

# Millbrook Newsletter



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**Lost Coat**  
A Timberland blue coat aged 8 has been lost. If found please return it to school.

**Children in Need 2017**  
Friday 17<sup>th</sup> November is Children in Need day. Our school are taking part in some fun activities to raise money for this good cause. Children may come to school wearing something with spots on. They need to bring some silver coins. We will hold a class competition seeing which class can make the biggest 'spot' of silver coins'. Year 6 will host a cake sale so donations of cakes before this date will be welcome. All money raised on this day will be donated to Children in need (we would be grateful if parents can continue to pay school fund on this date as we have lots of events booked).

Dear Parents,

Welcome to our third newsletter. I hope parents appreciate our drive to cut down on paper by giving information out fortnightly.

The next half term is going to be very busy as November is packed with events and then Christmas will be upon us with added fun festivities including the bingo advertised this week, a Christmas Disco (first ever at Millbrook) and the traditional Christmas pantomime. Over the course of this term, we will spend on average £14 per child on events in school, trips out, prizes, balloons etc. Weekly donations of £1 School Fund pay for these events and we are grateful to parents who pay regularly. If you do not we will have to ask you for a full term contribution which is costly particularly near Christmas.

The next newsletter will be after half term when the nights will draw closer and the weather much cooler.

JM Maloney

We would appreciate donations of non-perishable food before our Harvest Assembly next Friday. All food donated will go to the local food bank to help families and individuals in crisis. Tins, packets, plastic bottles of juice, sauce, boxes of food, tea, coffee – all welcome.

## Child of the Week

Nursery am	Hannah McDermott
Nursery pm	Brooke Roach
Class 1	Skyler Cunningham
Class 2	Charlie Devine
Class 3	Millie Butler
Class 4	Elizabeth Lewis
Class 7	Charlie Saunders
Class 8	Emily Campbell
Class 9	Leah Organ
Class 10	Lexie Smith & Sonny McGarvey
Class 11	Charlie Callaghan
Mrs William's	Leo Byrne
Mrs McKuhen's	Iyla Riley

## Happy Birthday

14<sup>th</sup> October – Mya Mustard (4)  
14<sup>th</sup> October – Jack Rowland (8)  
16<sup>th</sup> October – Cole Fitzpatrick (7)  
20<sup>th</sup> October – Aaron Currie (7)  
20<sup>th</sup> October – Phoebe Morton (11)  
20<sup>th</sup> October – Phoebe Price (4)  
25<sup>th</sup> October – Harry Daulby (7)  
25<sup>th</sup> October – Kierah Leslie (4)  
26<sup>th</sup> October – Amelia Messham (6)  
29<sup>th</sup> October – Millie Butler (6)  
30<sup>th</sup> October – Sophia O'Hare (6)  
31<sup>st</sup> October – Kaitlyn Kirton (11)



## New Millbrook Baby!

Congratulations to Alice Watkins whose brother Oliver James Watkins was born on 22<sup>nd</sup> September 2017 at 12:21pm. Oliver was born 10 weeks early weighing a mere 3lb 4oz. Oliver needed a little bit of help with breathing but we are delighted to say that he is stronger now and doing really well after returning home recently.

## Attendance

Once again Class 3 topped attendance during the week ending 28<sup>th</sup> September with 97.5% for the fourth week running. Last week Class 10 came first with 99.1%

Congratulations Andrew James who won the weekly £10 voucher for 100% attendance last week.

## School Term Dates 2017/18

**Autumn term**  
Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> September – Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> December  
(Half term – Mon 23<sup>rd</sup> – Frid 27<sup>th</sup> Oct)  
**Spring term**  
Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> January – Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> March  
(Half term – Mon 12<sup>th</sup> – Frid 16<sup>th</sup> February)  
**Summer term**  
Monday 16<sup>th</sup> April – Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> July  
(Half term – Friday 25<sup>th</sup> May – Friday 1<sup>st</sup> June)  
Closed for staff training – Monday 18<sup>th</sup> June

## Dates for diaries

Mon 16<sup>th</sup> Oct – Mini Police at Energy Saving event. Year 2 Liverpool Academy Football tournament., School Nurse Drop in for parents, 9:00am.  
Tues 17<sup>th</sup> Oct – Sword fencing demonstration with Mr Lomax, Family Cookery with Ann Curley.  
Thurs 19<sup>th</sup> Oct – CLC Young Investigators – C10, Half term house point winners  
Frid 20<sup>th</sup> Oct – Harvest Celebration C9 10:00am, Class 10 Forest School  
Tues 30<sup>th</sup> Oct – Dress up in a Halloween costume and donate chocolates/ wine, Mark marking for Early Years.

The School nurse will be available on Monday 16<sup>th</sup> October at 9:00am to meet with any parents' about child health concerns – head lice, bed wetting, puberty etc

## PTA Events

On Tuesday 31<sup>st</sup> October, the PTA has asked for a 'Dress up for Halloween' day, in exchange for chocolate or wine donations for our Christmas Bingo. On Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> November at 9:00am, the PTA will be meeting and would like more parents to come on board, so come along and have a cup of tea. On 20<sup>th</sup> December, the PTA will be running a Christmas Bingo straight after school (parents and children welcome). It is over ten years since Millbrook had its last Parent Bingo so we look forward to this event. Our parents have some great events lined up over the next few months.

## Anti-Bullying Week

During the week beginning Monday 13<sup>th</sup> November we will be hosting our annual Anti-Bullying week starting on Monday with a Blue Day. Pupils can come to school dressed in something blue. We will be selling Anti Bullying wristbands during the week for £1 – limited bands on offer.