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Newsletter

Week 2

Monday

12.45 pm - 3.30 pm

Y2 visit from Ludlow Museum

Wednesday

4.00 pm - 7.00 pm

Y7&8 Shooting team - Knighton

Thursday

2.00 pm

Moor Park House Swimming Gala

Friday

8.30 am

IAPS Clay Pigeon Shooting

9.05 am

Mass

4.15 pm

Exeat Commences

Quote of the Week

No legacy is so rich as honesty.

William Shakespeare

Value of the Week

Honesty

More artistic success

The results from Moor Park pupils in the Hereford Festival over the holidays are well worth a read later in this newsletter. They are stunning and speak of not only the skill of the teachers and children but the confidence that these children have. We should be very proud of all of the competitors.

Our Art Scholars are another group of children of whom we should be proud. They have their moment in the spotlight this evening at their Exhibition in the Henderson Hall and I hope that they enjoy the experience as much as we enjoy looking at their work. Well done to them all and to Kim Morgan who does so much to keep standards so high in this area of the school.

Thanks to everyone who filled in a parental survey last term the results of which have been reviewed by Governors this week. All the information is incredibly useful as we seek to improve what we do here at Moor Park and we are very grateful. Julian Rogers-Coltman and Arthur Denaro will be in touch with the headlines in the next few weeks but, in the meantime, thank you all for supporting the school in this way.

I have enjoyed watching various cricket and rounders practices this week and the first matches are this weekend for some of our Under 11 teams. Let's hope the weather stays bright and that we all enjoy a sun-drenched summer term.

Charlie Minogue, Headmaster

Notices

Pre-Prep Planners

Sadly these were not delivered on time due to a technical hitch. We should have them ready for use by Monday. Apologies for any inconvenience this has caused.

Taekwondo

Harry Gedy Promoted to 9th Kup Yellow Stripe Belt

Tiberius Portman-Lewis promoted to 9th Kup yellow stripe Belt

Joseph Limond promoted to 9th Kup yellow stripe Belt

Connor Perks promoted to 4th Kup blue Belt

Olivia Breakwell promoted to 4th Kup Blue Belt

Uniform

At the start of this term we have noticed that some uniform is looking a little worse for wear and would be very grateful if you could check for stains, holes, tears or fraying over the next few days. All help with this is gratefully received.

Chapel

Family Service – Sunday 23rd April 5:30 pm. Do come along and then join us for supper afterwards.

School Mass – Friday 28th April 9:05 you are welcome to join us for the first School Mass of the term.

Congratulations

Pre Prep Star Workers:

2W Henry Linch

1G Joshua Gardner

1P Evie James

Reception Orion Bufton

Headmaster's stickers

2W Bertie Thomas

1G Genevieve Wreaves

1P Walter Moores

Reception Willoughby Oliver

Pre-Prep Cup

The Pre-Prep Cup for Kindness and Caring goes to Ella Thornhill

Form Captains

8C - Alex Price

8J - Gracie Emery

7D - Tom Hicks

7G - Eduardo Torres

6B - Poppy Breeze

6C - Nell Horne

5M - Isabella Hathaway

5S - Alexander Morris

4C - Rose Clay

4D - William Thomas

3P - Millie Neath

3T - Helena Jay-Sherif



Match Fixtures

next week...

Rounders

U13B v Packwood Haugh (H)

U11 Prestfelde Tournament

Cricket

1st v The Downs, Malvern (H)

2nd v The Downs, Malvern (A)

3rd v The Downs, Malvern (H)



Artist of the Week: Finn Windsor Rowen

TICK TOCK

Touch Typing

The course continues at 8am on Monday, Tuesday and Friday. This term you will be working on speed.

Tennis

Beginner/Improver Ladies' Tennis Tuition

Thursdays 8.45-9.45am

Taster sessions available

Summer term tennis payments are now due - sports4ultd.com

The Mooreles

After the wonderful Comic Relief concert we hope some new members might be tempted to join us. Tuesday evenings 6:15, Library. The less talent the better!



During the Easter holidays we had lots of fun! We did lots of craft activities and held an Easter bonnet competition. The Easter bonnet competition was in aid of Megan Baker House. The winner was Dexter Marshall and his Daddy!

Babysitting:

Babysitting details will also be put up on the Parent Notice Board on the website for quick reference.

Ex Moor Park Pupil, Rose Nesbitt, 19 - available for babysitting. No baby experience so 2yrs upwards. Available from 6pm - only recently passed driving test so not happy to drive children. Own transport to/from any jobs. £8 p/h until 10pm - £10 p/h after that. No travel charge within 10 mile radius of Ludlow - £1/mile beyond that. Please contact me by phone / text : 07977 096404. Reference available from Boys' Matron (Nayne).

Choir Singing at Wedding at half term.

You will know that the Chapel Choir are singing at a wedding on Saturday 27th May and many have already signed up and committed themselves to this exciting event.

When we advertised this, way back in September, many parents were unsure of their holiday arrangements so far ahead and so were unable to commit to it.

Well, it is not too late!

If you now know that you are able to commit to singing at this wedding (27th May, 3.00 p.m.) please email me on

rjm@moorpark.org.uk

The more the merrier.

Young NSSO and NSSO Sinfonia

Can I draw your attention to the above Youth Orchestras. Their courses are held at Malvern College and quite a few Moor Park pupils have attended over the last few years. They would highly recommend them, as do I. It is in the first week of the Summer holidays.

The Young NSSO (Young National Schools Symphony Orchestra) is for grades 3 - 5 and the NSSO Sinfonia is for grades 6-7.

Enquiries should be made to:

jm@nso.org and the relevant website is : nso.org

To celebrate the 125 IAPS anniversary the usual £30 audition fee is to be waived this year!

Hereford Festival

MUSIC

Isobel Hatton and Ellie Williams both won bronze medals in the grade 5 piano category. Isabel Barratt won a bronze in the pre-grade 1 piano category.

SPEECH AND DRAMA

Every Year group won Gold! Out of 11 Classes, Moor Park won 19 medals and 2 Commendations. Most of the classes were out of thirty plus competitors so Moor Park did extremely well!

Special mention to Olivia Breakwell (Year 4) who won two Gold medals, Alex Limond (Year 5) Gold and Bronze, Jessica Middleton (Year 3) who won Silver and Bronze and Millie Neath (Year 3) who won Gold and a Commendation.

Special mention to Year 3 and Year 7 for a clean sweep Gold, Silver and Bronze.

Well done to everybody, but especially those who competed for the first time. The Hereford Festival is a prestigious event and it takes a lot of courage to recite and read in front of a full auditorium.

RESULTS

Year 3: Poetry: Gold - Hugo Davenport; Silver Tinka Kenchington; Bronze - Jessica Middleton and 4th (Commendation) Millie Neath

Prepared Reading: Gold - Millie Neath; Silver Jessica Middleton

Year 4: Poetry: Gold- Olivia Breakwell; Bronze -Louella Jay Shreif; 4th (Commendation) Emily Wall

Prepared Reading: Gold - Olivia Breakwell

Year 5: Poetry: Gold - Alex Limond; Silver - Gabriel Sideras

Prepared Reading: Bronze - Alex Limond

Year 6: Prepared Reading: Gold - Kipp Norbury; Bronze - Isabel Barrett; Bronze - Alice Salwey

Year 7: Prepared Reading: Gold - Gia Neath; Silver - Paige Bosi; Bronze Frederick Crew and Isabel Davenport

Year 8: Poetry: Gold - Tilly Wood