



Monkleigh Primary Newsletter

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Friday 4th February 2022

Dear Parents/Carers

From the Headteacher

Football

This week we have finally been able to take our football team out of school to play some matches! The football kit that hasn't seen the light of day for 2 years was dusted off and the children were so excited to be going. They played really well and even won a match. Next week it is the turn of our high five team!

Drinking bottles

We are getting quite a few children coming into school without their water bottles, please can you ensure drinking bottles are brought into school so we can keep the children well hydrated.

Thank you

Pick up times

Quick reminder that pick up times at the end of the day are as follows:

FSU children and their siblings 3pm All other children 3.10pm

Thank you.

Fish and chip Friday

The last Friday of this term - 18th Feb fish and chips will be served in a bag to help with staff shortages.

Updating intolerances/allergies for the kitchen. If you have not already done so, please complete [this form](#) ASAP (even if the answer is going to be "no allergies"). Thank you to those who have already completed it.

★ **"STARS OF THE WEEK"** ★

Butterflies	Class 1	Class 2	Class 3
Edie	Darcie	Harry	Jack M

From the Office Please complete this [online form](#) informing us of any positive COVID tests (both LFT & PCR please) Absences - if your child is ill please do not send a Dojo message to Mrs Reeves - in the first instance please try phoning the office (01805 623269) or as a last resort contact their class teacher. Thank you for your understanding.

FSU - 30 hr funding - please sign into your [Childcare Service Account](#) every 3 months to reconfirm your eligibility. Details of a trip for Butterflies was emailed this week. There is a form to complete please (thank you if you have already submitted it)

Sport Don't forget socks and PE shoes everyday and remember your kit for clubs.

We are getting busy!

Our Football team finally got to put on the School Football shirts and represent us at a Football tournament at GTS. We had some hard matches which we lost but we stayed strong and took a win and a draw.

Well done: Oscar (2 goals) Alfie, Sophia, Arthur, Jack M, Jack R, Barney and Winston.

Friday 11th February Class 1 are going to GTS for a Multi Skills event. **Please come to School in PE kit. No uniform needed.**

Thursday 17th February our High 5 team are taking part in a tournament at GTS. Individual information will be given to team members.

Each Week.

Class 1 - Monday - Please come to school in PE kit with waterproofs and boots

Class 2 - Friday - Please come to school in Forest School Clothes with school uniform to change into.

Class 3 - Wednesday - Please come to school in school uniform with Forest school clothes to change into.

B&T Club / Special Events:

“Scooter Club” - next Tuesday (bookings now closed). Don't forget to bring a helmet!

“Film Club” - Tuesday 15th March 3:15-5:30pm (Film TBC) - Hot dog / veg option & Ice Cream

“Easter Event” - Tuesday 5th April 3:15-5:00pm - Easter egg hunt, Easter craft, Colouring, Hot Chocolate

These events are available to book via the **shop** option in ParentMail. If your child is a regular B&T attendee on a Tuesday evening and wishes to attend any of these events, **please ensure you cancel normal B&T sessions if nec.**

Some children are being booked into B&T Club and simply not turning up - you will be charged unless you have contacted us to cancel. To avoid unnecessary charges, please make sure you cancel in advance

If you have missed the booking deadlines, please call the office before 2:30pm on a Thursday. (NB - accounts must be in credit by being topped up in advance for me to be able to do this.) Thank you, Di B

Here is the current menu : [Menu \(from Jan 2022\)](#)

Friends of Monkleigh School (FOMS) - Easyfundraising

Hi all! We'll be kicking off the fundraising for 2022 with a Valentines non-uniform day on Friday 11th February.

The theme will be nice and easy - 'wear something red'! ❤️ (Suggested donation £1)

We will also be organising a FOMS meeting very soon to discuss fundraising ideas for the rest of the school year, but if you have any thoughts in the meantime please let us know!

Thanks very much, Kerry

Dates for your diary:

Mondays	After School Football Club
Wednesdays	After School High Five Club
Thursdays	After School Choir Club
Tue 8 Feb	B&T Club “Scooter Club”
Wed 9 Feb	New Caterpillar settling in session
Fri 11 Feb	Class 1 Multiskills @ GTS
Fri 11 Feb	FOMS “Wear Something Red” ❤️
Thu 17 Feb	High 5 tournament
Thu 17 Feb	Skern Lodge residential (Class 2)
Tue 15 Mar	B&T Club “Film Club”
Tue 5 Apr	B&T Club “Easter Event”