



Monksdown News

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19th January 2018

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Our After School Clubs began this week and it is a pleasure to walk around after 3pm and see a whole host of activities being enjoyed by all those involved. All credit to the staff and children who give up their time to enrich the curriculum. Please ensure your children are collected, by an adult, promptly at 4pm.

Our three Reception classes braved the winter weather this week when they took a walk around Croxteth Park. They certainly all had rosy cheeks on their return to school.

Advanced Notice - themed week 19th February 2018. We will be holding another of our themed weeks in order to inspire, engage and enthuse the children. This time we will be celebrating 'Heroes' and the children will experience activities, challenges and projects during the week. Children are invited to come to school on Friday, 23rd February (NOT 9th February as stated on last weeks' newsletter) dressed as a person or character they admire for their courage, bravery, outstanding achievements or noble quality.

Have a great weekend

Mrs Gough

Attendance 8-12/1/18

Class	%
3H	99.0
1C	98.0
2BY	97.9
6GA	97.8
RVH	97.3
1H	97.2
4W	97.1
4J	96.0
3C	95.2
1HC	94.9
5M	94.7
5A	93.4
RG	92.7
2B	90.6
6MA	86.8
RMG	84.3

Total = 94.5%

IMPORTANT NOTICE

Parking around school is becoming increasingly hazardous. I am currently in contact with Liverpool City Council regarding road markings around the school site.

I would like to remind all parents of the following:

- Please park away from the roads around school
- Please do not park on the pavements around school
- Please do not park outside the main gates
- Please do not park in the staff/visitors car parks
- Please abide by the speed limit, which is 20 miles per hour

The safety of our children is paramount

Stars of the Week

Nam	Jack Allen
Npm	Natasha Kowalczye
RG	Adrian Sliwa
RH	Ellie-Mai Smith
RMG	Isabelle Eccleson
1T	Connor Parry
1H	Anthony Devitt
1HC	Freya Wong
2B	Daniel Blankson
2BY	Koby Stobbart
2C	Lilly Deary-Riley
3C	Liam McCann
3H	Heidi Smith
4J	Amirah Lawal
4W	Alfie Wond
5A	Lucy Allen
5S	Gabriella Fowler
6GA	Nathan Devine
6MA	Paul Waite

Dates for your Diary

Monday 22/1/18	10am Sports Hall Athletics at Cardinal Heenan – selected children form Years 3+4
Wednesday 24/1/18	KS2 to watch Robin Hood in school
Thursday 25/1/18	Year 6 football
Monday 29/1/18	Year 3 trip to Martin Mere
Friday 2/2/18	NSPCC Number Day – 50p donation
W/C Monday 5/2/18	Assessment Week
Wednesday 7/2/18	Year 6 Football match at Broadgreen High School 3.30- 5pm
Friday 9/2/18	Break up at 2pm for half term break
12 – 15 /2/18	Spring Half Term Holiday
Monday 19/2/18	8.55am Return to school
19-23/2/18	Super Hero Week
Thursday 22/2/18	Cross Country race at Sefton Park
Friday 23/2/18	Dress up as a hero day for all children Science fiction themed music concerts
Monday - Thursday 14 –17 th May 2018	Year 6 SATs week

Your child could be eligible for Pupil Premium Grant Funding!

If you are not sure how to apply then please come into school on Monday, 22nd January at 9am and a member of staff will help you to complete the on-line form.

Reminder about our school day

The classroom doors open for children to enter the school building at 8.50am with lessons starting promptly at 8.55am. Children who arrive after this time are missing out on vital learning time and instructions on their lesson content. It is vitally important that children are ready to learn at 8.55am so please ensure your child is on time and we ask that parents do not disrupt or distract children whilst they are in their classroom. Children arriving after the doors are closed at 9am **MUST** be signed in at the school office by an adult.

Do you have any unused/unwanted board games?

We are looking for complete board games for our club. If you have any that you would like to donate to school please pass them into the school office.

Thank you



Please check your child's hair regularly. If you find any lice please treat your child's hair along with the rest of your family. Lotion is available from your local chemist.

MONEY

ALL money (trip, dinners etc.) **MUST** be sent into school in an envelope – clearly marked with the child's name, class, amount and what it is for. Include the permission slip if it's for a trip.

MONEY WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED IF IT'S NOT IN AN ENVELOPE.

UNDER **NO** CIRCUMSTANCES WILL MONEY BE ACCEPTED AT THE SCHOOL OFFICE.
IT MUST GO TO THE CLASS TEACHER.