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Montgomerie News Update
Autumn 2017/2018 - Week 8

Attendance Awards

I would like to give Lincoln Mayer a special mention as he won one of the prizes in the attendance draw last half term. Congratulations Lincoln and we hope you enjoy your Lego! Please remember, our generous Governors are running the draw again this half term for all children with an attendance above 98% (one entry in the draw) and 100% (two entries). At the end of term we will also still be having our usual Montgomerie Attendance Assembly where we award medals for good attendance.

Open Door

You will recall that last term we started the tradition of Open Door, an opportunity for parents and carers to come into class so that your children can share their fantastic work and beautiful books with you. Our next scheduled Open Door is **Friday 17th November**. The arrangements will stay the same as before. **Open door will run from 3.15/3.20 until 3.45** to enable you time to visit multiple classes (if you have more than one child in school). **Foundation Stage parents are invited in at 2.45 on Thursday 16th November** to share their child's learning as Mrs Le Marie will be in on that day. This is a great opportunity for you to come and see your children's progress, which is something to be proud of.

Family Support

Kerry Williams, our Family Support Worker, has asked me to remind you that her drop in session is at **9-12** on 13th November.

Amy May Trust

We received some correspondence this week from The Amy May Trust, the charity that we raised money for during our Wear It Purple day. The whole of Thundersley village and the four Robus schools raised a whopping £6001.44!!! What a total to be proud of. Thank you for your support.

Dinners

We will be on Week 3 menu from Monday 6th November. On Thursday 9th November, Children's Favourite is Popcorn Chicken or Quorn Nuggets.

















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Montgomerie Mentions

Congratulations to: Nell Cullen, Mason Ince, Oliver Jeffs, James Fox, Oliver Hills, Jaxon Sharp, Sonny Piper, Sienna-Lily Terry, Mason Medlock, Alessandro Tulino-Smith, Mia Hassan, Niamh Kemp,

Maths Mentions

A huge well done to: Oliver McCarthy, Amelia Guy, Rares Pop, Ifeatu Orjiako

Lunchtime Mentions

Sissy Brazier, Jaydn Sharp, Sienna Royer, Lily French

VIP Lunch Winners

Behije Tzagia, Lewis King

Weekly Attendance

The national expectation for attendance is 96%. The government has clarified the position regarding the term 'regular' attendance. It means that children must be in school every day. Please remember, every second counts at Montgomerie. We <u>must</u> work together to improve attendance. 4 out of 7 classes were above national this week! <u>Remember, to have the chance to win a prize, the children need to have at least 98% attendance this half term!</u>

EYFS	96.63%	Above national! Well done!
Class 1	96.91%	Winner! Well done!
Class 2	94.14%	Below national
Class 3	96.67%	Above national! Well done
Class 4	94.58%	Below national
Class 5	94.17%	Below national
Class 6	96.67%	Above national! Well done!

A huge well done to Class 1 who will receive extra playtime. Well done!

I hope you have a great weekend. Enjoy the fireworks!

Kind regards,

















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