

# Messages from Moor Hey

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## Welcome back

We hope you had a good break and are looking forward to this exciting and busy half-term!

## School Council - Cake Competition and cake sale and non-uniform day



Our school council have organised a **cake competition and cake sale for next Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> November** in aid of Children in Need. Pupils are invited to bake any type of cake and to bring it in to school on **Thursday morning**.

The winner will be announced that day and all cakes will then be available to buy for 20p each or 20p per slice. Donations of shop bought cakes are also welcomed for the sale.

The following day, **Friday 14<sup>th</sup> November will be a non-uniform day**, with pupils donating £1. If there are any cakes left, the cake sale will continue this day.



## Christmas Catering Colouring Competition

LCC Catering are running a Christmas card design competition for children

who have school meals. There are some fantastic prizes for our region: 1 x Mountain bike, 1 x Xbox 360, 1 x iPod shuffle, 1 x Voucher. Lewis N won an Xbox in 2012.



The card should be designed on a piece of A4 paper and must be returned to school by Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> November. Good Luck!

## College Open Evenings

All Year 11 pupils and families are invited to attend college open evenings as follows:

Preston's College - Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> November - morning

Runshaw College - Monday 10<sup>th</sup> November - 4.30pm - 8pm

Newman College - Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> November - 5.30pm till 8.30pm

Blackburn College - Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> November - 4.30pm - 8pm

Blackpool and Fylde College - Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> November - 4.30pm - 7pm

Myerscough College - Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> November - 10am - 12.30pm

Please take the time to visit colleges you are considering so you can see them for yourselves, find out about courses available at different levels and talk to college staff about support available.



### Christmas Dinner

Our school Christmas dinner for pupils and staff will be on **Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> December**. If your child does not normally have school dinners, you should have received a menu choice with this newsletter. Meals are £2.20 and the forms need to be returned as soon as possible (latest 21<sup>st</sup> November). Children who usually have school dinners will make their choice in school as normal.

This is a good opportunity to sample our wonderful food to see if your child would like to enjoy school dinners every day.

### Friends of Moor Hey Christmas Bingo and Raffle

We are now selling Raffle Tickets for this event. Tickets are 20p a ticket or £1 a strip. The first prize is a fabulous Acer Iconia



A1 Tablet, second prize is a Luxury Hamper and third prize is £50!!!

If you would like to purchase some tickets, please send money in a named envelope into school. We would also appreciate donations of prizes. Thank you for your support.

### Dates for your diary:

Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> November - Cake competition and cake sale.

Friday 14<sup>th</sup> November - Non Uniform day

Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> November - A4 Christmas Card designs deadline

Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> November - Whole school Parents Evening

Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> December - FOMHS Christmas Bingo and Raffle

Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> December - Christmas dinner

Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> December - Break up for Christmas

### London Residential Visit

We are trying to raise money for the Moor Hey residential visit to London. We will be holding a school competition using football cards. It is £1 to enter and the competition is open to pupils, parents/carers, passenger assistants and school staff. Each entrant will pick a football team on the card and the winner will receive a prize kindly donated from Marks & Spencer. There will be 4 football cards to choose from, with a prize for each card. Next week is the last chance to have a go - the winner will be announced next **Friday 14<sup>th</sup> November**.



### Bags to School

Did you have a clear out over half-term? Are there any items we can use?

You will have received a collection bag and more information with this newsletter. Please try to help. Thank you.



### Morrsons Let's Grow



Please send any vouchers into school on **Monday**, as we have to send them off next week.

*Have a great weekend!*

Helen McLenahan