

Congratulations to Eagles with 100% and Turtle class who had the best attendance last week.



## Millbrook Messenger

### Top Tips

### Sports Day

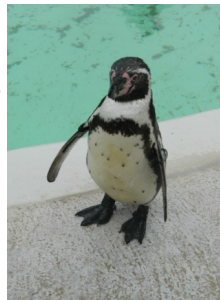
Congratulations to Fire, the winning house at Sports Day. It was a fantastic event and the dry weather encouraged lots of spectators to support the children. Thank you to everyone who joined us and to Miss Tilling (PE subject Leader) and Mr Brown (Sports Co-ordinator) for their organisation and planning.



1. Phone the school if your child is ill on 872800. If they are sick or have diarrhoea they must not return to school for 48 hours.
2. Do we have your up-to-date contact details?
3. Please make sure your child has their PE kit in school.

### Creative Kids

Creative kids have had an exciting term with visits to Avebury, Lotmead Farm, Cotswold Wildlife Park and a bike ride to Lydiard Park.



Also thank you to everyone who supported them at their recent book sale when they raised £45.00.

### Diary Dates

- Fri 1st July
- Circus Day
- Mon 4th July
- Ark Activity Trip
- Mon 4th—Weds 6th July
- LPA Induction for Yr 6
- Mon 11th July
- Yr1 & 2 trip to Bournemouth
- Tues 12th July
- Infant Music festival at the Wyvern
- Weds 13th & Thurs 14th July
- KS2 Production
- Fri 15th July
- Reports come home
- Mon 18th July
- Shuffle Up afternoon
- Weds 20th July
- Yr 6 Leavers Assembly 1.30pm and party 6pm
- Thurs 21st July
- Last day of term finish at 1.15pm
- Mon 5th Sept
- Children return to school

### Staff Training Days

Friday 22nd July  
Thursday 1st September  
Friday 2nd September

### School Lunch Payments

Please can we remind you that all school lunches must be paid for, in advance, on the day or before the end of each week at the latest.

Please do not allow your children to play on the adventure playground before or after school.  
Thank you.

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### School Council

The School Council were presented with a plaque and a cheque for £100 by the President of Swindon Lions, Alan Mitchell, in recognition for their time and efforts with local community projects such as Worsley Road Park, flower beds at Freshbrook Village Centre and Gainsborough Way school crossing improvements. As a result of our campaigning Swindon Borough Council will be trialling increased traffic calming on Gainsborough Way on Wednesday 29th July. SBC staff will be monitoring the trial and may take photographs which will be used for assessing the trial only!

The winner of the Worsley Road Park design was Andrew Rutherford. The two runners up were Chloe Williams and April Newby.



### Millbrook Friends AGM

Millbrook Friends are holding their **AGM on Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> July** (3:15pm, in the hall) to vote in a chair, secretary, treasurer and new committee members.

#### How can you help?

Can you offer any support? It doesn't matter if you can't commit to helping full time, come along to the AGM and register to support the committee as and when you can. i.e. manning a fete stall, selling raffle tickets/ ice cream, supporting the discos, making posters, etc.

**Unfortunately, without a committee and a support network, Millbrook Friends may not continue in the next school year and events such as those above will not take place.**

### Did You Know?

Research shows that children with a love of reading become the most successful adults. Please follow the link below for ideas and tips on helping your child.

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?list=PLBzUa2aNpziU82d65rkmzYzObL6F13\\_L6&v=9TC8c2se0xs](https://www.youtube.com/watch?list=PLBzUa2aNpziU82d65rkmzYzObL6F13_L6&v=9TC8c2se0xs)

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## School Organisation 2016-2017

The chart below shows you the new school organisation for next year. We have made some changes this year, following our recent Ofsted inspection, to ensure the best possible provision for all our pupils. We are very fortunate to have such talented and committed teachers here at Millbrook, who will all continue to work very hard to make sure that the children are happy at school and are always 'Achieving Excellence, Fulfilling Potential'.

<b>Y5/6</b>	Y5/6 Falcons <b>Mrs McDonald</b>	Y5/6 Hawks Miss Tilling	Y5 Kites Mr Patterson	
<b>Y3/4</b>	Y3/4 Otters Mrs Sylvester/ <b>Mrs Tucker</b>	Y3/4 Badgers Mrs Gurupatham	Y3/4 Foxes Mr Adams	
<b>Y1/2</b>	Y1 Turtles Ms Keye	Y1 Seahorses Mrs Lympany	Y2 Starfish <b>Miss Moulding</b>	Y2 Dolphins Mrs Pringle/ Miss Williams
<b>Foundation Stage</b>	Ladybirds <b>Miss Stone</b>		Bumblebees Mrs Thompson/Mrs Redhead	
	Caterpillars Mrs Larkin			

\* Phase leaders are shown in bold.

\*Mrs Twine will be beginning her maternity leave on the 1st September.