

# Millbrook Newsletter



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## Attendance

Attendance for the last two weeks has been 92.2% and 95.1% respectively. The highest class during the previous week two weeks has been Maple for with 96.6% and 98.8% respectively. The year group with the lowest overall attendance is Year 6 and this is **very worrying** as they prepare for their National Curriculum Tests. Absence leads to lost learning. Our 100% attendance £10 Amazon vouchers winners over the past two weeks have been: Ajay, Hayden (EYFS) Max, Bailey (KS1), Jack and Brooke (KS2). Well done to these children. They have been to school every day. on time.

## Dates for diaries

Tues 8<sup>th</sup> Nov – Key Stage 1 Parent Maths Workshop with Ann Curley  
*Wed 9<sup>th</sup> Nov – Y3 EFC Football tournament*  
Thurs 10<sup>th</sup> Nov – CLC Y2 Cherry-Making Games  
*Frid 11<sup>th</sup> Nov – Influenza Nasal Sprays – whole school, 9:00am, Y2 Cherry Class Assembly – Parent’s welcome, Holly Class at KHS for RE*  
Mon 14<sup>th</sup> Nov – Anti Bullying Week – Odd Sock’s Monday.  
*Tues 15<sup>th</sup> Nov – Maple, Holly, and Hazel Class trip to Cinema: ‘The Goods2: A New Age.’ Christmas Craft Workshop, Rec. Pine Parents*  
Wed 16<sup>th</sup> Nov – Kurling competition Y4 -6, Mini Police Speeding operation, Parent review 3:30 – 5:30pm  
*Thurs 17<sup>th</sup> Nov - Mini Police Speeding operation, Parent review 3:30 – 6:00pm*

## Kirkby League Football

Year 4 to 6 children represented the school in the last Kirkby League match. Mr Webster was impressed by how well they played. Well done to Michael, Max, Charlie, Max, Charlie, Oliver, Alfie, James, Max, Jack

## Gymnastics

This week Mr Webster took four Year 3 children to Kirkby High School for a Gymnastics competition. It was the first time our school had taken part in any competition in this category and the children won the tournament and came back with medals! Well done to Yaseen, Ema, Ben, and Isabelle (Captain) – we are very proud of you.

## Football

In the last newsletter we mentioned that Miss Dixon took a group of girls to their first match in the league. Hannah Bailey’s name was missed off the team list and she represented our school well. Well done, Hannah!

## Happy Birthday

Happy birthday to the following pupils who celebrate their birthdays between 20<sup>th</sup> October and 17<sup>th</sup> November.



Blossom – Pippa

Elm – Evie



Pine – Max & Isaiah

Cedar – Harry, Lucas, Mikey & Poppy

Cherry – Oliver, Poppy & Georgia



Maple – Eyelyn, Jack, Nevaeh, Jacob & Mason

Holly – Sophia, Anthony & James

Hazel – Kelsey, Phoebe, Eva & Charlie

Chestnut – Anthony, Ava, Alex, Amelia & Leighton



Sycamore – Amelia, Millie, Sophia & Ajay

## School Term Dates 2022 – 23

Term ends:	Wed 21 <sup>st</sup> December
<b>Pupils return</b>	<b>Spring term 2023</b>
Half term	<b>Wed 4<sup>th</sup> January</b>
<b>Pupils return:</b>	Mon 13 <sup>th</sup> – Frid 17 <sup>th</sup> Feb
Term ends:	<b>Mon 20<sup>th</sup> February</b>
	Fri 31 <sup>st</sup> March
	<b>Summer term 2023</b>
<b>Pupils return</b>	<b>Tues 18<sup>th</sup> April</b>
May Day	Mon 1 <sup>st</sup> May
Half term	Mon 29 <sup>th</sup> May– Mon 5 <sup>th</sup> Jun
<b>Pupils return</b>	<b>Tues 6<sup>th</sup> June</b>
Term ends:	Wed 19 <sup>th</sup> July

Dear Parents,

Welcome back after the recent half term holiday. Thank you for all our donations towards the Harvest Festival which Holly class lead. We have donated all items to the local foodbank.

Please note in dates for diaries that we are due to hold Parent Review meetings during November. You will receive information about your appointment time, and I would urge all parents to meet teachers to discuss your child’s progress.

Apologies that this news been a little later than usual hence the birthdays dating back to October 20<sup>th</sup>. It was due Friday 21<sup>st</sup> October. We hope all our half term birthdays had a lovely time. It has been unusually mild weather.

As it is Bonfire night tomorrow night, please ensure your child is stays safe. Official bonfire displays are always the safest option and if they are out and about, talk to them about keeping safe.

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## EFC Tournament

Before half term, Year 1 pupils took part in an EFC Football tournament at Finch Farm. The children played really well, and we were very proud of them: Jack Daulby (scored many goals), James Keogh, Jamie Quigley, Albie Bowers, Ryan Rowland, and Archie Connelly.

## Child of the Week

Blossom – Quinn  
Elm – Ellie & Daniel  
Pine – Oliver & Alex  
Willow – William & Henry  
Cedar – Rebecca & Poppy  
Cherry – Poppy & Alfie  
Maple – Joseph & Ema  
Holly – Dylan & All of Holly  
Hazel – Charlie & Kelsey  
Chestnut – Lacey & Tilly  
Sycamore – Max & Isobel  
Mrs Williams – Max & Amelia  
Mrs McKuhen – Logan & Dylan  
Mrs Chambers – Amelia & Eva