



MONTGOMERIE PRIMARY SCHOOL

Newsletter 19

Week beginning 4th June 2018

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EVERY SECOND COUNTS

Respectful. Resilient. Resourceful. Reflective. Responsible. Ready.

IN THE NEWS

EYFS treasure hunt

A huge well done to the littlest members of our Montgomery family, Foundation Stage, who raised a whopping £234.50 during their treasure hunt! They wanted to raise the money to buy new woodwork equipment to fill the area that they have helped to set up. Well done!

Poetry and Music week

This week, we have had one of our curriculum weeks linking Poetry and Music. The children have been creating poetry on the theme of a song that they have been learning. They have enjoyed the week and will perform to each other during a special assembly on Monday.

Active bodies, active minds!

On Tuesday, Mr Radford launched a new government initiative whereby children need to be active for 30 minutes a day (in addition to their two hours of PE a week). This is to increase brain activity as there is a link between movement and concentration. It has been a great success and the children have really enjoyed it!

Dinners Week 1 next week.

Thursday favourite is all day breakfast or vegetarian all day breakfast.

Dojos

| This week | 330 | 360 | 232 | 263 |
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| Total | 1564 | 1694 | 1281 | 1512 |

MORE NEWS

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Just a reminder that our parking initiative will be launching on Tuesday 12th June. I know you have already received lots of information about this and the children are so keen for it to start!

GOSH Brave the Shave

I wanted to say a huge well done to Jamie Bean, of Class 3, who will be having his hair shaved off on Sunday to support Great Ormond Street Hospital and the treatment they are giving to his friend.

Have a brilliant weekend everyone. Let us hope the sun shines!



CELEBRATE



Montgomery Mentions: Lily, Finley, George, Amelia, Sammy, Ed, Tommy
Maths Mentions: Ollie, Louise, Ruby, Lunar Zone
VIP Lunchers: James, Finley



ATTENDANCE



The national expectation for attendance is 96%. The government has clarified the position regarding the term 'regular' attendance. It means children must be in school **EVERY DAY**. Every second counts at Montgomery. We **must** work together to improve attendance and punctuality even more.

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| EYFS | 94.91% | Below national |
| Class 1 | 96.97% | Above national |
| Class 2 | 96.09% | Above national |
| Class 3 | 94.76% | Below national |
| Class 4 | 95.42% | Below national |
| Class 5 | 92.34% | Below national |
| Class 6 | 96.43% | Above national |
| Weekly Average | 95.21% | Below national |
| Whole school to date | 95.55% | Below national |

