10) achieved Bronze in KU24 Team Kumite and Bronze in KA10 Individual Kata. Well done to all four of them for their great achievements.

MOSSLEY HOLLINS HIGH SCHOOL

Dates for your Diary

Coming up at MHHS:

Thursday 23rd November
Year 10 Reports Issued

Friday 24th November
School Closed

4th / 5th December
Year 11 Geography Field Trip

6th December
Christmas Musical Evening – 7pm

Thursday 7th December
Year 11 Parents Evening

Thursday 12th December
Christmas Jumper Day
Christmas Dinner Day

Term ends at 1.15pm on Friday 15th December

Online Character Pillars Form

Share the wonderful activities your child is doing to develop their character outside of MHHS! There is now an online form on the website in the Parents menu or you can access it via this link:
www.mossleyhollins.com/parents/character-reporting/

Add details and photos to the form. We are very excited to see what everyone has been up to!

The Power of Language

Make a noise about Bullying! #antibullyingweek

This week in the library we supported Antibullying week/Odd Sock Day, by highlighting a selection of books that celebrate tolerance and diversity and promote antibullying.

These books help and encourage our students to walk in someone else's shoes for the day and to be the best person they can be, and in a world where you can be anything.... Be kind

Lexi creates a new display in the Library

Our student Librarian Lexi has created this amazing wall display and has handpicked a selection of books for Mean Girls fans, full of romance or if Wednesday Adams is more you - then check out these Dark Academia and Murder Mysteries.

On Wednesdays we wear pink, but not this WEDNESDAY

A book is a gift you can open again and again

« Year 7

Year 8 »

« Year 9

Year 10 »

« Year 11

Academic Reading Challenge 2023-24

Our academic reading challenge starts on 20th November and runs until July 2024.

There is an academic reading list for each year group. We have chosen a selection of modern, classic and award-winning fiction and informative and interesting nonfiction that support the curriculum and enriches the readers repertoire.

They have been chosen to tempt both our avid readers and our most reluctant readers with varying difficulty in texts that increase in complexity through each year group to provide challenge and to improve levels of comprehension.

Our students can read and review two books from the academic reading challenge list to earn a bronze badge, read and review three books to earn a silver badge and read and review four books to earn a gold badge.

As the winter nights draw in and you spend more time indoors, it is the perfect time to start the challenge.

Tips to help you succeed:

1. Set a goal to read a certain number of pages a day
2. Team up with a friend to read at the same time
3. Put your phone away whilst you read so you don't get distracted.

But most of all enjoy!

A copy of the reading lists are available in the library or can be viewed by scanning the appropriate QR code on this page.

Communication home is changing…

Moving forward, important messages will be sent via email and not via text messages. Please check your emails regularly and ensure SC106266a@schoolcomms.com is added to your list of safe senders to avoid emails going to your junk/spam inboxes.

In addition, please check your information is correct on the School Gateway app. If any changes are needed – you can use the app to let us know. If you need any assistance, please email admin@mossleyhollins.com

Madison's 5K charity run

Madison ran a charity 5K run last weekend at Alton Towers in aid of Birmingham Children's Hospital. She battled through the awful weather conditions at the theme park to finish 29th out of 1078 female runners!

A huge congratulations to Madison for this immense achievement. She finished with an amazing time of just 29 minutes and 2 seconds. Well done Madison!

School Closed

Just a reminder that school will be closed to students and staff on **Friday 24th November 2023**

Want to be featured?

If you have some news to share and would like to be considered for a future edition of the NewsFlash, email us at:

newsflash@mossleyhollins.com

Contacting Head's of Year

When contacting your child's Head of Year (Progress) – please check you are using the correct email address.

Year 7
Mrs Allwood-Smith
classof2028@mossleyhollins.com

Year 8
Mr Hayward
classof2027@mossleyhollins.com

Year 9
Mr Beaumont and Mr Dawson
classof2026@mossleyhollins.com

Year 10
Miss Fogg
classof2025@mossleyhollins.com

Year 11
Mrs Burns and Mr Howarth
classof2024@mossleyhollins.com

Please remember our pastoral team are teachers or teaching assistants and spend most of their time in the classroom. However, if you do not receive a response within 48 hours, please email Mr Oliver at heads.pa@mossleyhollins.com

If your enquiry is urgent, please contact our Reception team.

Scientist of the Week

Alice C (Year 10)

In Alice's recent Science T1 Assessment she achieved a fantastic result which she should be so proud of! Her work on genetics in Biology, separation techniques in Chemistry and waves in Physics was exemplary.

In her answers, Alice confidently used the correct scientific language too. Well done Alice, you were so impressive!