



Summer Term Newsletter 2 2019

Staff News

This half term we have been pleased to welcome Ms Gilani to teach in Year 4 until Mrs Riley returns to school towards the end of the school year.

Junior PSCO Scheme

Tony, our PSCO, has been visiting school this half term to work with our Year 5 volunteers to help to make the area surrounding school safer at home-time. The children have been enjoying helping parents and carers to choose safe places to park. National Clean Air Day is taking place this year on June 20th and one of the issues Greater Manchester is looking to tackle is encouraging more parents, carers and children to walk to school at least one day each week, as well as encouraging those parents who do need to drive to turn their engines off whilst waiting at home time. Thank you for your support so far.



Next half term's theme for our whole school **JIGSAW** PSHE scheme of learning is called '**Changing Me**'. This unit of learning focuses on growing, lifecycles, body parts and body changes. Letters will be sent out containing more information prior to these lessons starting.

Dates and Events

June

Tuesday 4th	Y6 'Experience Church' visits to Monton Methodist Church
Wednesday 5th	Transition meeting for parents of children new to Monton Green Nursery or Reception classes in September 2019 at 5pm
w/c 10th	Phonic Screening Checks for Y1 and some Y2 pupils this week
Monday 10th	Mrs Hampson's Y6 class History trip to Ordsall Hall
Tuesday 11th	Miss Cunningham's Y6 class History trip to Ordsall Hall
Saturday 22nd	Summer Fair 12-3pm
Tuesday 25th	Y4 classes Geography trip to Southport
Thursday 27th	Y3 classes History trip to Llandudno
Sunday 30th	SCL Dance Competition at the Lowry

July

Thursday 4th	Nursery and Reception Sports Day 9.30-10.45am Year 1 and 2 Sports Day 2-3.15pm
Wednesday 10th	Transition meetings: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 4pm: Parents of children currently attending Monton Green Nursery and moving into Reception in September.• 6pm: Parents of children moving from Reception to Year 1 in September.• 7pm: Parents of children moving from Y2 to Y3 in September.
Thursday 11th	Y3 and Y4 Sports Day 9.30-11am Y5 and Y6 Sports Day 1.45- 3pm
Monday 15th	Y3 and Y4 Concert 2pm
Tuesday 16th	Y3 and Y4 Concerts 9.30am and 2pm
Thursday 18th	Y5 and Y6 Concert 2pm
Friday 19th	Y5 and Y6 Concerts 9.30am and 2pm Y6 Leavers' party 7pm Monton Sports Club
Wednesday 24th	School Closes and re-opens for children on Wednesday 4 th September - have a lovely and safe holiday!



Leading Parent Partnership Award Update

This half term, we have made several changes to start to improve the way we work together:

Nursery and Reception parents and carers now enjoy receiving daily information about children's learning posted on classroom doors.

Parents and carers are now receiving regular updates about learning via the class pages on the school website.

We improved our Drop – In sessions so that parents, carers and children could get more involved in learning together. Feedback from these sessions was really positive and we intend to continue with this way of working together next year.

We are looking forward to welcoming parents and carers to our Stay-and Play sessions for Nursery and Reception classes this week.

Please visit the class pages on the school website for regular updates about children's learning

Sport

Monton Green is currently second in the JP Football league, having drawn 4 matches and won one in this half term's tournament! Good luck to all of our Y4, 5 and 6 swimmers in the Swim Gala which is due to take place this week.