



Monksdown News

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Edition: Summer 4

Dear Parents/Carers,

Like Arnie Schwarzenegger said, "I'll be back"... and I am delighted to be back at school after my minor foot operation. I am looking forward to spending the rest of term with the children and staff before I leave on 24th July.

The Year 6 SATs are now over for another year. The children all performed their very best and I want you to know how proud we all are of them; their perseverance, their commitment to school life and their passion for making a difference to others is incredible.

Housekeeping

- May I remind all KS2 children that they **must** remain on the junior playground until 8:50am when they can wait outside their new classrooms. They must not linger around the new building where they cannot be seen.
- Some older children are allowed to bring mobile phones to school as they walk home alone. Phones **cannot be used at all** on the school site, either before or after the school day.
- For safeguarding reasons adults are not allowed in school without reporting to the school office.
- I have had complaints that some adults are swearing on the playground. Please remember that there are many children milling around before and after school, they should not have to listen to foul language from adults.
- Please note, children may only leave class early if they have a medical appointment or in the case of an emergency. Children will only be released from class when you arrive to collect them in the main office. Thank you for your co-operation with all of these matters.

Fundraising

One of our Year 2 pupils is currently battling Leukemia. His family and friends are organising a charity fundraising event. Should you have any new or unused gifts that would be suitable for a tombola stall please send them into school. Please keep this family in your thoughts and prayers.

Sun Safe

Hopefully, we will be experiencing some warmer weather during the next couple of months. Please ensure your child is adequately protected from the sun. Apply sun cream before school- we would recommend the once a day type- and provide your child with a cap or sunhat!

Have a lovely weekend

Mrs Gough

Attendance

6-11/05/2019

| Class | % |
|-------|------|
| 6F | 99.2 |
| BB | 98.3 |
| 6W | 97.8 |
| 1B | 97.5 |
| FF | 96.7 |
| 5S | 96.3 |
| 2A | 96.1 |
| 2P | 95.8 |
| 3LC | 95.5 |
| 4J | 95.2 |
| 5H | 95.0 |
| LL | 95.0 |
| 1U | 95.0 |
| 2BY | 93.3 |
| 4A | 93.3 |
| 1S | 92.5 |
| 3C | 89.4 |

Total 95.4 %

Star of the Week

NAM Lily- Ann Revil
 NPM Steven Emerson
 BB Arwa Tariq
 LL Emily Mae Hall
 FF Elylson Melo
 1U The Whole Class
 1S The Whole Class
 1B The Whole Class
 2BY The Whole Class
 2P The Whole Class
 2A The Whole Class
 3C Natasha Gore
 3LC Charlie Morrison
 4A Ava Chandler
 4J Nicole Chen
 5H Eloim Pollaa
 5S Alfie Kay
 6F David Roberts
 6W Tyrone Smith

Reminder

School is closed on **Thursday 23rd May** for EU Elections.

We reopen again on **Friday 24th May at 8:55am.**

School closes at **2pm** on this day.

Friday 24th May will be a non-uniform day.

Dates for your diary

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| Monday 20 th -Friday 24 th May | Year 6 trip week |
| Tuesday 21 st May | Spelling workshops- KS1 Parents, 9:30-10:30am |
| Wednesday 22 nd May | NSPCC Assembly |
| Wednesday 22 nd May | Chester Zoo- Reception classes |
| Thursday 23rd May | School closed for polling day |
| Friday 24th May | Break up for half term holidays 2pm |
| Monday 3rd June | Inset Day- school closed for pupils |
| Tuesday 4th June | Inset Day- school closed for pupils |
| Wednesday 5th June | School reopens 8:55am |
| Monday 10 th June | Phonics screening Year 1 |
| Thursday 13 th June | Year 6 trip to IM Marsh |
| Friday 14 th June | 2A Class Assembly 9:30am |
| Friday 21 st June | 2BY class assembly 9:30am |
| Thursday 27 th June | Chess Tournament St George's Hall |
| Friday 28th June | Inset Day- School closed for pupils |
| Monday 1 st July | Whole School Transition Day 9:30-10:30am |
| Wednesday 3 rd July | Liverpool School's Secondary Transition Day |
| Friday 5 th July | 2P Class Assembly 9:30am |
| Tuesday 9 th July | Reports home to Parents/Carers |
| Tuesday 9th July | School Production- Mary the Musical 7pm KS2 Hall |
| Wednesday 10th July | School Production- Mary the Musical 7pm KS2 Hall |
| Wednesday 10 th July | New to Reception parent's meeting 2pm |
| Thursday 11th July | School Production- Mary the Musical 7pm KS2 Hall |
| Friday 12 th July | Main cast of Mary Poppins perform at Hope University Graduation |
| Monday 15 th July | Transition day 9:30-10:45am |
| Monday 15 th July | Whole School Transition 1:15-2:30pm |
| Tuesday 16 th July | New Reception children and parents invited to stay for lunch (Bees) 11:30am |
| Wednesday 17 th July | New Reception children and parents invited to stay for lunch (Fish) 11:30am |
| Tuesday 18 th July | Reception trip to Crosby Beach |
| Friday 19 th July | New Reception children and parents invited to stay for lunch (Ladybirds) 11:30am |
| Friday 19 th July | Year 3 and 4 trip to Gulliver's World |
| Monday 22 nd July | Year 5 and 6 trip to Blackpool Pleasure beach |
| Tuesday 23 rd July | Year 1 and 2 trip to Knowsley Safari Park |
| Wednesday 24 th July | Year 6 Leaver's assembly 10am |
| Wednesday 24 th July | School finishes for Summer 2pm |



"Mary the Musical"

Tickets on sale after the half term holiday

Adults £4 Children £2



If your child is taking part in this year's summer production, you will need to provide the following:

- Year 3- School skirt/trousers and school shoes
- Year 4- Navy school shorts and pumps
- Year 5- Black leggings (girls)- school trousers (boys)

Thank you for your support



Dogs of any shape, size or cuteness are NOT allowed on the school premises. Please DO NOT bring them onto the playgrounds.

Thank you

Please note:

The spelling meeting for KS1 parents on **Tuesday 21st May** has been cancelled