

Last Week's Attendance		Target 100%
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MILLBROOK PARK
CHURCH OF ENGLAND PRIMARY SCHOOL

Newsletter

Tuesday 3rd May 2016

Dear Families,

Even though the temperature has been very low recently, we are moving towards the time of year when the sun will be strong. Please start to send children in with summer hats/caps (named inside) and sun-cream (labelled with child's name). The school cannot provide sun-cream or allow children to share creams, in case of allergic reactions. They will still need a warm coat too for a while.

If any parents are feeling energetic, please come and join the children on their 1K run next week. On Tuesday Year 1 parents are invited to join us at 2:45pm and on Wednesday 2:45pm for reception parents. Please come to the gate where you drop children off in the morning and we will let you in.

Yours,

Nicola Dudley - Head of School

Date Reminders:

Non-Uniform Day – Friday 13th May - PiPS

Keeping Up With Children's Maths - Parent Course – Every Thurs 9am – 11am

Launchpad Parent Workshop for reception parents - Thursday 12th May

PiPs Meeting - Monday 23rd May at 8:40am

Preparation for Work Course (open to all MBP parents) - Thur 16th June – Thur 21st July

(FREE) Preparation for Work Course for Millbrook Parents : Thur 16th June – Thur 21st July

*This course will take place in Millbrook Park School
run by a Barnet and Southgate College tutor.*

This short course is ideal for those parents and carers who wish to get back into work or training. Advice will also be given on writing CVs and personal statements, developing job search skills and succeeding at interviews. A must for anyone who is looking to get back into the working world or training, which will lead to employment. It also helps promote self-esteem, realise potential, identify those transferrable skills which are gained whilst caring for family. **Add your name to the list in the school office if you would like a place on this course.**

Our First Summer Fete (PiPs)

It is with delight, I can announce that the PiPs have decided to organise a fete for the children. Please circle this date and time in your diary and let Bharti (Anish's mum – Year 1) know if you would like to join in with the organisation of it or to help out on the day

Sunday July 10th between 1-4pm. More details to follow soon!

Non-Uniform Day

To raise funds for some of the activities being planned for the fete, we will be having a non-uniform day on Friday 13th May. Please could each child bring £1 or £2 donation which will be used to help with the setting up costs of the fete.



The next PiPs meeting will be **Monday 23rd May at 8:40am**. Thank you to Raluca for the brilliant logo she designed for PiPs using the school colours.

Newsletter

We understand there have been some issues with some parents getting the newsletter, we are trying to remedy this, but in the meantime it might be worth mentioning that the newsletter is uploaded onto the website so you can always find it there.

Physics in Action

Year 1 started their new IPC topic on forces by experiencing 'push' and 'pull' forces in a local playground. They'll be finding out about:

- How to change the speed of a moving object
- How we use our muscles to push and pull
- How water is a force that can move things
- How we can use air to push and pull objects
- How a magnetic force can push and pull



Thank you

Miss Khan would like to thank Lily's mum (Jess) and Viraaj's mum (Harleen) for coming into reception and talking to the children about festivals from their own religions, Judaism and Sikhism. The talks were very informative and really interesting.

Nursery Places 2016

If you have a younger child turning three before 31st August 2016 and you wish to send them to Millbrook Park Nursery from September 2016 please do not forget to apply to the school. Application forms are available from the office. Top-ups will also be available from September for you to access extra sessions.

What to do if my child is absent from school?

Please ring the school on the **first day** of absence **before 9.10am** on **020 3137 5924** to report the reason for your child's absence. Please ring again **every day** before **9.10am** to provide the school with an update of your child's condition.

What do I do if my child has a medical appointment in school time?

All routine appointments should be made outside school hours. If for any reason this isn't possible please inform the school office in advance and provide evidence e.g. hospital appointment letter, dental appointment card.

Laminated reminders will be going home with your child today. Any unauthorised absences could be subject to a fine by London Borough of Barnet.

Awards

The children should be very proud of their achievements and I would like to thank them for being great role models to others.



Makaton sign of the Week

Last signs



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thank you

This week **'what'**

