

Millbrook Newsletter



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Parent Review – School Cloud

We are purchasing an online parent review tool to enable parents to have safe meetings with teachers to review children's progress. The online tool sets up timed meetings with each teacher. Parents can log into school cloud and pick an appointment. We have put two provisional dates in the dates for diaries, but this is subject to the contract being sorted before then. We are waiting for feedback from School Cloud. Once we have further information, we will get this out to you. Teachers have not been trained yet and we are hoping to set this up in the first week back.

Dear Parents,

Welcome to the last newsletter before we break up for Easter. The children have all come back ready for hard work and excellent behaviour.

Understandably, when we returned most shops were shut so some outgrown uniform has been hard to replace. Hopefully, when the shops are reopened on 12th April, parents can get the opportunity to get any uniforms they need to replace. One thing I have noticed recently is that a growing number of children are not conforming to the set PE kit on PE days. Pupils should wear a red polo shirt, their red school jumper or cardigan and a pair of black leggings, shorts or jogging pants. If their polo shirt has outgrown them then they should have a plain t-shirt and a school jumper/cardigan. After Easter, I expect this to improve. Children cannot wear their own matching tracksuit; this is not part of the uniform policy. Thank you for your support.

Today is Mrs Nolan's last day at Millbrook before she moves to pastures new. We all wish her every success and would like to thank her for the excellent work she has done at our school.

May I wish you all a Happy Easter. It has been a strange and unexpected term. Let us hope that the new term brings more promise as the vaccination programme extends. Parents whose children are eligible for free school meals will receive Wonde vouchers for the holidays. JM Maloney

Child of the Week

Nursery am – Michael
Nursery pm – Williams
Class 1 – Noah
Class 2 – Kayden
Class 4 – Laila
Class 7 – Charlie
Class 8 – Alex
Class 9- Mikey
Class 10 – Ella
Class 11 – Lily
Mrs Williams – Macey

Happy Birthday

14th March – Isabelle Judge-Doyle (7)
16th March – Olivia Stock (11)
16th March – Sadie Stock (11)
18th March – James Roach (9)
20th March – Megan Clensy (10)
20th March – Isabelle Pybis (7)
26th March – Tilly McGarvey (8)
28th March – Lewis Gordon (11)
30th March – Thomas Bowman (11)
1st April – Heidi Gibbs (9)
5th April – Poppy Cooper (8)
9th April – Alfie Joinson (10)
10th April – Luca Brabin (7)
10th April – Olivia Kieloch (9)
11th April – Michael Brady (8)
11th April – Max Seary (10)
16th April – Lacey Balmer (8)
16th April – Ethan Riley (10)
20th April – Faith Doran (6)
21st April – Harley Downes (7)
21st April – Amber Flynn (10)



Lunch Update

As you are all here, we altered the timings of lunch to accommodate for each separate bubble to have playground space and reduced playtimes for both infants and juniors so we could organise staggered timings at the start and end of lunch. This meant that infants get 1 hour and juniors 45 minutes. Infant children need around 30 minutes to eat their lunch, but junior children usually eat theirs in about 20 minutes. We are looking to offer more hot options within our bubbles after Easter (not in the first week). We must ensure that it is food that can be easily transported to the classroom, kept hot and food that cannot be easily spilled.

We are taking part in the Y4 Multiplication Table Check which will take place in June. This means that all children need to know up to and including 12x table. You can help your child by logging into Rockstar's to help them practice.

Dates for diaries

Thurs 15th April – CLC Class 11- Online safety dilemmas

Thurs 22nd April – CLC Class 7 - Keyboard adventures

Wed 28th April – Parent Review through School Cloud 4:00- 6:00pm

Thurs 29th April – CLC Class 8 – Hour of Code, Parent Review through School Cloud 4:00- 6:00pm

Thurs – Class 4 – Storyland, Y5 Gifted and Talented Humanities – KHS

Thurs 13th May – Class 10 – Video Game – music composer

Tues 18th May – Year 4 Maths Gifted and Talented KHS

Thurs 20th May – CLC Class 9 – Fake or Real?

New Babies

We missed a lovely new baby from our last newsletter/

Welcome to Evie Mae Jones, sister of Emily Jones who was born on 30th January 2021. She weighed 6lb 4oz. Congratulations to all the family.

School Term Dates 2020 – 21

Spring term 2021

Mon 4th Jan – Friday 26th March

Summer term 2021

Mon 12th April – Friday 16th July

Bank holiday – Mon 3rd May

Half term – Mon 31st May – Frid 4th June

Closed for staff training – Monday 14th June)

We break up on Friday 26th March at normal time for two weeks. School resumes on Monday 12th April