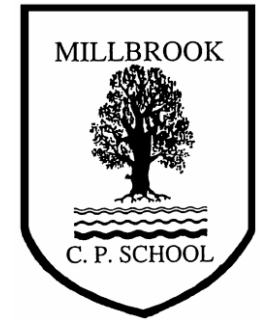


Millbrook Newsletter



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Sports Days
 We have planned Sports Day for Thursday 4th July. The juniors will start at 9:30am and the infants at 1:30pm. If the weather is not suitable, we will try to have it the following day. As always, the Sport's Day will be a carousel of sporting activities to keep all children active. Parents can follow their class. At the end of each event, we will have relay runs so parents will gather at the opposite side of the track to their child's class while we organise this. Please keep small children away from the track when children are running so they don't get hurt and wear your running shoes for the parents' races!

Dear Parents,

In the last newsletter, I commented about the fact that we hadn't had any sun then - a mini heatwave! Thank you to parents who ensured that children have sunhats, suncream on and water bottles. It is vital that they are protected from the sun during hot weather.

Last night we had our Reception intake meeting which was well attended. We are admitting 41 new children in September. Next year our pupil admission number rises, and all building modifications will be finished to accommodate this.

I have been really pleased with how children have coped during the massive building works, particularly Key Stage 2 who have had a chunk of playground taken until the end of term. By September, both Mrs Williams and I should be moved into our new offices. It will be a very busy summer holiday.

As parents prepare for next year, please ensure that you buy all the correct uniform items ready for September. All children are expected to wear a tie and black shoes. Labelling all clothing items helps when children lose items. We have a large container already with lost uniform bits and we will organise an opportunity for parents to view these before the end of term. JMMaloney

School Term Dates 23-24

Term ends: Frid 19th July

Attendance

Attendance picked up over the past two weeks. Cedar and Maple have won the last two weeks respectively with 96.3% and 97.1%. Well done to these classes.

Overall, our attendance was 92.1% and 92.6%, respectively. This is a two percent improvement on the previous two weeks. We hope attendance can continue to improve in the final few weeks with school trips and

Sports Day. Our 100% attendance £10 Amazon vouchers were won by Sienna & Halle (EYFS), Meda & Carter (KS1), Phoebe & Harley (KS2).

Happy Birthday

Happy birthday to the following pupils who celebrate their birthdays between 29th June and 11th July.

Elm	Giovanna & Bobby
Willow	Melody
Maple	Mikey
Holly	Jake, Isabelle & Liam
Hazel	Mason
Sycamore	Sydney-Rose



School Term Dates 2024 – 25

Autumn 2024

Pupils return: **Tues 3rd September**
 Half term: Mon 28th Oct - Mon 4th Nov

Pupils return: **Tues 5th November**
 Term ends: Friday 20th December

Spring term 2025

Pupils return **Tues 7th January**
 Half term Mon 17th –Frid 21st Feb

Pupils return: **Mon 24th February**
 Term ends: Friday 4th April

Summer term 2025

Pupils return **Tues 22nd April**
 May Day Mon 5th May
 Half term Mon 26th May– Tues 3rd Jun
Pupils return **Wed 4th June**
 Term ends: Tues 22nd July

Child of the Week

Blossom – Tallulah & Lisa
Elm – Aria & Tommy
Pine – Ella-Rose & Amelia
Cedar – All of Cedar class two weeks running!
Willow –Lilia & Mason
Cherry – Mikey & Marnie
Maple – Olivia & Alfie
Holly – Lilli & Isabelle
Hazel –Brody & Hollie
Chestnut – All of Chestnut two weeks running!
Sycamore – Sydney-Rose
Mrs Williams – Evelyn & Beatriz

Dates for diaries

Tues 2nd July – Y5 Numeracy Challenge KHS
 Wed 3rd July – Ice cream Farm trip Willow and Cherry, Hazel Class assembly 9:15am

Thurs 4th July – Sports Day (Juniors am, Infants pm), Drugs and Alcohol Awareness

Performance – All Y5 & 6

Frid 5th July – Sports Day (if Rain Thurs) or Kickstart

Tues 9th July – Crocky Trail Trip for Chestnut & Sycamore

Wed 10th July – New Reception visit, School Nurse Drop in.

Frid 12th – Gulliver's World Trip – Maple, Holly, Hazel, School reports out with results.

Mon 15th July – Attendance rewards Assembly.

Thurs 18th July – Y6 Leaver's Party (3:00 – 4:30pm, children can wear party clothes)

Frid 19th July – Year 6 leaver's Assembly 10:00am, break up 3:20pm

Year 6 Leaver's Service

In order to settle the uniform matter, we have decided that all Year 6 should wear their full school uniform for the Leaver's Service. They may change into their T-shirts after the service (or just carry them about) so they can be signed. All children should be in their uniform with a shirt and tie. Thank you for your support in this matter.

Celebration of Achievement

On Wednesday, Mrs Maloney and Miss Gray took eight children to Kirkby High to receive Kirkby Achievement awards. Well done to: Francesca, Ethan, Rebecca, Oscar, Dylan, Sonny & Hannah who were all nominated by our teachers. Harriet received a Kirkby Child Award, there was only one per school. Congratulations!