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Teachers for September 2018

Year 3

Mrs Rooney (welcome back from maternity leave), Mrs Rodgers and Mrs Poynton

Year 4

Mrs Mills and Miss Loaring

Year 5

Mr Downward and Miss Shaw

Year 6

Miss Gerrard and Miss Holdcroft

All the best!

We would like to wish Miss Birchenough all the best for the future as she will be leaving us in July. We would like to thank her for her dedication and hard work whilst working at Moorpark



Diary dates

Summer 2018

- Wednesday, 27th June - Year 6 Bircheshead transition day
- Thursday, 28th June- Watch Me Learn Science 9:30am—11:00am
- Friday, 29th June- Year 6 Alton Towers
- Thursday, 5th July- Year 6 Puberty talk
- Thursday, 5th July- Year 3 to 5 Parents and Carers meetings
- Wednesday 11th July- Year 6 Cooperative Academy Transition Day
- Thursday, 12th July -Year 6 Haywood, Bircheshead and Cooperative Transition Day
- Monday, 16th July- Year 6 Parent and Carers Consultations
- Tuesday, 17th July- Golden Treat Day for years 3 to 5
- Wednesday, 18th July- Year 4 Bikeability
- Wednesday, 18th July- Year 6 Leavers Disco
- Thursday, 19th July- Swan Bank Leavers Assembly
- Friday, 20th July- Leavers Assembly 9:30am-11:30am.
- Friday, 20th July- End of Term,



Sports update

Girls Y5/6 football tournament. Took part in the Stoke on Trent schools competition representing Burslem due to winning the previous tournament. Fantastic opportunity to play on the pitch at the Bet365 and the girls came second in the tournament missing out by only one point a fantastic achievement yet again.

The year 6 girls and the year 4 mixed team took part in a Stoke-on-Trent schools cricket tournament at Longton Cricket Club. Both teams did exceptionally well and are now representing Stoke-on-Trent schools in the County

Raffle Prizes!

Congratulations to all the lucky people who won a prize from our sports day raffle. All winners have been notified. Please ensure that you collect your prize from the



Science at Moorpark has really been flourishing. We had our first ever MOORPARK SCIENCE FAIR with fantastic attendance.

Well done to everyone who took part. There was lots of wonderful, weird and wacky scientific investigations and it was amazing to see the scientific thinking and enquiry that went along side these projects. The winners from the science fair were given the opportunity to go to the West Midlands Big Bang science fair. This was a fantastic day, full of people from around the country all sharing their expertise. Keep your eyes posted to see what amazing opportunities in science are on the horizon.

Please let us know if you would like a larger printed version of the newsletter you can also access a full colour version on the website.

Follow Moorpark on Twitter or view the thread via our website for regular tweets on school news and activities.





Uniform, Jewellery, Hair & PE KIT

In order to help speed up the delivery time for you to receive your uniform, we now have a new uniform supplier, Smart School Uniform. This is a local supplier based in Newcastle-Under-Lyme.

Black shoes only

NO hair art (shaved lines or patterns) or hair dye.

NO JEWELLRY on any day (a watch is acceptable if it's not causing a distraction.) - if your child is having their ears pierced please do so at the **start of the Summer holidays** so that they can be out by September, we believe that there is no justified reason to have ears pierced during the school year. Thank you for your support with this. Our families always uphold a high standard of uniform and presentation and it makes a huge difference to the pride the children show for themselves and their school. We will contact parents and carers immediately if your child is not appropriately prepared and presented for school.



Attendance

Summer Term Attendance Update

Classes with the best attendance

Summer Term 2

Week 1—100% 4L

Week 2—97% 6M

Week 3—96% 6M

Well done to 6M who have won best attendance 2 weeks in a row!



Swimming days

Summer after half Term

Year 4—Every Monday

Breakfast club

7.30am—8.50am £3 per day Breakfast and activities

After School Care Club

3.10 pm—6.00 pm £7.00 per day teatime and activities

BOOK YOUR PLACES NOW!

School Holiday Club

All day—£26.50

Half Day—am/pm—£14.00

Drop in session available!

Ask the office for more details and a registration pack



From the **1st April, 2018** the school will use the online payment system—ParentPay. You can pay for all meals, trips, uniform, breakfast club and after school club services.

If anyone has any issues accessing their account, please contact the school office.

REMINDER

Parents are reminded to provide their children with sandwiches until all school dinner debt is cleared.

If debt is outstanding in any other payment items please contact Mrs Searl, who can arrange a payment plan under special circumstances.

To view the School Debt policy please view the following:-

http://www.moorpark.stoke.sch.uk/sites/default/files/School_Meals_Debt_Policy%202017.pdf



Parking and Road Safety

Please be alert on all the roads around school when dropping off and picking up your children. Please do not park on double yellow lines, yellow zig zag lines or the entrance to the school. This is purely for the safety of your children.

Talk to your children again about road safety on the way to and from school.