

Newsletter

Week 5

Week 6 - Lent 2019

Monday 11th February

4.45 pm

Mass

Tuesday 12th February

Ballet & Jazz

Wednesday 13th February

9.00 am - 12.30 pm

Whole School 'Open' Morning

Reception Entry 2019 Taster Morning

Friday 15th February

Effort Grades Years 3, 4, 5, 7 & 8

Interim Reports Year 8

2.30 pm

House Music Competition - Henderson Hall

4.15 pm

Half Term Begins

Quote of the Week

Creativity is allowing yourself to make mistakes. Art is knowing which ones to keep.

Scott Adams

Value of the Week

Creativity



Becky and I very much enjoyed seeing so many Pre-Prep and Tick Tock parents at drinks in Clock House on Friday night. It was lovely to have a relaxed chat with you all and I hope that you enjoyed yourselves. We look forward to welcoming parents in Years 3 to 5 on Friday 29th March after the informal concert so do please put this in your diaries.

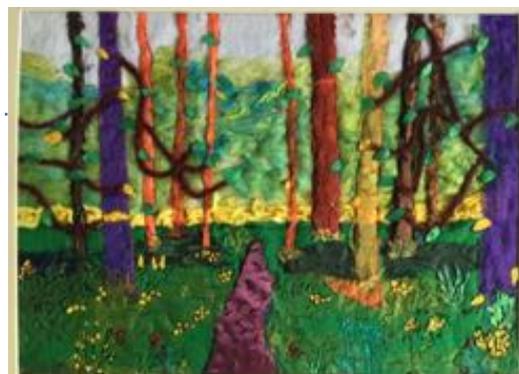
Preparations for House Music are really gearing up and with the House Race being quite close this term, with some surprising results, there is all to play for next Friday! Do feel free to come and listen as it is always a great event in the calendar: we start at 2.30pm in the Henderson Hall with Jonathan Brown, Director of Music at Malvern College in the hot seat as judge.

Charlie Minogue

Artist of the Week

Hannah C - Year 8

Fused fabric piece developed from David Hockney's work



Boarding

Lazer Tag

Wednesday Nights really are taking off! A huge thank you to the Hathaway Family and Play Planet for organising for us to have the use of the Lazer Tag equipment for our Wednesday Night boarders this week. Coupled with the smoke machines and a lot of excitement, the boarders had an amazing time in the Sports Hall fighting between the obstacles.

Wednesday Nights are always special on the BoardingWings. Below is a synopsis of what we plan for Wednesday Night boarding. Please do book in to join in the fun on lab@moorpark.org.uk

Week 1	
Week 2	Postman
Week 3	Fireflies
Week 4	Burns Night
Week 5	Lazer Night
Week 6	Tree House Harry Potter Night
Week 7	Pancake Wednesday
Week 8	Bingo
Week 9	The Mad Hatter's dinner
Week 10	Film Night
Week 11	Spanish Night
Week 12	Spring Night Games outside



Headmaster's Assembly

Prep School Mind Setter of the Week

Louella JS (Year 6) for Critical Thinking and Independence during a History Lesson.



Prep Prep Mind Setter of the Week

Year 2 - Henry J for Resilience
 Year 1 - Jack E for Independence
 Reception - Orla B for Critical Thinking



Middle School Worker of the Week

- 3C – Hazel M
- 3T – Walter M
- 4D – Katie B
- 5M – Joy H
- 5P – Maggie W

Middle School Good Egg

Finn W (Year 4) for being unfailingly kind and helpful to pupils and staff.

Pre-Prep Worker of the Week

- Year 2 - Otto D
- Year 1 - Ashley W
- Reception - Elodie B

Pre-Prep Headmaster's Award

- Year 2 - Orion B
- Year 1 - William M
- Reception - William T



Moor Park Parents Association

Upcoming Events:

Thursday February 28th - **Cheltenham Preview Evening**. see school Facebook page or contact Fiona Johnson or Sally Phillips for more details, Fiona-Johnson@hotmail.com, sjp@moorpark.org.uk.

Friday March 8th - **Moor Park Quiz night** - £10 per person, bring your own food and drink, maximum 8 people to a team - this is always a fun night so please do try and organise a table from your classes, poster with information attached.

Tuesday April 23rd **Easter Egg Hunt** 10.30 am -12.30pm - please note the change of date for this event as there was a clash with Mothers Day.

Date for the diary - **Summer Fete** - Saturday 15th June.

Minutes of the last MPPA meeting can be viewed on the website here:

[Minutes Jan 2019](#)

A big thank you from the Pre-Prep to the MPPA for their new bigger bikes- the children are really enjoying them!



Match Results

Netball

Tuesday 5th February

U9 v Hereford Cathedral Junior School - loss

U8 A & B v Hereford Cathedral Junior School (H) - loss

Wednesday 6th February

UI3A v Christ College Brecon (H) won

UI3B v Christ College Brecon (H) won

UI1A v Hereford Cathedral Junior School (A) won

UI1B v Hereford Cathedral Junior School (A) lost

UI0 v Hereford Cathedral Junior School (A) lost

Football

Tuesday 5th February

U8 v Hereford Cathedral Junior School (H) won

U9A v Hereford Cathedral Junior School (H) lost

U9B v Hereford Cathedral Junior School (H) no game

Wednesday 6th February

Colts A v Hereford Cathedral Junior School (A) - loss

Colts B v Hereford Cathedral Junior School (A) - win

Boys' Hockey

Wednesday 6th February

1st v The Elms (H) - loss

2nd v The Elms (H) lost

3rds v The Elms (H) lost

Matches Week 6

Netball

Wednesday 30th Jan

UI3A & UI3B v Christ College, Brecon

Football

Tuesday 12th February

U8, U9A & U9B v The Downs, Malvern (H)

Wednesday 13th February

1st v Bedstone College (A)



Kindergarten

This week our Kindergarten went once again to Hagley Place Residential Home during their stitching time. We took our weaving apparatus and joined in with the loom weaving that the residents had been doing. Everybody helped each other and had a brilliant time. We are starting to notice that a lovely relationship is developing between the residents and our Kindergarten children, those children who at the last visit were very shy are now working with the residents.

Our next adventures with the Home involve a Sunflower Growing competition and World Poetry Day! Watch this space!



Tick Tock

This week at Tick Tock we have all enjoyed celebrating Chinese New Year. The children have been making pig masks, Chinese lanterns, and toilet roll pigs. They have also been tasting noodles, prawn crackers and rice and have been listening to relaxing Chinese music.

We have also been really excited as the work men have put our new mud kitchen into place. It currently looks very shiny but it won't stay that clean for long.

The children have been busy planting seeds for our other garden, they used carrot and tomato seeds.



MRM HOCKEY CAMPS 7-14 Years

Half Term Hockey Camp
19th February 2019
at Moor Park School Ludlow

A unique opportunity to learn and develop your skills for the fast and exciting modern game with lots of game play and goal scoring!

£35 per day
9am - 3pm
 (sibling rates on request)

For booking and further information please go to www.mrmcoaching.co.uk

Moor Park War Stories

Many of you will have already seen the amazing book of Moor Park war stories compiled by Mr. Crew. For those who haven't, it is a fascinating collection, not least because every man & woman written about is an ancestor of someone from Moor Park. Mr. Crew wanted to commemorate these ancestors as part of the 2018 centenary of the end of World War I, & he has more than done this with his book; every story leaps from the page.

Every copy printed was sold, raising £800, which Mr. Crew donated to the Royal British Legion, the York Army Museum, & the Shropshire Regimental Museum. He is considering printing further copies, but will need to know orders in advance, as there is a minimum quantity for a print run. If anyone would like to buy a copy, would you email me at sjredshaw@hotmail.com (before half term), telling me how many copies you'd like? We can then see whether another print run would be viable. The price will vary depending on how many people we get, but will be something between £12 & £20 - I'll be sure to let you know before you confirm your order.

Chapel Kneelers

The school chapel, which is an important focus for community life at Moor Park, is always in need of new kneelers so that all the children can pray in comfort! Parents who would like to address this need are invited to donate a kneeler to the chapel and personalise it for their child or children. This is a way to leave a lasting memorial of your family's presence at the school while also making a useful material contribution to an integral part of the school's daily life.

The kneelers are supplied as kits at a cost of £55 each and need to be stitched in cross-stitch. Full instructions are provided. For those who feel unable to make a kneeler themselves there is a local lady who is prepared to make them up for you at a cost of £30, which is very reasonable considering each kneeler takes a minimum of 10 hours to stitch. A kneeler can be personalised by adding the name or initials of a child and their dates of attendance at Moor Park, e.g.

JOHN SMITH 2006-16 or J.A.B.S. 2006-16

Kneelers are available in two different designs - a stag's head set against a green background, or a picture of the old house set against a background of blue sky and green grass. It is possible to see existing kneelers at any time in the chapel.

The cost of kneelers can be placed on the school bill if desired but the cost of stitching needs to be paid in cash.

For more information or to purchase a Kneeler please contact Bridget Sideras bsideras@live.co.uk or Emma Hathaway emmajhathaway@aol.com

Moor Park Intranet

We have had to reinstall the password on the Intranet:

u/n: moorpark

p/w: ludlow

The Moreleles are having a week off!

So good to see some new members last week. With the Tree House Harry Potter night next we are going to have break. We will be back after half term so get learning those new songs.



MPPA PRESENTS

QUIZ NIGHT



IN THE
HENDERSON HALL

March 08, 2019	Doors open at 7:30 PM Quiz starts at 8:00PM £10 per person / Teams of 8
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BYO Food and Drinks

Speak to your Reps for more details
Contact Amy Bosi 07715385916 / amy.bosi@yahoo.co.uk OR
Nicola Middleton 07879637965 /
nicamiddeton@gmail.com to book your table

www.mppa.com