

Millbrook Newsletter



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Attendance
Well done to Class 7 who had the highest attendance for the week before last with 98.4% and to Class 11 who won last week with 99.1% respectively. The overall attendance has risen to 95.6%- well done everyone! Congratulations to Phoebe Price and Filip Zubkiewickz who won our infant draw and Dan Brown and Alfie Smith won the junior draw for our 100% weekly attendance £10 voucher.

Easter Disco
Children may come to school on Thursday 4th April dressed in their own clothes ready for the parties. Please be mindful of children who will be swimming in the morning. They will need appropriate outdoor clothes.

Dear Parents,

This week I had the pleasure of visiting Kirkby High School to watch Class 10 perform with two local schools an assortment of jazzy songs as part of the Jazzy Links project. Several of our pupils had speaking parts and the pupils were a credit to the school and local community.

Next week we are holding two Easter discos. The discos are always popular and it is a few years since we organised it for Easter. On Friday Class 7 will lead the Easter Service at St Chad's Church. We look forward to this event and we know Class 7 have been practicing hard.

The new free bagel distribution each morning has gone really well this week. Thank you to the parents and children who have supported us.

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Year 6 Key Stage 2 Tests

Mon 13th May – English - Grammar, Punctuation & Spelling (Paper 1 and 2)

Tues 14th May – English – Reading

Wed 15th May – Mathematics (Paper 1 and 2)

Thurs 16th May – Mathematics (Paper 3)

A number of children will need additional adults during the four test days so good punctuality is essential.

Child of the Week

Nursery am – Frankie Bohan & Nevaeh London

Nursery pm – Dylan Kelly & Charlotte Clarke

Class 1 – Jack A'Barrow & Eliza Boardman

Class 2 – Orion Schiller & Harvey Pentleton

Class 3- Alfie Merner & Mason Barr

Class 4 – Ava Winterson & Charlie Devine

Class 7 – Amelia Lafferty & Andrew James

Class 8 – Jack Burke & Sadie Stock

Class 9 – Thomas Bowman & Thomas Jenson

Class 10 – Evie-Mae Sholicar & Rhys Howard

Class 11 – Lois Farley & Sophie Hill-Baines

Mrs William – Lucy Nolan

Mrs Chambers – Michaela Donnelly & Lexyanne

Browning

Mrs McKuhen – All of Class 9 & Isabella Yanez

Happy Birthday

30th March – Thomas Bowman (9)

30th March – Kaitlyn Travis (10)

1st April – Heidi Gibbs (7)

1st April – Blake Gillbanks (11)

5th April – Poppy Cooper (6)

5th April – Lucy Nolan (11)

9th April – Jessica Hanlon (4)

9th April – Alfie Joinson (8)

10th April – Luca Brabin (5)

10th April – Oliva Kieloch (7)

10th April – Joel Maxwell (11)

11th April – Michael Brady (6)

11th April – Max Seary (8)

16th April – Lacey Balmer (6)

16th April – Ethan Riley (8)

19th April – Lennon Hilditch (10)

20th April – Faith Doran (4)

21st April – Harley Downes (5)

21st April – Loren Flannery (11)

21st April – Amber-Rose Flynn (8)

25th April – Phoebe Gibbs (8)

25th April – Isobel Lloyd (6)



Parent Questionnaires and Parent Review

Thank you to the 44 parents who completed parent review forms and the 32 who completed our online survey. **100%** of parents were satisfied with the review and **100%** of parents thought their child was safe, making good progress, well looked after, taught well and receives the appropriate homework. **97%** of parents thought their child was happy and that the school ensures pupils are well behaved (3% didn't know) and respond well to concerns. **86%** receive valuable information about their child's progress and thought the school was well led and managed (10% don't know) **94%** of parents would recommend Millbrook to another parent (again 3% didn't know). **56%** of parents thought Millbrook deals effectively with bullying whilst **41%** didn't know so clearly as a school we need to enable parents to understand how we deal with any bullying found at Millbrook School.

Dates for diaries

Mon 1st April - Class 9 and 10 Swimming, C8 at KHS Drama, Class 9 Litter Picking

Tues 2nd April - Class 9 and 10 Swimming, KS1 100% Attendance Party C8 – 11,

Wed 3rd April - Class 9 and 10 Swimming, KS2 100% Attendance Party, Class 4 Litter Picking

Thurs 4th April - Class 9 and 10 Swimming, Easter Disco (PSA) – Juniors finish at 3:30pm, Nursery last day

Frid 5th April – Nursery Stay and Play 9:00am, 10:00am Class 7 Easter Service St Chad's

Mon 29th April - C8 at KHS Drama

Year 2 and Year 6 Tests

Please note that Year 2 tests are taken throughout May so full attendance is essential.

Year 6 tests are taken on specific days as required by the government. It is imperative that Year 6 pupils are in school every day on time during the week of 13th May. Please note the timetable for the Year 6 tests. Please contact school immediately if you child is ill so we can ensure they complete their test.

Easter Competitions

We have two lovely competitions ready for Easter with lovely prizes. Nursery, Class 1 and 2 are having an Easter Bonnet competition and Class 3, 4, 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11 are having a Design an Egg competition. Please bring all entries in on Thursday 4th April. We look forward to seeing pupil's creativity and innovativeness.

School Term Dates 2018/19

Spring term

Tuesday 8th January – Friday 5th April

(Summer term)

Tuesday 23rd April – Wednesday 24th July

Mon 6th May – Bank holiday

(Half term – Friday 24th May – Friday 31st May)

Closed for staff training – Monday 17th June