

# Valley News



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## Sporting Success!



This week has been a busy one on the sport front;

On Tuesday afternoon, a group of Year 3 and Year 4 children, zoomed off to The Cheadle Academy to learn new skills in Dodgeball. After having an opportunity to find out how to play, the children then took part in a mini tournament against the 4 other schools in the competition. Dodging and diving their way through to the final, the children drew their final match – resulting in an overall joint win with Cheadle Primary! What a brilliant result! Our Dynamic Dodgeball team were; Ceithin, Rocha, Revie, Oscar, Freya, Freya, Hazel, Isla and Ellie. Well done!

Continuing with our efforts on the football pitch, the year 5/6's returned to Cicely Haughton for their final matches of the league. Having won all of our matches so far – they knew what was at stake! Playing some amazing football in both matches, their fantastic results led to an overall joint win with St. John's. The first time we have secured a win in football in a VERY long time. Well done to you all – what a fantastic achievement!

Our wonderful football heroes for the league were; Zac, Fred, Luca, Sophia, Rocha & Oscar + Troy, Charlie and Thomas from Dilhorne Well done Team Valley!

## **The Moorlands Primary Federation Members and Trustees**

Below is a list of the Members and Trustees of The Moorlands Primary Federation, a little bit of information about the difference in their roles and the Trustees' contact details should you wish to communicate with them.

### **The Moorlands Primary Federation (TMPF) Members 2018/9**

*Members are the equivalent of the shareholders – they 'own' the Multi-Academy Trust. Our Members appoint the Trustees and meet at least annually.*

Mr Peter Chell

Mr John Ratcliffe

Mrs Kay Hulse

Rev Linda Lucking

Vacancy

### **The Moorlands Primary Federation Trust Board 2018/9**

*Trust Board members are also known as Trustees. These are the people who fulfil the roles previously done by Governors. They promote the vision, ethos and strategic direction of our schools; they act as a critical friend to the leadership team and hold them to account for each school's performance; and oversee the use of resources to ensure money is well spent.*

Mr Peter Chell - Chair of Trust Board and Link Trustee for The Valley Primary School –  
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Vacancy (pending application approval)

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### Dates

Please note these dates are the most up to date version, please ensure you check them carefully in case of any changes.

- 12<sup>th</sup> October** – Harvest Service 9.30am  
**16<sup>th</sup> October** – CADSSA KS2 Cross Country Relay  
**26<sup>th</sup> October** – Inset day – School Closed  
**29<sup>th</sup> October – 2<sup>nd</sup> November** – Half term  
**23<sup>rd</sup> November** – Y5/6 Basketball competition  
**26<sup>th</sup>/ 27<sup>th</sup> November** – KS2 Sportshall Athletics @ Fenton Manor 12.30 -3.30pm  
**5<sup>th</sup> December** – Y6 Maths Transition Afternoon @ TCA, 1-3pm  
**18<sup>th</sup> December** – Christmas Nativity 2pm & 6pm  
**20<sup>th</sup> December** – Pantomime @ Regent Theatre  
**21<sup>st</sup> December** – School closes for Christmas

### Celebration Assembly

Many thanks to everyone who made it to our Celebration Assembly last week. **Celebration Assembly will now take place on a fortnightly basis. The date of the next one is Friday 12<sup>th</sup> October at 9.30am. This will be after the Harvest Service.**

### Macmillan coffee morning

A huge thank you for the many contributions of cake and donations for our coffee morning last week. Thank you also to those who were able to make it - it was a wonderful morning, and everyone enjoyed lots of cake and a chance for a coffee and chat too! The total amount raised was £163.10. Well done everybody!

### Attendance

Reception – 96.8%  
Year 1 – 100%  
Year 2- 94.86%  
Year 3 – 96.8%  
Year 4 – 96.8%  
Year 5 – 100%  
Year 6 – 94%

### Uniform

Reminder - looking smart is very important please keep our standards high. If you have any problems regarding uniform please speak to a member of staff.

Hair longer than shoulder length must be tied back.

### Morning!

May we remind you that lesson time begins at 9.15am. Your child needs arrive in school prior to this time. Any children arriving after this, will need to enter school via the school office and complete the late register.

Please note we have a duty to monitor the number of late arrivals during the term.

### Harvest Festival

Please could the children bring dried produce in for our harvest festival (no fresh fruit or vegetables please). All food donations will be taken to Cheadle Food Bank.