



Monksdown News

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18th January 2019

Dear Parents and Carers,

Edition: Spring 2

The Children have now all settled back to school and are eager to embrace all that 2019 offers.

Advanced Notice:

Once again we look forward to celebrating Work Book Day on Thursday 7th March. This year we will be asking the children to come to school dressed in costume:

EYFS (Nursery and Reception Classes) and Key Stage 1 (Years 1-2):

FROGS OR ANYTHING GREEN. The children will be reading the book "Tuesday" by David Wiesner, a picture book tells the tale of a group of frogs who take over the neighborhood.

Key Stage 2 (Years 3-6): SUPERHERO COSTUME. The children will be studying "The Fabulous Four Fish Fingers" series by Jason Beresford who we are delighted to announce is our visiting author on this day.

Please don't feel the need to buy a costume as homemade ones are usually: less expensive, involve collaboration and interaction with your children, express individuality, give children a sense of achievement and the adults often enjoy it too!

Attendance

7-11/01/19

Class	%
2BY	99.3
2P	98.9
5H	98.7
5S	97.7
4A	94.7
1B	94.7
4J	94.5
2A	93.9
3C	93.3
3LC	93.1
6F	93.0
FF	92.7
1S	93.0
1U	92.7
6W	91.8
LL	91.7
BB	94.8

Total 94.8%

Sporty News

Our Year 5 and 6 basketball team played admirably in the tournament held at North Liverpool Academy and are now through to the city finals.

Parent/Carer Afternoon

Thank you to all those who attended on Wednesday. I hope you found the meetings informative. I really appreciate the time you took to complete the Parent/Carer Questionnaire. Your thoughts and contributions are valuable to us and will be carefully analysed by the Senior Leadership Team and staff. Findings and intended actions will be shared shortly.

The most overwhelming key to a child's success is the positive involvement of parents and carers.

Have a wonderful weekend
Mrs Gough

★ Stars of the Week ★

NAM	John-Paul Donovan
NPM	Jack Chen
FF	Jaiden Stuart
LL	Nathan Williams
BB	Victor Chelkowski
1U	Aiden Fleming
1B	Jade Hale
1S	Deacon Nixon
2BY	Jamie Chadwick
2A	Aiden Evans
2P	Demi-Lea Mawdsley
3C	James McGorin
3LC	Connor McKibbin
4A	James McIntyre
4J	Hannah Beiman
5H	Daniel Kennedy-Lyons
5S	David Vasak
6F	Zoha Gul
6W	Elise Sharpe

Dates for your Diary

Monday 21 st January	Year 3 Stone Age Workshop
Tuesday 22 nd January	Year 6 Crucial Crew
Wednesday 23 rd January	Year 5 Story time, Ellergreen Nursery
Friday 25 th January	5H Class assembly- Parents/Carers invited 9:30am
Wednesday 28 th January	KS1 SATs 9:15-9:45
Wednesday 30 th January	Civil Engineering Assemblies
Thursday 31 st January	ASD Coffee Afternoon 1:45pm
Thursday 31 st January	Year 6 SATs Meeting 2:30am
Friday 1 st February	5S Class Assembly- Parents/Carers invited 9:30am
Friday 1 st February	Year 1 Phonics Meeting 9:15am
Monday 4 th February	Year 5/6 Girls Football
Tuesday 5 th February	Bully Busters workshops
Tuesday 5 th February	RG Winter Walk- Croxteth Park 9:30-2:00pm
Wednesday 6 th February	RVH Winter Walk- Croxteth Park 9:30-2:00pm
Friday 8 th February	RH Winter Walk- Croxteth Park 9:30-2:00pm
Monday 11 th February	Bread Making in School
Monday 11 th February	Reception Health Checks
Tuesday 12 th February	Reception Health Checks
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Wednesday 13 th February	Reception Health Checks
Thursday 14 th February	Reception Health Checks
Friday 15 th February	Musical Concerts
Friday 15th February	Break up for Half Term 2pm
Monday 18 th -22 nd February	Half Term Holiday
Monday 25th February	Return to school at 8:55am
Tuesday 26 th February	Cross Country Race at Sefton Park
Friday 1 st March	4J Class Assembly, Parents/Carers invited 9:30am
Tuesday 5 th March	Cross Country Race at Wavertree
Thursday 7 th March	World Book Day- Author Visit Jason Beresford
Friday 8 th March	4A Class Assembly, Parents/Carers invited 9:30am
Wednesday 20 th March	Governors Meeting 9:30am
Wednesday 20 th March	Family Fun Event 3:15-4:30pm
Friday 29 th March	Reception visit to Chirk Castle
Friday 29 th March	3C Class Assembly, Parents/Carers invited 9:30am
Monday 1 st April	Mobile Farm in school
Tuesday 2 nd April	Mobile Farm in school

Thursday 4th April

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Friday 5th April

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Uniform

A reminder that children should wear black sensible school shoes. Jewellery- with the exception of small stud earrings- or nail varnish must not be worn. Thank you for your co-operation.

After school Activities

All clubs are now up and running and finish at 4:00pm. Please be on time to collect your child.

Songs of Hope presented by Liverpool Centre of Mission

Come and hear the real message of Hope through music, song and word on **Sunday 20th January at 6:30-8pm** in our school. All welcome and free of charge.

Light refreshments available.