

Newsletter

Week 12

Week 13 - Michaelmas 2018

Monday

8.30 am - 4.00 pm

Year 3 trip to Hereford Cathedral

Tuesday

6.15 pm

Year 7 Parents' Evening - Henderson Hall

Wednesday

2.00 pm

Moor Park Christmas Fayre

Thursday

6.15 pm

Year 4 Parents evening - Henderson Hall

Friday

5.30 pm

Informal Concert

Saturday

6.00 pm

Mass

Quote of the Week

“To be trusted is a greater compliment than being loved.”

– George MacDonald

Value of the Week

Trust

The tree is up in the front hall and the choir is gearing up for what promises to be a special carol service but there is still plenty of work to be done. Another busy week passes and it is amazing what goes on, almost unnoticed, in the course of a so-called “normal” day!

I pointed out to the children during Chapel earlier in the week that, at this time of year, companies are busy desperately trying to sell them things through advertisements on the television or in magazines. The value of the week is critical thought (one of our Mindsets) and we were discussing how we all need to look very carefully at the substance of an advert or risk being taken in, unthinking, by the cleverness of the message. There is so much that targets children in the media at the moment and it is no bad thing to train them to look at messages critically rather than taking them at face value. Do talk to them about this at home as picking adverts apart can also be quite fun!

Ironically, I am now going to give a plug for the MPPA Christmas Fair which is in the diary for this coming Wednesday! There are some very interesting stalls on the list and I am so grateful to all of those involved with organising the whole thing. I look forward to seeing many of you there if not before.

Charlie Minogue



Tick Tock

This week at Tick Tock the Butterfly room have been making pictures for our new Miffy story display board. They also had a wonderful time in their music session on Wednesday using the bubbles and bubble music.

The Caterpillar room have had lots of fun doing flour play and have also enjoyed playing with the balls and parachute.

We are getting in the Christmas spirit decorating Tick Tock for the festive season and the children have helped with the Christmas tree.



Headmaster's Assembly Middle School Workers of the Week

- 3C – Oscar J-B
- 3T – Tabitha F
- 4D – Seb T
- 5M – Tinka K
- 5P – Silas P

Middle School Good Egg

This week's Good Egg is: Tabitha F. On a cold wet day she noticed one of the boys who was on the playground had particularly cold hands. Not thinking twice, she took her warm gloves off and gave them to him.

Pre-Prep Worker of the Week

- 1D - William M
- 2W - Henry J
- Reception - Stephanie B

Pre-Prep Headmaster's Award

- Year 2 - Chloe W
- Year 1 - William JB
- Reception - Orla B

Sport Colours

Congratulations to the following girls on being awarded U13 Hockey Colours today:

- Isabel B
- Hannah C
- Georgie C
- Eliza H
- Alice R
- Sophie W
- Alice S



Gappie Night

A big thank you to the Gappies this week for putting on an amazing Wednesday night. Germany, Canada, Australia & New Zealand were all represented. Welly Wanging, Air Hockey & Bush Tucker Challenge - brilliant fun. Don't forget to book in for cinema night next Wednesday!

❖ CHAPEL ❖

No Mass this week. The Chapel is looking at its best with Advent colours and the wreath up. Do pop in for a look or a quick prayer.



Tuesday evenings, in the PAC, 6:40pm, it's time to unleash the CHRISTMAS BOOK. Come and join the fun.

Christmas Party

Please make a note in your diary of picking up times after Prep School Christmas party on the last Thursday of term

7.30 pm

Collection Years 3, 4 & 5 day children

8.30 pm

Collection Years 6,7 & 8 day children

If you want your child to board on that night, please contact Mr Duffield (thetreehouse@moorpark.org.uk) or Mrs Ball (lab@moorpark.org.uk)

IAPS Shooting

Please would Year Six and Year Seven children who are interested in taking part in the IAPS shooting please email Mrs Cockroft on jlc@moorpark.org.uk. IAPS Shooting this year is on Friday 3rd May.

Matches Results This Week

Hockey

Wednesday

U13A v The Downs, Malvern Tournament (A) Won x2, Lost x2, Drew x2

Rugby

Wednesday

U11 v King's Hawford (A) - loss
U10 v King's Hawford (A) - loss

Matches Next Week

Hockey

Wednesday

U13A v Packwood Haugh & Prestfelde @ Packwood

U13B v Packwood Haugh & Prestfelde @ Packwood

U11 v Packwood Haugh (H)

U10 v Packwood Haugh (H)

Saturday

U13B v Malvern College

Rugby

Tuesday

U9 v Winterfold House

Wednesday

1st v Lucton School - (A)

U11 v RGS Triangular (A)

U10 v RGS Worcester (H)

Saturday

U11 v Shrewsbury Prep (H)

Bags 2 School

The next Bags 2 School collection is **5th December**. You should by now have received bags. There are more in the Front Hall if needed, or any old black bin bag will do. Please do try to separate good children's clothes out in order that we can sell them at the fete.

Note from Sick Bay

Please note that ALL medication-including inhalers and cough lozenges must come in to Sick Bay. Please do not allow your child to carry any form of cough sweet with them. Thank you for your help in this matter.

Artists of the Week

Jessica M & Helena
J-S

Painting inspired by
Van Gogh



Notices

Typhoon Swimming

There will be no Typhoon Swimming between 17th December and 6th January inclusive.

Christmas Fayre baking!

We would be most grateful for any donations of cakes and mince pies for the coffee and cake stall at the Christmas Fayre to be delivered to the front hall on Wednesday morning. Thank you!

Charity Cake Bake

A huge thank you for the vast delivery of cakes before Exeat weekend - we raised a whopping £146.20 which will go to our chosen charities. Thank you!

Boarding

Cinema Night

Wednesday 5th December 2018

Please book in for an amazing cinema experience! Hot dogs, pop corn and a giant screen! Don't forget to book in with Mrs Ball on

lab@moorpark.org.uk or Mr Duffield on thetreehouse@moorpark.org.uk

Speech & Drama Results

Another fantastic set of Speech & Drama results this term.

Congratulations to all involved for their hard work- it clearly pays off!

Preparatory with Distinction

Percy J, Ashley W, William J-B

Introductory with Distinction

Otto D, Ben T, Chloe W, Caspar J

Introductory with Merit

Lucy P

Preliminary with Distinction

Alfie D, Charlotte M, Amelia H, Megan W, Charlotte D, Johnny D

Preliminary with Merit

Henry H, Oscar J-B, Benjie U, Ella T, Tabitha F, Katrina S, Beatrice R

Transition with Distinction

Katie B, Henry W, Henry L

Transition with Merit

Paddy P, Grace P

Grade I with Distinction

Jessica M, Annabel S

Informal Concert

Friday 7th December 5.30 in the Chapel

Josh W	piano	Annabel S	Polish Dance
Jessica C	piano	Henry W	piano
Nell H	unaccompanied	Annabelle W	piano
	singing	Joy H	'cello
Gabriel	singing	Cameron M	piano
Louella JS	piano	Emily W	piano
Jack A	singing	Isadora B	piano
Hannah C	violin	Edith FL	piano
Joe B	violin	Jack Atkinson	piano
Hazel M	violin	Jazz Band	
Helena J S	violin		



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*It's the most wonderful time of the year when
Moor Park likes to spread some Christmas
cheer!*

*We are asking for
Gifts and Christmas Food
to give to our local 'Children In Need' this
Christmas.*



*Please bring your gifts wrapped with a label stating what the present contains,
whether it is for a boy or girl and what age it is best suited for. All donations will
be collected in the Front Hall until Wednesday the 12th of December.*