

# Millbrook Newsletter



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## Swimming

Well done to James, Lilli, Yaseen, Alice and Isabelle who took part in a swimming gala and represented our school. They did very well, and we are very proud of them.

## Football Achievement

Well done to Lily-Rose who has been selected by Man United and James J, James B and Mason who are all playing for Preston North End. James J and James B have also been selected for Kirkby boys with Max and Ben having late trials. Well done to all these pupils on their sporting achievement.

## Dates for diaries

*Tues 5<sup>th</sup> Nov – Pupils return to school, Year 5/6 girls football tournament.*

*Wed 6<sup>th</sup> Nov – Mini Police – Speed Awareness*

*Frid 8<sup>th</sup> Nov - Sycamore at KHS for History*

*Mon 11<sup>th</sup> Nov – Anti-Bullying Week, Boccia Competition*

*Tues 12<sup>th</sup> Nov – TT Rockstars Competition - England Rocks Dress Up to celebrate.*

*Wed 13<sup>th</sup> Nov – Hazel at KHS for Art, CLC Cedar minibeasts, Year 3 LFC football tournament.*

*Frid 15<sup>th</sup> Nov – Chemistry of Cabbage Y6*

*Wed 20<sup>th</sup> Nov – Hazel at KHS Personal Development, Parent review 3:30 – 5:30pm*

*Thurs 21<sup>st</sup> Nov – Parent review 3:30 – 6:00pm*

*Mon 25<sup>th</sup> Nov – Book Fair delivered (details to follow), Sporting Competition for pupils with SEN.*

*Wed 27<sup>th</sup> Nov – year 1 football competition.*

## School Term Dates 2024 – 25

### Autumn 2024

Half term: Mon 28<sup>th</sup> Oct - Mon 4<sup>th</sup> Nov

**Pupils return: Tues 5<sup>th</sup> November.**

Term ends: Frid 20<sup>th</sup> December

### Spring term 2025

**Pupils return Tue 7<sup>th</sup> January.**

Half term Mon 17<sup>th</sup> –Frid 21<sup>st</sup> Feb

**Pupils return: Mon 24<sup>th</sup> February.**

Term ends: Friday 4<sup>th</sup> April

### Summer term 2025

**Pupils return Tues 22<sup>nd</sup> April.**

May Day Mon 5<sup>th</sup> May

Half term Mon 26<sup>th</sup> May– Tues 3<sup>rd</sup> Jun

**Pupils return Wed 4<sup>th</sup> June.**

Term ends: Tues 22<sup>nd</sup> July

## Science Ambassadors

We have now appointed four science ambassadors. Well done to Lily Rose, Brodie, Cattleya, and Maria. They have official science coats to wear while carrying out their role.

## Happy Birthday

Happy birthday to the following pupils who celebrate their birthdays between 25<sup>th</sup> October and 14<sup>th</sup> November



Blossom Cody, Sophie, Luiza,  
Hattie-May & Poppy-Lou

Elm Lottie & Lucas

Pine Darcie, Tommy &  
Sebastian



Willow Isaiah & Evie

Cherry Max

Maple Lucas, Mikey & Poppy

Holly Harry & Poppy

Hazel Viktoria & Georgia

Chestnut Mason

Sycamore Eva & Sophia

## Attendance

Attendance continues to improve. The last two weeks have been 96.5% and 95.3%, respectively. The two highest classes over the past two weeks have been Cedar and Cherry (joint winners) and Holly with 99.3% and 99.1%, respectively. Last week the £10 amazon vouchers winners were: Cole & Tommy (EYFS), Max & Daniel (KS1) and Lola & Ben (KS2). All children who receive 100% attendance for the week are in the school draw. Lots of children had a 100% sticker which we could see during Celebration Assembly on Friday and parents could see when children arrived home on Friday.

*Free Swimming at half term at any Volair club swimming pool for under 16's.*

Dear Parents,

Thank you so much to all parents, staff and pupils who helped raised funds for Breast Awareness Week. We raised £412. I was very encouraged to see the great effort all children made wearing something pink to school. We had such an array of fashions. Thank you to everyone who join in our dancing at the start of Wednesday and Thursday as we tried to raise money for Zoe's place after several parent requests. We know money is tight and are overwhelmed by your generosity.

This week children have been bringing in their Halloween designs. We were impressed by the quality of designs we saw and the effort that everyone had made. Well done to each and every one of you. We must have more events like this!

Thank you to Hazel for leading our harvest Celebration and for all your donations. We wish you all a lovely half term holiday. JMMaloney

## New School Cook

We say a huge farewell and thank you to Mrs Val Wayman who is leaving today after serving the school lunches and running the kitchen for over 20 years. We wish you every success in the future.

## Child of the Week

Blossom – Hattie, Evie, Jacob-Jey & Tallulah

Elm –Scarlett & Lucas

Pine – Sienna & Darcie

Cedar – Louis & Isabella

Willow – Alex & Evie

Cherry – Joao & Luan

Maple – Lucas & Lucas

Holly – Bailey & Alfie

Hazel – Charlie & Tyla

Chestnut – Mason & Maya

Sycamore – Eva & Lily-Rose

Mrs Williams – Joseph