

# Millbrook Newsletter



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**Attendance**  
Well done to Class 3 who had the highest attendance for the week before last with 98.7% and Class 11 with 97.1 for last week. The overall attendance was 94%. Well done to Brody Witter and Mya Hutchinson who won our infant draw and Henry Williams and Isabella Ingoglia who won the junior draw for our 100% weekly attendance £10 voucher.

**Lucky Winner**  
Congratulations to Kaylum Jones (Class 11), who has won a Galaxy Samsung tablet after attending Kirkby High School Year 7 open evening. Ms Conefrey (Headteacher) presented this to Kaylum on Wednesday. We are very proud of him and hope he enjoys his new gift.

Dear Parents,

We come to the end of a very long and busy half term. This week has been full of lovely events including a fantastic Halloween workshop for our children and parents and a brilliant art workshop using clay for a group of children including some very artistic youngsters.

Tomorrow the children will enjoy their first day of the half term whilst Millbrook staff work on further improving our curriculum offer so we can give pupils the best possible opportunities.

We hope pupils have a lovely rest and enjoy Halloween. We know they will take care in the community and not frighten or disturb older people. See you all on the first day back.

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## Cross Country

We are very proud of our Cross Country Runners who have competed in two races and done extremely well. Millbrook boys came first! **Congratulations to: James Armstrong, Joshua Wockenforth, Rhys Howard, Sami Parr, Liam Carmichael, Thomas Jensen, Lexie Howard, Henlie Gibbs, Lewis Gordon, Thomas Bowman, Finn Williams, Macey Cunningham, Leighton Travis, Jack Burke, Ethan Riley, Eva Johns, Sienna Pike, Ella Hughes and Max Seary.**

## Child of the Week

Nursery am – Mason Kyle Morrison & Michael Kyle Morrison & Harper Gillbanks

Nursery pm – Olivia McCormick & Renae Price

Class 1 – Paddy McCutcheon & Charlie Sweet

Class 2 – Max Rimmer & Kierah Vaughan

Class 3- Anthony Kyle & Jack A'Barrow

Class 4 -Kelsey McVerry & Jack Duckworth

Class 7 – Heidi Gibbs & Charlie Devine

Class 8 – Alfie Joinson & Annie-Mai Brown

Class 9 – Nicholas McCarthy & Amelia Lafferty

Class 10–Henlie Gibbs & Chase Brugnoli Vinten

Class 11 – Daisy Ireland & Lexyanne Browning

Mrs Williams – Riley Grimes

Mrs Chambers–Freddy Hunter & James Bowman

Mrs McKuhen – Alfie Joinson & Alex Hewitt

## Happy Birthday

16<sup>th</sup> October – Olivia McCormick (4)

19<sup>th</sup> October – Dolly Boardman (6)

20<sup>th</sup> October – Aaron Currie (9)

20<sup>th</sup> October – Kelsey McVerry (7)

20<sup>th</sup> October – Phoebe Price (6)

21<sup>st</sup> October – Nevaeh Lundon (5)

24<sup>th</sup> October – Jacob King (5)

25<sup>th</sup> October – Harry Daulby (9)

26<sup>th</sup> October – Amelia Messham (8)

26<sup>th</sup> October – Jack Yanez (7)

29<sup>th</sup> October – Millie Butler (8)

30<sup>th</sup> October – Kaitlyn Brannigan (10)

30<sup>th</sup> October – Sophia O'Hare (8)

4<sup>th</sup> November – Ajay Kavanagh (8)

4<sup>th</sup> November – Anthony McLoughlin (7)

9<sup>th</sup> November – Mason Hull (5)

10<sup>th</sup> November – Ava Gallagher (7)

10<sup>th</sup> November – Alex Kelly (7)

11<sup>th</sup> November – Oliver Armstrong (4)

12<sup>th</sup> November – Poppy Daley (4)

13<sup>th</sup> November – Anne-Rose Price (9)

14<sup>th</sup> November – Eva Noble (6)

14<sup>th</sup> November – Sophia Noble (6)

14<sup>th</sup> November –Poppy Woods (11)



## Dates for diaries

Frid 25<sup>th</sup> Oct – Staff training day – School closed for children

Mon 4<sup>th</sup> Nov – Back to school, C4 & 9 history explore day, Christopher Columbus and Mayan Civilisation.

Tues 5<sup>th</sup> November – KS2 Sword Fencing assembly (pre morning sessions), Class 4 to visit Kirkby Library, Key Stage 2 100% Attendance Party

Wed 6<sup>th</sup> Nov – Class 7 to KHS PE, Class 11 History Explore Day WW1, Class 3 – History Explore Day, Gunpowder Plot.

Thurs 7<sup>th</sup> Nov - C11 Autumn Maths solve it club  
Mon 11<sup>th</sup> Nov- Anti Bullying week, World Kindness Day – Spanish Party Food., SEND Kurling Competition Altridge School.

Tues 12<sup>th</sup> – Cross Country Race 2 (to be confirmed)

Wed 13<sup>th</sup> Nov – EFC Year 6 Football tournament

## Half Term Homework

Learning multiplication facts is a vital part of any child's mathematical development. Once rapid recall of multiplication facts becomes possible, a whole host of mathematical activities will seem easier. Children need to be able to recall multiplication facts in any order and also to derive associated division facts. The expectations for each year group are set out below:

**Year 1:** Count in multiples of 2, 5 and 10.

**Year 2:** Count in steps of 2, 3 and 5 from 0. Recall and use multiplication and division facts for the 2, 5 and 10 multiplication tables.

**Year 3:** Count from 0 in multiples of 4, 8, 50 and 100. Recall and use multiplication and division facts for the 3, 4, and 8 multiplication.

**Year 4:** Count in multiples of 6, 7, 9, 25 and 1000. Recall and use multiplication and division facts up to  $12 \times 12$ .

**By the end of Year 4, pupils should have memorised their multiplication tables up to and including the 12 multiplication table and show precision and fluency in their work.**

## Harvest Collection

We are collecting non-perishable food for our Harvest Collection up until Friday 8<sup>th</sup> November. We would be very grateful for any donations. Please send into school as soon as possible.

## School Term Dates 2019/20

*Autumn term 2019*

Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> September - Friday 20<sup>th</sup> December

**(Half term – Friday Oct 25<sup>th</sup> to Friday 1<sup>st</sup> Nov)**

*Spring term 2020*

Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> January - Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> April

**(Half term – Mon 17<sup>th</sup> - Frid 21<sup>st</sup> Feb)**

*Summer term 2020*

Mon 20<sup>th</sup> April – Friday 17<sup>th</sup> July

**(Half term – Monday 25<sup>th</sup> May – Friday 29<sup>th</sup> May)**

Closed for staff training – Monday 15<sup>th</sup> June)