



MONTGOMERIE PRIMARY SCHOOL

Newsletter 27

Week beginning 24th April 2023

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EVERY SECOND COUNTS

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

IN THE NEWS

King's Coronation Celebrations

We are excited about the events we have planned for next week to celebrate King Charles's Coronation. We look forward to sharing time with parents on Thursday 4th May at 2pm for our "High Tea". Hopefully, the field will dry out in time for our picnics and the weather will be kind to us. Keep everything crossed!

Netball Match – Montgomery -v- Thundersley

Match report by Finley and Aiden. It was even for the first six minutes of the game and there was lots of intercepting and passing. In the 2nd quarter Thundersley scored 3 and we scored 0. During the 3rd quarter Thundersley went up by 4 goals to make it 7-0, but then Aiden scored for Montgomery, then it was 7-1. Finally, in the 4th quarter Thundersley scored to make it a thrashing of 11-1 to Thundersley.

'It was fun, and I enjoyed it. There was a very tall person who kept winning the ball.' - Danielle.

'Thundersley were good, and it was a really fun match. I'm happy for Aiden because he scored!' - Skye

'It was a great match and we all worked hard.' - Samuel

'It was a brilliant match, although we lost 11-1, we worked hard together.' - Zac



Strike Days

We have been extremely lucky so far to have not been affected by the strike days by the NEU. I would urge you, if you have not already, to read the email and letters sent out earlier in the week by our CEO Emma Dawson. Lack of school funding is a huge issue in schools and, if school funding does not improve, it will begin to have a severe impact on the education of children. It is very probable that other teaching unions may choose to strike in the future and, therefore, this will impact upon the operation of school and there may be potential closures.

Have a wonderful Bank Holiday weekend (let's hope the sun shines!) and we will see you back in school on Tuesday 2nd May.







CELEBRATE



Montgomery Mentions: Brooke, Nelly, Scarlet, Antonia, Kayla, Mila, Nancy, Janelle, Molly, Charlie, Jacob, Mason, Max, Mihir.

VIP Lunchers: Rhys and Freddie

HOUSE DOJOS

 Enterprise	 Community	 Morality	 Possibility
616	524	594	602



ATTENDANCE

The national picture of attendance is currently fluctuating. Previously, we compared our attendance to a National figure of 96%; presently this figure fluctuates week on week. The government clarification of 'regular' attendance has not changed: it still means children must be in school **EVERY DAY**. Our motto, every second counts, is at the heart of Montgomerie. We **must** work together to continue to improve attendance and punctuality. This week's National: 91.6%.

The Royals Class	92.76%	Above national
Peacock Class	96.33%	Above national
Curie Class	95.00%	Above national
Attenborough Class	96.80%	Above national
Barnardo Class	92.76%	Above national
Branson Class	95.52%	Above national
Luther King Class	98.67%	Above national
Whole School this week	95.40%	Above national
Whole School to date	93.18%	Above national

